

SPECIMEN DOCUMENTS Estate Planning



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Under penalties for perjury, the Testator and the Witnesses whose names are signed to the foregoing instrument for the purpose of self-proving Testator's last will and testament declare:

- 1. That the Testator executed the instrument as the Testator's last will and testament, in the presence of all the witnesses;
- 2. That the Testator executed this will as the Testator's free and voluntary act for the purposes expressed in it;
- 3. That each of the Witnesses, in the presence of the Testator and in the presence of each other, signed the will as a Witness;
- 4. That to the best of the knowledge of the Witnesses, the Testator was of sound mind; and

5. That to the best of the knowledge of the Witnesses, the Testator was eighteen (18) or more years of age at the time the Testator executed this will. [or specify other minimum age for state]

Date:	
Testator	
Witness	
Witness	
Witness	****

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