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Representing Self, without a Lawyer or Attorney for Petitioner OR Respondent

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA IN COCHISE COUNTY

In the Matter of (check one or both)
 Guardianship Conservatorship of

Case Number: _____

TEMPORARY ORDER FOR

(check one box)

_____ of
 an Adult a Minor

- Guardianship and Conservatorship**
 Guardianship
 Conservatorship

NOTICE: This is an important court order that affects your rights. Read this order carefully. If you do not understand this order, contact an attorney for legal advice. **This appointment is not effective until "Letters of Appointment" have been issued by the Clerk of the Court.**

THE COURT FINDS:

- PETITION FILED.** A sworn Petition for Temporary Appointment of a Guardian and/or Conservator for the person named above was filed with the Court by the Petitioner.
- PERSON TO BE PROTECTED:** The person to be protected by this order:
 - Is a **MINOR** whose welfare and best interests require the appointment of a Temporary **GUARDIAN** to provide for his or her continuing care and supervision;
 - Is a **MINOR** for whom a Temporary **CONSERVATOR** is necessary because he or she has money or property that requires management or protection or has or may have business affairs which may be jeopardized by his minority, or the minor needs funds for his or her education and protection is necessary or desirable to obtain or provide funds.
 - Is an **ADULT** who is incapacitated due to physical and/or mental disabilities, that he or she is unable to make or communicate responsible decisions concerning his or her person and that appointment of a Temporary **GUARDIAN** is necessary to provide for his or her continuing care and supervision,
 - is an **ADULT** for whom a Temporary **CONSERVATOR** is necessary because he or she is unable to effectively manage or apply his or her estate due to physical and/or mental disabilities, confinement or disappearance, and that it is necessary to obtain or provide funds for the support, care, and welfare of the person to be protected and of those entitled to his or her support.

- 3. **NEED FOR PROTECTION.** There is sufficient evidence to support a finding of incapacity or need for protection by the person who is the subject of this order;
- 4. **PERSON TO SERVE AS GUARDIAN and/or CONSERVATOR:** _____ is competent to serve as: Guardian and Conservator OR Guardian OR Conservator.
- 5. There is no guardian or conservator appointed by a court to date, or this order replaces such other order;
- 6. **EMERGENCY.** An emergency exists and there is need under law for the Court to enter this order immediately;
- 7. **PRIOR NOTICE.** Prior notice of this order is not required to be given to the person to be protected or his or her attorney or others entitled to prior notice because all the conditions of Arizona law, ARS §14-5310 and/or 14-5401.01 have been met.
- 8. **MORE THAN 30 DAYS.** For good cause, this temporary appointment may be for more than 30 days, according to Arizona Law, A.R.S. § 14-5310 (D) and or 14-5401.01(D) for the following reasons:

THE COURT ORDERS:

- 1. **APPOINTMENT:** _____ is appointed as TEMPORARY Guardian and Conservator, OR Guardian OR Conservator of the above-named person pursuant to Arizona law ARS §14-5310 and/or 14-5401.01.
- 2. **LETTERS:** This Order shall be filed with the Clerk of the Court, and upon filing a bond, if required, TEMPORARY LETTERS shall be issued to the Appointee in accordance with the terms of this Order and subject to the following restrictions (if any): _____

- 3. **NOTICE:** The appointee shall give notice to the minor and his or her parents or to the protected or incapacitated person named in the caption above, and to all others, with a copy of each of the following documents:
 - a. The Petition for Temporary Appointment with this Order;
 - b. The Petition for Permanent Appointment;
 - c. All reports, affidavits, or other documents filed in support of both Petitions.
- 4. **EMERGENCY HEARING WITHOUT NOTICE:**
 - Personal service shall be completed no later than 72 hours after the date of this order upon the person who needs the protection, his or her attorney, and the parents of that person if the person is a minor.

5. **PROOF OF NOTICE.** Proof of Notice of Hearing shall be filed with the Clerk of the Court, Probate Registrar, as required by Arizona Law, ARS §§ 14-5310 (B) and/or 14-5401.01(B).

6. **THE APPOINTMENT ENDS.**

The Appointment ends on _____, 20____, or

For good cause, this temporary appointment has been extended beyond 30 days.

7. **CHANGE OF ADDRESS.** The person appointed as guardian and/or conservator shall notify this Court immediately of any change in his or her address or the person protected by this order. The appointee shall be responsible for all costs resulting from his/her failure to do so.

8. **BOND:**

No Bond is required, OR

The Guardian and/or Conservator shall file a bond in the amount of \$ _____ with the Clerk of the Court, Probate Registrar.

DONE IN OPEN COURT: _____

JUDGE OR COMMISSIONER