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ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY NAME Samuel G. Lockhart FIRM NAME Lockhart Law Firm STREET ADDRESS 41856 Ivy Street, Suite 201 CITY Murrieta TELEPHONE NO 951-461-8878 E-MAIL ADDRESS amanda@lock-law.com ATTORNEY FOR (name) Christopher J. Chappell		STATE BAR NO. 256152 STATE CA ZIP CODE 92562 FAX NO 951-823-5715		FOR COURT USE ONLY FILED SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO JAN 27 2023 BY: <u>Teresa Cervera, Deputy</u>	
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO STREET ADDRESS 247 West Third Street MAILING ADDRESS 247 West Third Street CITY AND ZIP CODE San Bernardino, CA 92415 BRANCH NAME San Bernardino Superior Court-Probate Division					
ESTATE OF (name): Ronald Ray Chappell, Jr.					
PETITION FOR <input type="checkbox"/> Probate of <input type="checkbox"/> Lost Will and for Letters Testamentary <input type="checkbox"/> Probate of <input type="checkbox"/> Lost Will and for Letters of Administration with Will Annexed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Letters of Administration <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Letters of Special Administration <input type="checkbox"/> with general powers Authorization to Administer Under the Independent Administration of Estates Act <input type="checkbox"/> with limited authority					
CASE NUMBER PROSB2300108				HEARING DATE AND TIME FEB 27 2023	
				DEPT 9am S37	

1. Publication will be in (specify name of newspaper): San Bernardino City News

- a. ☐ Publication requested.
 b. ☒ Publication to be arranged.

2. Petitioner (name each):
 Christopher J. Chappell

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 for all purposes and is subject to CCP 170.6(2)

requests that

- a. ☐ decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate.
 b. (name): Christopher J. Chappell
 (1) ☐ executor
 (2) ☐ administrator with will annexed
 (3) ☒ administrator
 (4) ☐ special administrator ☐ with general powers
 and Letters issue upon qualification.
 c. ☒ full ☐ limited authority be granted to administer under the Independent Administration of Estates Act.
 d. (1) ☒ bond not be required for the reasons stated in item 3e.
 (2) ☐ \$ bond be fixed. The bond will be furnished by an admitted surety insurer or as otherwise provided by law. (Specify reasons in Attachment 2 if the amount is different from the maximum required by Prob. Code, § 8482.)
 (3) ☐ \$ in deposits in a blocked account be allowed. Receipts will be filed.
 (Specify institution and location):

3. a. Decedent died on (date): August 28, 1997 at (place): Washoe Medical Center, Reno Nevada
 (1) ☐ a resident of the county named above.
 (2) ☒ a nonresident of California and left an estate in the county named above located at (specify location permitting publication in the newspaper named in item 1):
 1228 N. Council Avenue, Ontario, CA 91764 - San Bernardino County
 b. ☐ Decedent was a citizen of a country other than the United States (specify country):
 c. Street address, city, and county of decedent's residence at time of death (specify):
 Northern Nevada Correctional Center, 1721 Snyder Avenue, Carson City, NV 89701 / Ormsby County

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3. d. Character and estimated value of the property of the estate (complete in all cases):

- (1) Personal property: \$0
- (2) Annual gross income from
- (a) real property: \$0
- (b) personal property: \$0
- (3) Subtotal (add (1) and (2)): \$0
- (4) Gross fair market value of real property: \$494,000
- (5) (Less) Encumbrances: (\$)
- (6) Net value of real property: \$494,000
- (7) Total (add (3) and (6)): \$494,000

- e. (1) ☐ Will waives bond. ☐ Special administrator is the named executor, and the will waives bond.
- (2) ☐ All beneficiaries are adults and have waived bond, and the will does not require a bond. (Affix waiver as Attachment 3e(2).)
- (3) ☒ All heirs at law are adults and have waived bond. (Affix waiver as Attachment 3e(3).)
- (4) ☐ Sole personal representative is a corporate fiduciary or an exempt government agency.
- f. (1) ☒ Decedent died intestate.
- (2) ☐ Copy of decedent's will dated: ☐ codicil dated (specify for each):
- are affixed as Attachment 3f(2). (Include typed copies of handwritten documents and English translations of foreign-language documents.)
- ☐ The will and all codicils are self-proving (Prob. Code, § 8220).
- (3) ☐ The original of the will and/or codicil identified above has been lost. (Affix a copy of the lost will or codicil or a written statement of the testamentary words or their substance in Attachment 3f(3), and state reasons in that attachment why the presumption in Prob. Code, § 6124 does not apply.)

