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THE SUPERIOR NUMBER OF THE ROYAL COURT, in pursuance of Article 13 of the [Royal Court \(Jersey\) Law 1948](#) and of Article 32 of the [Probate \(Jersey\) Law 1998](#) and of all other powers enabling it in this behalf, has made the following Rules –

Commencement [[see endnotes](#)]

1 General definitions

- (1) In these Rules, unless the context otherwise requires –
- “abroad” means outside Jersey;
 - “Greffier” means the Judicial Greffier;
 - “Jersey resident lawyer” means –
 - (a) an advocate;
 - (b) a solicitor; or
 - (c) a lawyer who is resident in Jersey and qualified under the legal system of any of the jurisdictions specified for the purposes of Article 6(7);
 - “Law” means the [Probate \(Jersey\) Law 1998](#);
 - “personal applicant” means a person (including a trust corporation) who seeks to obtain a grant without employing an advocate or solicitor and “personal application” has a corresponding meaning;
 - “Schedule” means the Schedule to these Rules.
- (2) Any reference in these Rules to a numbered Article is a reference to that numbered Article of the Law.
- (3) Any reference in these Rules to any other enactment is a reference thereto as amended and includes a reference thereto as extended, by or under any other enactment.

2 Application, other than pursuant to Article 6(7), for probate through an advocate or solicitor

- (1) Where a person applies, other than pursuant to Article 6(7), for a grant of probate through the intermediary of an advocate or solicitor, the person and the advocate or solicitor shall together appear personally before the Greffier and shall produce to the Greffier –
 - (a) a certificate or other evidence of the death of the deceased;
 - (b) the will of the deceased dealing with movable estate in Jersey;
 - (c) the form of oath proposed to be sworn;
 - (d) such affidavits, renunciations, certificates, resolutions and other documents as the Greffier may require having regard to all the circumstances of the case; and
 - (e) the appropriate stamp duty in relation to the grant.
- (2) If the will of the deceased dealing with movable estate in Jersey has previously been proved abroad, the person applying for the grant shall, instead of producing such will to the Greffier, produce to the Greffier either a copy thereof and of the previous grant duly authenticated under seal by the official having the custody of the same or the equivalent thereof.
- (3) The oath proposed to be sworn shall be prepared by an advocate or solicitor and shall be in whichever is applicable of the forms numbered 1(1), 1(2), 1(3), 1(4), 2(1), 2(2), 2(3), 2(4), 3(1), 3(2), 4(1), 4(2), 5(1) or 5(2) set out in the Schedule, or in a form substantially to the like effect.
- (4) If the Greffier is satisfied that the case is one in which a grant may properly issue, the oath of executor shall be subscribed and sworn before the Greffier.
- (5) Every will shall be signed by the executor and by the Greffier.
- (6) The provisions of this Rule apply where the person applying for the grant is himself or herself an advocate or solicitor, but it shall not be necessary for the person to make the application through the intermediary of, or to be accompanied by, another advocate or solicitor.

3 Application, other than pursuant to Article 6(7) for a grant of administration through an advocate or solicitor

- (1) Where a person applies, other than pursuant to Article 6(7), for a grant of administration through the intermediary of an advocate or solicitor the person and the advocate or solicitor shall together appear personally before the Greffier and shall produce to the Greffier –
 - (a) a certificate or other evidence of the death of the deceased;
 - (b) the form of oath proposed to be sworn;
 - (c) such affidavits, renunciations, certificates, resolutions and other documents as the Greffier may require having regard to all the circumstances of the case; and
 - (d) the appropriate stamp duty in relation to the grant.

- (2) If the deceased died domiciled abroad and a grant of administration has previously been made abroad, the person applying for the grant shall also produce to the Greffier either the original letters of administration or the equivalent thereof, or either a copy thereof duly authenticated under seal by the official issuing the same or the equivalent thereof.
- (3) The oath proposed to be sworn shall be prepared by an advocate or solicitor and shall be in whichever is applicable of the forms numbered 6(1), 6(2), 6(3), 7(1), 7(2), 7(3), 7(4), 8(1), 8(2), 9(1) or 9(2) set out in the Schedule, or in a form substantially to the like effect.
- (4) If the Greffier is satisfied that the case is one in which a grant may properly issue, the oath of administrator shall be subscribed and sworn before the Greffier.
- (5) The provisions of this Rule shall apply where the person applying for the grant is himself or herself an advocate or solicitor, but it shall not be necessary for the person to make the application through the intermediary of, or to be accompanied by, another advocate or solicitor.

