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DISTRICT COURT
_____ **COUNTY, NEVADA**

In the Matter of the Guardianship of the:

- Person
- Estate
- Person and Estate

of:

(name of person who has a guardian)
A Protected Person.

CASE NO.: _____

DEPT: _____

PETITION TO REMOVE GUARDIAN(S)

Petitioner, *(name of petitioner)* _____, respectfully represents to the Court as follows:

1. This Court previously appointed *(name of first guardian)* _____ and *(name of second guardian, or "n/a")* _____ as Guardian(s) of the above named protected person.

2. The name of the guardian(s) who should be removed is *(name of guardian(s) you would like removed)* _____.

This request for removal is based on the following: (**check all that apply**):

- The guardian is deceased and another person will apply to serve as a successor guardian;
- The guardian has become mentally incapacitated, unsuitable or otherwise incapable of exercising the authority and performing the duties of a guardian as provided by law;

- The guardian is no longer qualified to act as a guardian;
- The guardian has filed for bankruptcy within the previous 5 years;
- The guardian of the estate has mismanaged the estate of the Protected Person;
- The guardian has negligently failed to perform any duty as provided by law or by any order of the Court and:
 - (a) The negligence resulted in injury to the Protected Person or the estate of the Protected Person; or
 - (b) There is a substantial likelihood that the negligence would result in injury to the Protected Person or the estate of the Protected Person;
- The guardian has intentionally failed to perform any duty as provided by law or by any lawful order of the Court, regardless of injury;
- The best interests of the Protected Person will be served by the appointment of another person as guardian;
- The guardian is a private professional guardian who is no longer qualified as a private professional guardian;
- The guardian over an adult has violated a right of the Protected Person as set forth in NRS 159;
- The guardian over an adult has violated a Court order or committed an abuse of discretion regarding restricting access and/or communication with the Protected Person.

4. Provide any additional information the Court should know in making a determination for removal. Sufficient details must be provided to support all allegations. **Failure to provide adequate details may result in this petition being taken off calendar by the Court:** *(explain why the guardian should be removed)*

5. Based on the information contained in this Petition, Petitioner requests that the Court remove (*name of guardian(s)*) _____ as Guardian(s) of the above named Protected Person.
6. If the Court finds that the petitioner(s) did not file a petition for removal in good faith or to further the best interest of the protected person, the Court may *disallow* the petitioner(s) from petitioning the court for attorney's fees from the estate of the protected person, and *impose* sanctions on the petitioner(s) in the amount sufficient to reimburse the estate of the protected person for all or part of the expenses and for any other losses incurred by the estate of the protected person.

Petitioner respectfully requests that this Court remove the Guardian(s) of the above named Protected Person.

DATED this (*day*) _____ day of (*month*) _____, 20____.

(Signature)

(Printed Name)

VERIFICATION

I, (*name of petitioner*) _____, declare that I am the Petitioner in the within action; that I have read the foregoing Petition for Removal of Guardian(s) and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my knowledge except as to those matters therein stated upon information and belief and as to those matters, I believe them to be true.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the law of the State of Nevada that the foregoing is true and correct.

PETITIONER