g. Appointment of personal representative (check all applicable boxes):

- (1) Appointment of executor or administrator with will annexed:
- (a) ☐ Proposed executor is named as executor in the will and consents to act.
- (b) ☐ No executor is named in the will.
- (c) ☐ Proposed personal representative is a nominee of a person entitled to Letters. (Affix nomination as Attachment 3g(1)(c).)
- (d) ☐ Other named executors will not act because of ☐ death ☐ declination ☐ other reasons (specify):

☐ Continued in Attachment 3g(1)(d).

(2) Appointment of administrator:

- (a) ☐ Petitioner is a person entitled to Letters. (If necessary, explain priority in Attachment 3g(2)(a).)
- (b) ☐ Petitioner is a nominee of a person entitled to Letters. (Affix nomination as Attachment 3g(2)(b).)
- (c) ☒ Petitioner is related to the decedent as (specify): Son

- (3) ☐ Appointment of special administrator requested. (Specify grounds and requested powers in Attachment 3g(3).)
- (4) ☐ Proposed personal representative would be a successor personal representative.

h. Proposed personal representative is a

- (1) ☐ resident of California.
- (2) ☒ nonresident of California (specify permanent address):
15818 Eastern Meadowlark Way, Cypress, TX 77429

- (3) ☒ resident of the United States.
- (4) ☐ nonresident of the United States.

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4. ☐ Decedent's will does not preclude administration of this estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act.
5. a. Decedent was survived by (check items (1) or (2), and (3) or (4), and (5) or (6), and (7) or (8))
- (1) ☐ spouse.
 - (2) ☒ no spouse as follows:
 - (a) ☒ divorced or never married.
 - (b) ☐ spouse deceased.
 - (3) ☐ registered domestic partner.
 - (4) ☒ no registered domestic partner. (See Fam. Code, § 297.5(c); Prob. Code, §§ 37(b), 6401(c), and 6402.)
 - (5) ☒ child as follows:
 - (a) ☒ natural or adopted.
 - (b) ☐ natural adopted by a third party.
 - (6) ☐ no child.
 - (7) ☐ issue of a predeceased child.
 - (8) ☒ no issue of a predeceased child.
- b. Decedent ☐ was ☒ was not survived by a stepchild or foster child or children who would have been adopted by decedent but for a legal barrier. (See Prob. Code, § 6454.)
6. (Complete if decedent was survived by (1) a spouse or registered domestic partner but no issue (only a or b apply), or (2) no spouse, registered domestic partner, or issue. (Check the first box that applies):
- a. ☐ Decedent was survived by a parent or parents who are listed in item 8.
 - b. ☐ Decedent was survived by issue of deceased parents, all of whom are listed in item 8.
 - c. ☐ Decedent was survived by a grandparent or grandparents who are listed in item 8.
 - d. ☐ Decedent was survived by issue of grandparents, all of whom are listed in item 8.
 - e. ☐ Decedent was survived by issue of a predeceased spouse, all of whom are listed in item 8.
 - f. ☐ Decedent was survived by next of kin, all of whom are listed in item 8.
 - g. ☐ Decedent was survived by parents of a predeceased spouse or issue of those parents, if both are predeceased, all of whom are listed in item 8.
 - h. ☐ Decedent was survived by no known next of kin.
7. (Complete only if no spouse or issue survived decedent.)
- a. ☐ Decedent had no predeceased spouse.
 - b. ☐ Decedent had a predeceased spouse who
 - (1) ☐ died not more than 15 years before decedent and who owned an interest in **real property** that passed to decedent.
 - (2) ☐ died not more than five years before decedent and who owned **personal property** valued at \$10,000 or more that passed to decedent, (If you checked (1) or (2), check only the first box that applies):
 - (a) ☐ Decedent was survived by issue of a predeceased spouse, all of whom are listed in item 8.
 - (b) ☐ Decedent was survived by a parent or parents of the predeceased spouse who are listed in item 8.
 - (c) ☐ Decedent was survived by issue of a parent of the predeceased spouse, all of whom are listed in item 8.
 - (d) ☐ Decedent was survived by next of kin of the decedent, all of whom are listed in item 8.
 - (e) ☐ Decedent was survived by next of kin of the predeceased spouse, all of whom are listed in item 8.
 - (3) ☐ neither (1) nor (2) apply.
8. Listed on the next page are the names, relationships to decedent, ages, and addresses, so far as known to or reasonably ascertainable by petitioner, of (1) all persons mentioned in decedent's will or any codicil, whether living or deceased; (2) all persons named or checked in items 2, 5, 6, and 7; and (3) all beneficiaries of a trust named in decedent's will or any codicil in which the trustee and personal representative are the same person.

