

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT – PROBATE DIVISION

File No. _____

Estate of _____

Alleged Person with a Disability

PETITION FOR TEMPORARY GUARDIAN OF ALLEGED PERSON WITH A DISABILITY

In accordance with §11a-4 of the Probate Act of 1975 (“Probate Act”) [755 ILCS 5/11a-4] and §§201-204 of the Uniform Adult Guardianship and Protective Proceedings Jurisdiction Act (“UAGPPJA”) [755 ILCS 8/201-204], the Petitioner,

_____, states under the penalties of perjury:
[printed name of the Petitioner]

1. On _____, a Petition was filed herein for the appointment of a Guardian of the _____ of _____
(estate) (person) (estate and person) [printed name of the alleged person with a disability] _____ (the “Respondent”);
2. A Temporary Guardian is necessary for the immediate welfare and protection of the _____
(estate) (person) (estate and person) of the Respondent because _____

- *3. (a) Illinois is the Respondent’s “home state” as defined in §201(a)(2) of the UAGPPJA.
- (b) _____ is the Respondent’s “home state”, but Illinois is a “significant-connection state” as defined in §201(a)(3) of the UAGPPJA, and one of the additional requirements specified in §203(2)(A)-(B) of UAGPPJA applies.
- (c) Illinois is not the Respondent’s “home state” or a “significant-connection state” as defined in §201(a)(2)-(3) of the UAGPPJA, but the “home state” and every “significant-connection state” have declined to exercise jurisdiction because Illinois is the most appropriate forum.
- (d) Illinois is not the Respondent’s “home state” or a “significant-connection state” as defined in §201(a)(2)-(3) of the UAGPPJA, but the circumstances involved constitute an “emergency” as defined in §201(a)(1) of the UAGPPJA, and, as a result, the Court has “special jurisdiction” under §204(a) of the UAGPPJA.

The Petitioner asks that:

A. _____
[printed name of the proposed Guardian]

[post office address/city/state/zip code]

age _____ years, _____,
[relationship to the Respondent] [occupation]

who is qualified and willing to act and who _____ been convicted of a felony, be
(has) (has not)

appointed as Temporary Guardian of the _____ of the Respondent with
(estate and person) (estate only)

* Check the appropriate basis for jurisdiction.

the following powers: _____

** B. _____
[printed name of the proposed Guardian]

be appointed even though _____ has been convicted of a felony because:
(he) (she)

- (i) the appointment is in the Respondent's best interests, after considering the nature and date of the offense and the evidence of the proposed Guardian's rehabilitation, and
- (ii) the offense is not one which, under §11a-5(5) of the Probate Act, would prohibit the appointment.

**** Strike if not applicable.**

Attorney Number _____
 Name _____
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[signature of the Petitioner]

[address of the Petitioner]

[city/state/zip code]

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