

STATE OF MAINE

PROBATE COURT

Location of Court

COUNTY PROBATE COURT

DOCKET NO. _____

Estate of _____

ORDER: FORMAL PROBATE
ONLY OR FORMAL PROBATE
WITH APPOINTMENT

Acting under the requirements of 18-A MRSA § 3-409 and pursuant to a petition by _____

dated _____, after notice in accordance with 18-A MRSA § 3-403, and after hearing or
Opportunity therefore, the court hereby finds:

1. That _____ is dead;
2. That venue in this court is proper;
3. That the proceeding was timely commenced; and determines;
3A. That decedent was domiciled at death at

3B. That the heirs of the decedent are

3C. That decedent died testate with a valid will dated _____ or

4. That there is no previous formal or informal probate proceeding with respect to decedent or
5. Other findings relating to probate.

6. The will should be and hereby is allowed.
Strike (a) or (b).
(a) NO APPOINTMENT IS SOUGHT OR

(b) APPOINTMENT IS SOUGHT AND THE COURT MAKES THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL FINDINGS:
7. There is no previously appointed personal representative or
8. The petitioner requests that _____ be appointed personal representative
9. Until further order of this court, this estate shall be unsupervised unless the word "supervised" is inserted here. If administration is to be supervised, the limitations and restrictions inserted here shall apply.
10. Other findings relating to appointment of personal representative.
11. Having considered the priority requirements of 18-A MRSA § 3-203, the court believes the petitioner's request for appointment should be granted and hereby grants the same and makes the appointment requested subject to the personal representative's acceptance and filing of any required bond.

Date _____

Judge of Probate

MARP