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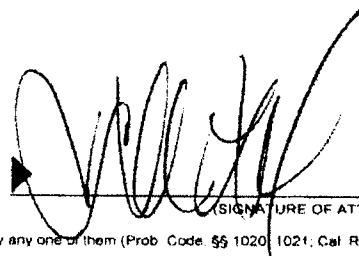
8. Name and relationship to decedent	Age	Address
Christopher J. Chappell, Son	36	15818 Eastern Meadowlark Way Cypress, TX 77429
Michael J. Chappell, Son	35	2702 Industrial Drive, Apt 402 Bowling Green KY 42101

☐ Continued on Attachment 8.9. Number of pages attached: 3

Date: 1/25/23

Samuel G. Lockhart

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF ATTORNEY)



(SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY) *

* (Signatures of all petitioners are also required. All petitioners must sign, but the petition may be verified by any one of them (Prob. Code, §§ 1020, 1021, Cal. Rules of Court, rule 7.103).)

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: 1/25/23

Christopher J. Chappell

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF PETITIONER)



Christopher J. Chappell (22m 25, 2032 25, 25 C57)

(SIGNATURE OF PETITIONER)

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Signatures of additional petitioners follow last attachment.

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ATTACHMENT 3 e(3)

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WAIVER OF BOND BY HEIR OR BENEFICIARY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Attachment 3e to Petition for Probate*		CASE NUMBER PROSB2300108	

NOTICE: READ PARAGRAPHS A-G BEFORE YOU SIGN

- A. A bond is a form of insurance to replace assets that may be mismanaged or stolen by the executor or administrator (the estate's **personal representative**). The cost of the bond is paid from the assets of the estate.
- B. A bond may not be required if the decedent's will admitted to probate waives a bond and the court approves.
- C. If the decedent's will does not waive bond, or if the decedent died without a will, the law ordinarily requires the personal representative to give a bond approved and ordered by the court. However, all persons eligible to receive a share of the estate may waive the requirement of a bond. If they all waive bond and the court approves, the personal representative will NOT have to give a bond.
- D. If bond is not ordered by the court, and the estate suffers loss because the personal representative fails to properly perform the duties of the office, the loss or some part of it may not be recoverable from the personal representative. If so, your share of the estate may be partly or entirely lost.
- E. You may waive the requirement of a bond by signing this form and delivering it to the petitioner for appointment of a personal representative or to the petitioner's attorney. Your waiver cannot be withdrawn after the court appoints the personal representative without requiring a bond. However, if you sign a waiver of bond, you may later petition the court to require a bond.
- F. A guardian ad litem or other legal representative with specific authority under law to waive bond must sign for a minor, an incapacitated person, an unascertained beneficiary, or a designated class of persons who are not ascertained or not yet in being. See Judicial Council forms DE-350 and DE-351 and Probate Code section 1003.
- G. If you do not understand this form, do not sign it until you have asked a lawyer (who is independent of the lawyer for the proposed personal representative) to explain it to you.

WAIVER

1. I have read and understand paragraphs A through G above.
2. I understand that before signing this form, I am free to consult with a lawyer of my choice concerning the possible consequences to me of waiving bond.
3. I understand that I do not have to waive bond to allow the estate administration to begin or proceed, or to receive my share of the estate.
4. I WAIVE the posting of bond in this estate by (name of personal representative): **Christopher J. Chappell**

Date: 1/25/23

Christopher J. Chappell

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF BENEFICIARY (AND AUTHORIZED SIGNER IF BENEFICIARY IS NOT AN INDIVIDUAL))

Christopher J. Chappell

Christopher J. Chappell (Jan 25, 2023 10:15 CST)

(SIGNATURE)

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Date: Jan 25, 2023

Michael J. Chappell

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF BENEFICIARY (AND AUTHORIZED SIGNER, IF BENEFICIARY IS NOT AN INDIVIDUAL))

Michael J. Chappell (Jan 25, 2023 19:28 CST)

(SIGNATURE)

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