4 Personal applications, other than pursuant to Article 6(7), for a grant

- (1) Subject to the provisions of Rules 2(6) and 3(5) and paragraph (3) of this Rule, a person wishing to obtain a grant, other than pursuant to Article 6(7) and other than through the intermediary of an advocate or solicitor, shall apply in person to the Greffier and shall produce to the Greffier the documents referred to in Rule 2(1) and (2) or 3(1) and (2), as the case may be, except, subject to paragraph (4), the form of oath proposed to be sworn.
- (2) No such application shall be received through an agent of any kind (whether paid or unpaid) or where the applicant is attended by a person acting or appearing to act as the applicant's adviser in the matter.
- (3) An application for a grant in any case which has already been considered by the Inferior Number shall be made through the intermediary of an advocate or solicitor.
- (4) The form of oath relating to the application for the grant shall, unless the applicant shall agree to prepare the same, be prepared by the Greffier.
- (5) The Greffier may require the verification of the identity of an applicant in such form or manner as the Greffier may stipulate.

5 Application for a grant pursuant to Article 6(7)

- (1) An applicant for a grant pursuant to Article 6(7) may only apply through the intermediary of a Jersey resident lawyer or a trust corporation.
- (2) Where a person applies for a grant of probate pursuant to Article 6(7), the person through whom the application is made or, in the case of a trust corporation, a duly appointed representative of the trust corporation shall deliver to the Greffier –
 - (a)
 - (i) a copy of the will dealing with movable estate in Jersey and the original grant, or
 - (ii) copies of the said will and original grant duly authenticated under seal by the official having the custody of the same,

- or, in either case, the equivalent thereof;
- (b) the form of oath in whichever is applicable of the forms numbered 10(1) or 10(2) set out in the Schedule, or in a form substantially to the like effect duly sworn by the applicant; and
 - (c) the appropriate stamp duty in relation to the grant.
- (3) Where a person applies for a grant of administration pursuant to Article 6(7), the person through whom the application is made or, in the case of a trust corporation, a duly appointed representative of the trust corporation shall deliver to the Greffier –
- (a) the original letters of administration or a copy thereof duly authenticated under seal by the official issuing the same or the equivalent of either;
 - (b) the form of oath in whichever is applicable of the forms numbered 11(1) or 11(2) set out in the Schedule, or in a form substantially to the like effect duly sworn by the applicant; and
 - (c) the appropriate stamp duty in relation to the grant.
- (4) The grant may be issued by the Greffier in whichever is applicable of the forms numbered 12(1) or 12(2) set out in the Schedule hereto, or in a form substantially to the like effect.

6 Application pursuant to Article 6(11)

Where the Inferior Number forbids any further action by the Greffier under Article 6(10)(b) in relation to an application for a grant –

- (a) the Greffier shall, within one week from the date of the order of the Inferior Number, notify the person applying for the grant of the said order; and
- (b) any application under Article 6(11) shall be made by representation within 4 weeks from the date upon which the applicant is so notified.

7 Form of caveat

A caveat shall be in form number 13 set out in the Schedule, or in a form substantially to the like effect.

8 Procedure to lift a caveat

- (1) A summons to lift a caveat shall be –
 - (a) in form number 14 set out in the Schedule, or in a form substantially to the like effect; and
 - (b) supported by an accompanying affidavit verifying the facts on which the application is based.
- (2) An order made on the hearing of a summons under paragraph (1) may include an order for the payment of damages.

9 Affidavits

An affidavit for the purposes of these Rules which is not required to be sworn before the Greffier may be sworn before any person authorized to take oaths or affidavits or the equivalent thereof in the territory where it is made.

10 Attestation of documents

- (1) Any renunciation, disclaimer, certificate or other document required to be executed in the matter of a grant shall be attested –
 - (a) if executed in Jersey, by a Jersey resident lawyer, a Jurat of the Royal Court, a member of the States or a notary public; or
 - (b) if executed abroad, by a person who, under Article 3(2) of the [Powers of Attorney \(Jersey\) Law 1995](#), would be competent to attest the document if it were a registrable power of attorney.
- (2) Subject to paragraph (1) a body corporate may duly execute a document in the manner permitted by its Articles of Association or other internal regulations.

11 Application for authorization as a trust corporation

- (1) An application for authorization as a trust corporation shall be made to the Greffier in form number 15 set out in the Schedule, or in a form substantially to the like effect.
- (2) The Greffier shall exercise discretion in relation to any such application in accordance with directions made from time to time by the Superior Number of the Royal Court.

