

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
STATE OF FLORIDA IN AND FOR HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY**

**IN THE INTEREST OF:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Full Printed Name of Decedent**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date of Death**

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF VENUE**

\_\_\_\_\_ I hereby acknowledge that Hillsborough County, Florida is the legal and proper venue for the filing or depositing of the purported Last Will and Testament of the named Decedent and further attest that venue is established as Hillsborough County, Florida by the satisfaction of at least one of the following ordered criteria required under F.S. 733.101, as indicated:

\_\_\_\_\_ The Decedent was domiciled in Hillsborough County, Florida at the time of death.  
(Pursuant to F.S. 731.201(13), "Domicile" means a person's usual place of dwelling and shall be synonymous with residence.")

\_\_\_\_\_ The Decedent was not domiciled in the State of Florida at the time of death, but has property located in Hillsborough County, Florida.

\_\_\_\_\_ The Decedent was not domiciled in the State of Florida at the time of death and did not possess property in the State of Florida, but at least one debtor of the Decedent currently resides in Hillsborough County, Florida.

**OR**

\_\_\_\_\_ I cannot attest to the establishment of Hillsborough County, Florida as the proper venue for the filing or depositing of the purported Last Will and Testament of the Decedent.

I understand that if a Hillsborough County Circuit Court determines at a later time that venue is improper, then a court order will be required to release the Will.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

Signature of Depositor: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name of Depositor: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship of Depositor to the Decedent: \_\_\_\_\_

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