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THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF **BRUCE JOSEPH WERLEY**, deceased, Docket No. **P08571** County Court at Law Bosque County, Texas, **AARON JOSEPH WERLEY** filed in the County Court at Law of Bosque County, Texas, on the **23rd day of May, 2023** an **APPLICATION TO DETERMINE HEIRSHIP AND APPLICATION FOR INDEPENDENT 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 **6th day of June, 2023** at the County Court at Law Judicial Annex 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 **23rd day of May, 2023**.



Tabatha Ferguson

TABATHA FERGUSON
Bosque County Clerk

Wendy Owen

Deputy

OFFICER'S RETURN ON CITATION

Came to hand on the 23 day of MAY, 2023, at
2:33 o'clock P M. and executed on the 23 day of MAY, 2023
by posting a copy of the within citation for ten days, exclusive of the day of posting,
before the return day hereof, at the County Courthouse door of Bosque County,
Texas, or at the place in or near the said courthouse where public notices customarily are
posted, that is from 5/23, 2023, through 6/6,
2023, inclusive.


CONSTABLE
BOSQUE COUNTY, TEXAS

Printed name: Scott Ferguson

Bosque County - County Court at Law

NO. P08571

IN THE MATTER OF	§	IN THE COUNTY COURT
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THE ESTATE OF	§	AT LAW
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BRUCE JOSEPH WERLEY	§	
DECEASED	§	BOSQUE COUNTY, TEXAS

APPLICATION TO DETERMINE HEIRSHIP
AND
APPLICATION FOR INDEPENDENT ADMINISTRATION

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

The undersigned Applicant files this Application to Determine Heirship and Application for Independent Administration of the property and Estate of BRUCE JOSEPH WERLEY, Deceased, and for Letters of Independent Administration:

1. To Applicant's best knowledge and belief, BRUCE JOSEPH WERLEY, Applicant's father, "Decedent", died without a Will.
2. Applicant, AARON JOSEPH WERLEY, is an individual interested in this Estate, domiciled in and residing at 924 Maysey Drive, San Antonio, Texas, 78227. The last three (3) digits of the Social Security number of AARON JOSEPH WERLEY are XXX-XX-X071.
3. Decedent died on March 28, 2023, in Bosque County, Texas, at the age of 70 years.
4. This Court has jurisdiction and venue because Decedent was domiciled and had a fixed place of residence at 154 CR 1313, Morgan, Bosque County, Texas, 76671 on the date of his death.
5. Decedent owned real and personal property described generally as cash, vehicles, and personal effects, of a probable value in excess of \$50,000.00.
6. The Decedent was first married to a person whose name is unknown to Applicant and no children were born to that marriage which ended in divorce. Decedent then married ROBIN LYNN FARMER and one child was born to that marriage, which marriage ended in divorce. The one child born to Decedents marriage to ROBIN LYNN FARMER is AARON JOSEPH WERLEY, the same person as the Applicant herein.
7. A necessity exists for the Independent Administration of Decedent's property and Estate to consider payment of claims, to set aside allowances, to collect insurance proceeds, and to resolve other matters which require the authorization of a personal representative in settling Decedent's estate, and to sell any property that

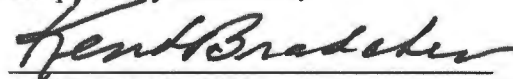
may need to be sold or liquidated without further order of the Court.

8. Applicant is not disqualified by law from serving as Independent Administrator of Decedent's Estate.
9. Applicant requests that this Court, upon notice and hearing as required by law, appoint Applicant as Independent Administrator, without bond, for an order authorizing him to sell property of the Estate without further Order of the Court, and for such other and further orders appropriate to this Estate.

Applicant prays that citation issue as required by law to all persons in this Estate including citation upon unknown heirs; that Letters granting Independent Administration without bond be issued to Applicant; that the Court declare AARON JOSEPH WERLEY as the only heir of the Decedent; and that all other Orders be entered as the Court may deem proper.


AARON JOSEPH WERLEY

Respectfully submitted,


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VERIFICATION

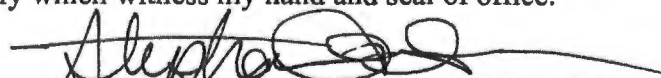
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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared AARON JOSEPH WERLEY, and who after being duly sworn, stated that: "Insofar as is known to me, all of the allegations of the foregoing Application are true in substance and in fact and are within my personal knowledge and that no material fact or circumstance has, within my knowledge, been omitted from the Application."


AARON JOSEPH WERLEY

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN TO BEFORE ME, by AARON JOSEPH WERLEY, on this the 18th day of May, 2023, to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.




Notary Public, State of Texas

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STEPHANIE ANDERSON
Paralegal, Notary by Federal Statute
Title 10 U.S.C. 1044a