12 Application by a trust corporation

An application for a grant by a trust corporation shall be made through an officer duly appointed by the trust corporation for such purposes and upon the appointment of such an officer or the revocation of any such appointment the trust corporation shall lodge with the Greffier a certified copy of the resolution of appointment or revocation.

13 Procedure upon a reference to the Inferior Number by the Greffier pursuant to Article 13(2)

Where the Greffier refers an application for a grant to the Inferior Number pursuant to Article 13(2) –

- (a) the Greffier shall, within one week from making the said reference, notify the named executor and the Attorney General of the said reference and of the exceptional grounds upon which the reference has been made; and
- (b) the Inferior Number may convene the Attorney General as a party to the application.

14 Removal of executor or administrator pursuant to Article 17

- (1) An application for an order that an executor or administrator be removed from office shall be made by representation to the Inferior Number and the representation shall, where practicable, specify the name of the person proposed as executor or administrator in their place.
- (2) Where the Inferior Number makes an order removing an executor or administrator from office and making a grant to another person in their place, the oath to be sworn by that other person shall be made in whichever is applicable of the forms numbered 16 or 17 set out in the Schedule, or in a form substantially to the like effect.

15 Form of oath for second or subsequent grant

The oath for a second or subsequent grant shall be in whichever is applicable of the forms numbered 16, 17, 18(1) or 18(2) set out in the Schedule, or in a form substantially to the like effect.

16 Evidence prescribed for the purposes of Article 21

The prescribed evidence for the purposes of Article 21(2)(a) is –

- (a) where a previous grant of probate has been made –
 - (i) a copy of the will dealing with movable estate in Jersey and the grant, or
 - (ii) copies of the said will and grant duly authenticated under seal by the official having custody of the same,or, in either case, the equivalent thereof; or
- (b) where a previous grant of administration has been made, the grant or a copy thereof duly authenticated under seal by the official issuing the same or the equivalent of either.

17 Form of application for an order pursuant to Article 24

An application for an order that the executor or the administrator shall exhibit on oath in court a true and perfect inventory and account of the movable estate of the deceased person shall be made by summons in form number 19 set out in the Schedule, or in a form substantially to the like effect.

18 Form of application for an order pursuant to Article 25

An application for an order pursuant to Article 25 shall be made by representation to the Inferior Number and the representation shall contain sufficient information supported by affidavit to enable the Inferior Number to determine the parties (if any) who should be convened.

19 Form of disclaimer pursuant to Article 26(2)

A person beneficially entitled to an interest in the movable estate of a deceased person who wishes to disclaim that interest shall give notice in whichever is applicable of the forms numbered 20 or 21 set out in the Schedule, or in a form substantially to the like effect.

20 Deposit of and access to will and other documents

- (1) Any document under the control of the Court other than an original will shall be retained by the Greffier.
- (2) Access to any document under the control of the Court to which Article 27(3) does not apply shall be regulated at the discretion of the Court.

21 Documents to be drawn on A4 paper

All oaths, affirmations, affidavits, renunciations, resolutions, certificates and other documents required in the matter of a grant shall be drawn on A4 paper, unless the Greffier otherwise directs.

22 Form of renunciation

A renunciation by a person named as executor in the will or entitled to a grant of administration shall be made in whichever is applicable of the forms numbered 22 or 23 in the Schedule, or in a form substantially to the like effect.

23 Form of various affidavits

- (1) An affidavit in relation to Article 8 of the [Wills and Successions \(Jersey\) Law 1993](#) shall be in form number 24 set out in the Schedule, or in a form substantially to the like effect.
- (2) An affidavit of handwriting shall be in form number 25 set out in the Schedule, or in a form substantially to the like effect.
- (3) A corrective affidavit in relation to stamp duty payable shall be in form number 26 set out in the Schedule, or in a form substantially to the like effect.

24 Non-contentious business which may be transacted in chambers

- (1) In addition to the business with which the Greffier is expressly empowered to deal under the terms of the Law, the following non-contentious business may be transacted in chambers before the Greffier, namely the authorization of a trust corporation, in accordance with directions given by the Superior Number.
- (2) The following non-contentious business may be transacted in chambers before the Bailiff alone, namely the right given to the Inferior Number by Article 6(10)(b) to forbid any further action by the Greffier in relation to a particular matter.

25 Duplicate grants and copies

- (1) Duplicate grants shall be issued only to the grantee thereof or to the grantee's Jersey resident lawyer.
- (2) Copies of wills, with or without the acts of probate, may be issued to any person applying for the same.

