

Form: Order Admitting will to probate and Issuance of Letters Testamentary for an Independent Administration

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NO. _____

IN THE ESTATE OF

IN THE [PROBATE] COURT

[NAME],

NO; _____

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[NAME], COUNTY, TEXAS

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On this day came on to be heard the Application For Probate of Will and Issuance of Letters Testamentary filed by [Name of applicant], "Applicant", in the Estate of [name of decedent], "Decedent".

And it being proved to the satisfaction of the Court that due notice had been given of said Application in the manner and for the length of time required by law; that the Court, having heard the evidence and having reviewed the Will and the other documents filed in this

proceeding, finds that the allegations contained in the Application are true; that notice and citation have been given in the manner and for the length of time required by law; that Decedent was a resident of [Name] County, Texas at the time of his or her death, that the Decedent is dead and that four (4) years have not elapsed since the date of Decedent's death; that Decedent left a

Will dated _____, executed with the formalities and under the circumstances required by law to make it a valid Will; that on that date Decedent had attained the age of eighteen (18) years and was of sound mind; that the Will was not revoked by Decedent; that no child was born to or adopted by the Decedent after the making of such will; that said will was produced in Court and

reviewed by the Court for compliance with the Probate Code and is a valid will; that no

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objection to or contest of the probate of the Will has been filed; that all of the necessary proof required for the probate of the Will has been made; that neither the State of Texas, a governmental agency of the State nor a charitable organization is named in the Will as a devisee; that the Will is entitled to probate; that in the Will, Decedent named [name] as Independent [Executor or Administrator] to serve without bond, who is duly qualified and not disqualified by law to act as such and to receive Letters Testamentary; and that a necessity exists for the administration of this Estate.

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It is therefore ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that the Will on file is admitted to probate and record as the Last Will and Testament of the Decedent, and that such Will together with the application for probate and all testimony given in this proceeding, shall be recorded in the minutes of this Court.

It is therefore ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that the Clerk of this Court is ORDERED to record the Will, together with the Application and the sworn testimony of the witness in the Minutes of this Court for the purpose of establishing said Will.

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The court further found that no interested person has requested the appointment of appraisers and none are deemed necessary by the Court. It is hereby ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the court shall waive the appointment of appraisers.

It is further ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that no bond or other security is required and that upon the taking and filing of the Oath, and upon completing any other requirement that may be required by law, Letters Testamentary shall issue to [Name of applicant], who is appointed as Independent [Executor or Administrator] of Decedent's Will and Estate, and no other action shall be had in this court other than the return of an Inventory,

Appraisal and Disclaimers as required by law. And that after the filing of inheritance tax

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reports and payments of taxes, if required, and if any are due, and the payment of costs of Court,
this Estate be dropped from the docket.

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Signed on _____.

JUDGE PRESIDING

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