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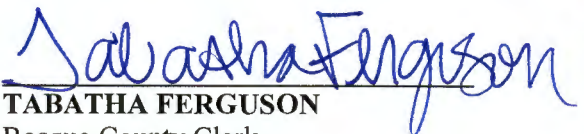
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF **SHELDON KYLE IVIE**, deceased, Docket No. **P08684** County Court at Law Bosque County, Texas, **ERIN CECILE MERCER IVIE** filed in the County Court at Law of Bosque County, Texas, on the **5th day of September, 2024** an **APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND ISSUANCE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY PURSUANT TO TEXAS ESTATES CODE 401.001**. 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 **16th day of September, 2024** 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.

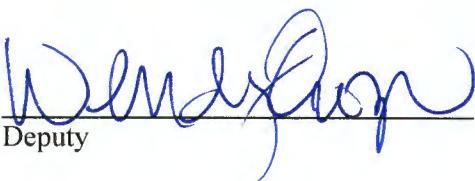
The officer executing this citation shall post the copy of the citation at the Courthouse Door of the county in which proceedings are pending, or at the place in or near said Courthouse where public notices customarily are posted, for not less than 10 days before the return day thereof, exclusive of 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 **5th day of September, 2024**.






TABATHA FERGUSON
Bosque County Clerk



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OFFICER'S RETURN ON CITATION

Came to hand on the 5th day of September, 2024, at
2 o'clock P M. and executed on the 5th day of September, 2024.
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 September 5th, 2024, through September 16th,
2024, inclusive.


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BOSQUE COUNTY, TEXAS

Printed name: Will Rivas

No. P08684

IN THE ESTATE OF § **IN THE COUNTY COURT AT LAW**
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SHELDON KYLE IVIE, § **OF**
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DECEASED § **BOSQUE COUNTY, TEXAS**

APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND FOR LETTERS TESTAMENTARY
PURSUANT TO TEXAS ESTATES CODE 401.001

Applicant: Erin Cecile Mercer Ivie

Decedent: Sheldon Kyle Ivie

Applicant files this application for an order admitting to probate the Last Will and Testament of Decedent, for the appointment of Erin Cecile Mercer Ivie as Independent Executor, and for issuance of letters testamentary, and would respectfully show unto the Court as follows:

Applicant

1. Applicant, ***ERIN CECILE MERCER IVIE***, the surviving spouse of Decedent and named Independent Executor in the Last Will and Testament of Decedent, is domiciled in Bosque County, and her address is 279 CR 1055, Meridian, Texas 76665. The last three digits of Applicant's Social Security number are 459 and the last three digits of her Texas driver's license are 222.

Domicile of Decedent and Age on Date of Death

2. Decedent, Sheldon Kyle Ivie, was domiciled at 279 CR 1055, Meridian, Bosque County, Texas 76665. On the date of his death, Decedent was 43 years old.

Date and Place of Death

3. Decedent died on August 14, 2024 at his home situated and located at 279 CR 1055 in Meridian, Bosque County, Texas.

Decedent's Identifying Information

4. The last three digits of Decedent's Social Security number are 803. Decedent's driver's license number is not known at this time.

Jurisdiction and Venue

5. This Court has jurisdiction over this matter and venue is proper because Decedent resided in this county and had a domicile or fixed place of residence in Texas.

Time Between Date of Death and Application

6. Four years have not elapsed since the date of Decedent's death and before the application.

Property

7. Decedent owned real and personal property having an aggregate probable value of at least \$50,000.00.

Details of Will

8. Decedent executed a valid, written Last Will and Testament on July 24, 2024, which was never revoked. The Will which is filed with this application, was made self-proved as provided by Section 251.104 of the Texas Estates Code. A copy of the Last Will and Testament is marked as Exhibit "A" and is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes. The original Last Will and Testament shall be personally hand delivered to the Clerk for filing.

Subscribing Witnesses to the Will

9. The subscribing witnesses to the Decedent's Will are Michael Brewer and Ron Capeheart.

Executor Facts

10. Decedent's Will names Erin Cecile Mercer Ivie, whose address is 279 CR 1055, Meridian, Bosque County, Texas 76665, to serve as independent executor without bond.

Qualification for Letters Testamentary

11. Erin Cecile Mercer Ivie has not been convicted of a felony and is not disqualified by law from accepting letters testamentary.

After-Born Children

12. No children were born to or adopted by Decedent after execution of the Will.

Marriage Dissolution After Execution of Will

13. No marriage of Decedent was ever dissolved.

Devisees Under Section 256.052, Texas Estates Code

14. Decedent's Will does not name the State of Texas, an agency of the state, or a charitable organization as a devisee.

Required Information

15. Pursuant to Section 256.052(b) of the Texas Estates Code, no information required for this application has been omitted.

Relief Requested

16. Applicant requests that citation issue to all persons having any interest in Decedent's estate as required by law, that Decedent's Will be admitted to probate, that Erin Cecile Mercer Ivie be appointed as Independent Executor and receive letters testamentary, 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 filing of an inventory, appraisal, and list of claims of such estate, or an affidavit in lieu of the inventory, and that this Court enter all other orders it deems proper.

Respectfully submitted,

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