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### THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF DONALD EDWIN JEAN, deceased, Docket No. P08326 County Court Bosque County, Texas, GARY DON JEAN filed in the County Court of Bosque County, Texas, on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of OCTOBER, 2020 an APPLICATION TO PROBATE WILL AND ISSUANCE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION. Said application will be heard and acted on by said Court no earlier than 10:00 am on the first Monday next after the expiration of ten days, from the date of posting this citation, the same being the 02<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2020 at the County Courthouse in MERIDIAN, TEXAS.

All persons interested in said estate are hereby cited to appear before said Honorable Court at said above mentioned time and place by filing a written answer contesting such application should they desire to do so.

The officer executing this citation shall post the copy of the citation at the Courthouse Door of the county in which proceedings are pending, or at the place in or near said Courthouse where public notices customarily are posted, for not less than 10 days before the return day thereof, exclusive of the date of posting and return the original copy of this citation to the Clerk stating in a written return thereon the time when and the place where he posted such copy.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF SAID COURT in Meridian, Texas. This the 16th day of OCTOBER, 2020.

TABATHA FERGUSON
Bosque County Clerk

Deputy

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IN THE ESTATE OF	<b>§</b>	INCOUNTYCOURTATLAW
DONALD EDWIN JEAN,	9	OF
DECEASED	§. §.	BOSQUE COUNTY, TEXAS

# APPLICATION TO PROBATE WILL AND FOR ISSUANCE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

### TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

GARY DON JEAN ("Applicant"), by and through his attorney of record, DICK TURNER of TURNER MONAHA, PLLC, furnishes the following information to the Court in support of this Application for the probate of the Will of DONALD EDWIN JEAN ("Decedent"), and for issuance of Letters of Administration:

- 1. Applicant GARY DON JEAN is an individual interested in this Estate, being domiciled in and residing in Texas. GARY DON JEAN's address for service of citation is 575 CR 1115, Morgan, Texas 76671. The last three digits of the social security number of GARY DON JEAN are 765. The last three digits of the driver's license number of GARY DON JEAN are 815.
- 2. Decedent died on July 6, 2020, at Morgan, Bosque County, Texas, at the age of 84 years. Decedent's domicile at the time of his death was Morgan, Bosque County, Texas. The last three digits of the social security number of Decedent are 365.
- 3. This Court has jurisdiction and venue is proper because Decedent was domiciled in Texas and had a fixed place of residence in this County on the date of his death.
- 4. Decedent owned property described generally as real estate, cash, personal effects and household goods of a probable value in excess of \$50,000.00.

- 5. Decedent left a valid Will dated November 9, 1978, which was never revoked. A true and correct copy of the Will is attached. The Will will be delivered to the County Clerk pursuant to the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure.
  - 6. A necessity exists for the administration of the estate.
  - 7. After the date of the Will, no child was born to or adopted by Decedent.
  - 8. No marriage of the Decedent was ever dissolved after the will was made.
- 9. Decedent's will named CYNTHIA JEAN YATES as Executor. CYNTHIA JEAN YATES signed an Affidavit to Designate Administrator on October 15, 2020, and filed said Affidavit with the County Clerk of BOSQUE County designating GARY DON JEAN as Independent Administrator with the same rights, powers, and duties as an Independent Executor stated in the will. GARY DON JEAN is not disqualified by law from serving as such or from accepting Letters of Administration, and would be entitled to such letters.
- 10. No state, governmental agency of the state, nor charitable organization is named by the Will as a devisee.
- 11. The Will was made self-proved in the manner prescribed by law and the subscribing witnesses to the Will are Michael Barber and Harry Sekinote.

WHEREFORE, Applicant prays that citation with respect to this Application for Independent Administration and Letters of Administration be issued and served as required by law to all persons interested in this Estate; that the Will be admitted to probate; that it be adjudged to be advisable and in the best interests of the Decedent's estate for GARY DON JEAN to be appointed to serve as Administrator under the Will; that Letters of Administration be issued to GARY DON JEAN; that, bond be waived by the county court at law and that no action be had in this court in relation to the settlement of such estate other than the probating and recording of

such Will and the return of an inventory, appraisement, and list of claims of such estate, or an affidavit in lieu of the inventory, appraisement and list of claims; and that all other Orders be entered as the Court may deem proper.

Respectfully submitted,

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