26 Citation

These Rules may be cited as the Probate (General) Rules 1998.

SCHEDULE

FORM 1(1)

(Rule 2(3))

**OATH OF ONE EXECUTOR
JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF
(NEE) DECEASED

I,
of

make oath and say that I believe the paper writing hereto annexed and signed by me to contain the true and original last will and testament (and codicil(s)) of the said deceased of who died on the day of 19/20.... at, domiciled in Jersey, that I am the sole executor/one of the executors named in the said will (and codicil(s)), that I shall execute the said will (and codicil(s)) and well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office of executor and that the net value of the movable estate of the said deceased does not exceed £..... to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this day of20... .

Before me:

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 1(2)

(Rule 2(3))

**OATH OF ONE EXECUTOR
NOT JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF
(NEE) DECEASED

I, of
..... make
oath and say that I believe the paper writing hereto annexed and
signed by me to contain a duly authenticated copy of the last will
and testament (and codicil(s)) of the said deceased of
..... who died on theday
of 19/20..... at,
domiciled in, that I am the sole executor/one of
the executors named in the said will (and codicil(s)), (and that
probate was granted to me by
at on the
..... day of19/20....)
that I shall execute the said will (and codicil(s)) and well and
faithfully discharge the duties of the office of executor in Jersey
and that the net value of the movable estate of the said deceased
situate in Jersey does not exceed £..... to the
best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this day of20... .

Before me:

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 1(3)

(Rule 2(3))

**OATH OF SEVERAL EXECUTORS
JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF.....
(NEE).....DECEASED

We, of and
..... of
make oath and say that we believe the paper writing hereto
annexed and signed by us to contain the true and original last will
and testament (and codicil(s)) of the said deceased of
.....who died on
the.....19/20.....at,domiciled
in Jersey, that we are the only executors/some of the executors
named in the said will (and codicil(s)), that we shall execute the
said will (and codicil(s)) and well and faithfully discharge the
duties of the office of executor and that the net value of the
movable estate of the said deceased does not exceed £..... to the
best of our knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this.....day of20.... .

Before me:

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 1(4)

(Rule 2(3))

**OATH OF SEVERAL EXECUTORS
NOT JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF
(NEE) DECEASED

We,..... of
..... andof
..... make oath and say that we
believe the paper writing hereto annexed and signed by us to
contain a duly authenticated copy of the last will and testament
(and codicil(s)) of the said deceased of
..... who died
on the day of 19/20..... at
....., domiciled
in, that we are the only
executors/ some of the executors named in the said will (and
codicil(s)), (and that probate was granted to us by
..... on the
day of 20.....) that we shall execute the said
will (and codicil(s)) and well and faithfully discharge the duties of
the office of executor in Jersey and that the net value of the
movable estate of the said deceased situate in Jersey does not
exceed £..... to the best of our knowledge, information
and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this..... day of20.... .

Before me:

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 2(1)

(Rule 2(3))

**OATH OF ONE ATTORNEY EXECUTOR
JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF
(NEE) DECEASED

I,.....of
make oath and say that I believe the paper writing hereto annexed
and signed by me to contain the true and original last will and
testament (and codicil(s)) of the said deceased of
..... who died on the
..... day of19/20..... at
....., domiciled in Jersey, that by
special power of attorney dated the day of
..... 20..... I am the attorney of the sole
executor/the executors/one of the executors/some of the executors
named in the said will (and codicil(s)), that I shall execute the said
will (and codicil(s)) and well and faithfully discharge the duties of
the office of executor and that the net value of the movable estate
of the said deceased does not exceed £..... to the
best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this..... day of 20...

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 2(2)

(Rule 2(3))

**OATH OF ONE ATTORNEY EXECUTOR
NOT JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF
(NEE) DECEASED

I, of
..... make oath and say that I believe
the paper writing hereto annexed and signed by me to contain a
duly authenticated copy of the last will and testament (and
codicil(s)) of the said deceased of who died
on the day of 19/20..... at
....., domiciled in
....., that by special power of attorney dated the
..... day of 20.... I am the attorney of
the sole executor/the executors/one of the executors/some of the
executors named in the said will (and codicil(s)), (to whom probate
was granted by on the
..... day of 20.....),
that I shall execute the said will (and codicil(s)) and well and
faithfully discharge the duties of the office of executor in Jersey
and that the net value of the movable estate of the said deceased
situate in Jersey does not exceed £..... to the best of
my knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this..... day of 20...

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 2(3)

(Rule 2(3))

**OATH OF SEVERAL ATTORNEY EXECUTORS
JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
.....DECEASED

We,..... of
and of
make oath and say that we believe the paper writing hereto annexed
and signed by us to contain the true and original last will and
testament (and codicil(s)) of the said deceased of
..... who died on the day of
.....19/20..... at,
domiciled in Jersey, that by special power of attorney dated the
..... day of 20... we are some of the
attorneys of the sole executor/the executors/one of the
executors/some of the executors named in the said will (and
codicil(s)), that we shall execute the said will (and codicil(s)) and
well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office of executor and
that the net value of the movable estate of the said deceased does
not exceed £..... to the best of our knowledge,
information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this..... day of20...

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 2(4)

(Rule 2(3))

**OATH OF SEVERAL ATTORNEY EXECUTORS
NOT JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF.....
(NEE) DECEASED

We, of
and of
make oath and say that we believe the paper writing hereto
annexed and signed by us to contain a duly authenticated copy of
the last will and testament (and codicil(s)) of the said deceased
of..... who died on the
day of19/20... at domiciled
in, that by special power of attorney
dated the day of 20... we are some of
the attorneys of the sole executor/the executors/one of the
executors/some of the executors named in the said will (and
codicil(s)), (to whom probate was granted by on
the day of 20.....), that we shall
execute the said will (and codicil(s)) and well and faithfully
discharge the duties of the office of executor in Jersey and that the
net value of the movable estate of the said deceased situate in
Jersey does not exceed £..... to the best of our
knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this.....day of.....20.. .

Before me:

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 3(1)

(Rule 2(3))

**OATH AS EXECUTOR FOR A TRUST CORPORATION
JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF
(NEE) DECEASED

I,
Director/Manager/Trust Officer of
whose registered office is situate at
St. Helier, Jersey, make oath and say that I believe the paper writing
hereto annexed and signed by me to contain the true and original last
will and testament (and codicil(s)) of the said deceased of
....., who died on
the day of
..... 19/20..... at,
domiciled in Jersey, having in his/her said will appointed
..... Limited
(hereinafter referred to as “the Company”) executor, that the
Company by resolution dated the day
of.....19/20....., which is still in force, appointed me as
one of the persons authorized to apply on behalf of the Company for
Probate of the will of any deceased person who shall have appointed
the Company to be his/her executor, that the Company is a trust
corporation within the meaning of the [Probate \(Jersey\) Law 1998](#),
that the Company shall execute the said will (and codicil(s)) and well
and faithfully discharge the duties of the office of executor and that
the net value of the movable estate of the said deceased does not
exceed £..... to the best of my knowledge,
information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this..... day of.....20... .

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 3(2)

(Rule 2(3))

**OATH AS EXECUTOR FOR A TRUST CORPORATION
NOT JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF
(NEE).....DECEASED

I,,
Director/Manager/Trust Officer of, whose
registered office is situate at, St. Helier, Jersey, make oath
and say that I believe the paper writing hereto annexed and signed by me to
contain a duly authenticated copy of the last will and testament (and
codicil(s)) of the said deceased of, who
died on the day of 19/20....at,
domiciled in, having in his/her said will
appointed Limited (hereinafter referred to as
“the Company”) executor, that the Company by resolution dated the
.....day of20...., which is still
in force, appointed me as one of the persons authorized to apply on behalf of
the Company for Probate of the will of any deceased person who shall have
appointed the Company to be his/her executor, that the Company is a trust
corporation within the meaning of the [Probate \(Jersey\) Law 1998](#), that the
Company shall execute the said will (and codicil(s)) and well and faithfully
discharge the duties of the office of executor in Jersey and that the net value
of the movable estate of the said deceased situate in Jersey does not exceed
£..... to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this day of 20.... .

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 4(1)

(Rule 2(3))

**OATH AS ATTORNEY EXECUTOR FOR A TRUST
CORPORATION
JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I,,
Director/Manager/Trust Officer of,
whose registered office is situate at,
St. Helier, Jersey, make oath and say that I believe the paper
writing hereto annexed and signed by me to contain the true and
original last will and testament (and codicil(s)) of the said
deceased who died on the day of.....19/20....
at domiciled in Jersey, having in
his/her will (and codicil(s)) appointed as
the sole executor/one of the executors, that the said
..... (hereinafter
called “the Company”) is the attorney appointed by special power
of attorney dated theday of 20....
of the said, that the Company
by resolution dated the day of
..... 20 ..., which is still in force, appointed
me as one of the persons authorized to apply on behalf of the
Company for Probate in Jersey of the will of any deceased person
where an executor shall have appointed the Company as a special
attorney for that purpose, that the Company is a trust corporation
within the meaning of the [Probate \(Jersey\) Law 1998](#), that the
Company shall execute the will (and codicil(s)) and well and
faithfully discharge the duties of the office of executor and that the
net value of the movable estate of the said deceased does not
exceed £..... to the best of my knowledge,
information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this.....day of.....20

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 4(2)

(Rule 2(3))

**OATH AS ATTORNEY EXECUTOR FOR A TRUST CORPORATION
NOT JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF(NEE)
.....DECEASED

I,,
Director/Manager/Trust Officer of,
whose registered office is situate at St.
Helier, Jersey, make oath and say that I believe the paper writing
hereto annexed and signed by me to contain a duly authenticated
copy of the last will and testament (and codicil(s)) of the said
deceased who died on the day of
..... 19/20.....at.....,
domiciled in, having in his/her will (and
codicil(s)) appointed as the sole executor/one of the executors, that
the said (hereinafter called
“the Company”) is the attorney, appointed by special power of
attorney dated the day of 20....,
of the said, that the
Company by resolution dated the day of
.....20....., which is still in force, appointed me as one of
the persons authorized to apply on behalf of the Company for
Probate in Jersey of the will of any deceased person where an
executor shall have appointed the Company as a special attorney
for that purpose, that the Company is a trust corporation within the
meaning of the [Probate \(Jersey\) Law 1998](#), that the Company shall
execute the will (and codicil(s)) and well and faithfully discharge
the duties of the office of executor in Jersey and that the net value
of the movable estate of the said deceased situate in Jersey does not
exceed £..... to the best of my knowledge, information and
belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this..... day of 20.. .

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 5(1)

(Rule 2(3))

**OATH OF EXECUTOR DATIVE
JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
.....DECEASED

I, of
make oath and say that I believe the paper writing hereto annexed
and signed by me to contain the true and original last will and
testament (and codicil(s)) of the said deceased of
..... who died on the day of
.....19/20.. at,
domiciled in Jersey, that I am the executor dative of the said will
(and codicil(s)) there being no executor therein named/the
executor(s) therein named having predeceased the said
deceased/the executor(s) therein named having renounced
execution thereof, that I shall execute the said will (and codicil(s))
and well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office of
executor and that the net value of the movable estate of the said
deceased does not exceed £..... to the best of my
knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this..... day of20.... .

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 5(2)

(Rule 2(3))

**OATH OF EXECUTOR DATIVE
NOT JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF(NEE)
.....DECEASED

I,..... of
make oath and say that I believe the paper writing hereto annexed
and signed by me to contain a duly authenticated copy of the last
will and testament (and codicil(s)) of the said deceased
of....., who died on the day
of.....19/20.....at,
domiciled in,that I am the executor
dative of the said will (and codicil(s)) there being no executor
therein named/the executor(s) therein named having predeceased
the said deceased/the executor(s) therein named having renounced
execution thereof, that I shall execute the said will (and codicil(s))
and well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office of
executor in Jersey and that the net value of the movable estate of
the said deceased situate in Jersey does not exceed
£..... to the best of my knowledge, information and
belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this..... day of
.....20.. .

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 6(1)

(Rule 3(3))

**OATH FOR ADMINISTRATION OF PERSON ENTITLED JERSEY
DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
.....DECEASED

I,..... of
make oath and say that the said deceased of
....., died intestate on
the..... day of, 20...., at,
domiciled in Jersey, that I am the person entitled to the grant of
administration being, that I shall
administer according to law all the movable estate of the said
deceased and that the net value of the movable estate of the said
deceased does not exceed £..... to the best of my
knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this..... day of20

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 6(2)

(Rule 3(3))

**OATH FOR ADMINISTRATION OF PERSON ENTITLED
NOT JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I,.....of
make oath and say that the said deceased of
..... died intestate on the day of
....., 20....., at....., domiciled in
....., that I am the person entitled to the
grant of administration being/ the person to
whom letters of administration/confirmation have/has been granted
by at, that I
shall administer according to law all the movable estate of the said
deceased in Jersey and that the net value of the movable estate of
the said deceased situate in Jersey does not exceed
£..... to the best of my knowledge, information and
belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this..... day of20

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 6(3)

(Rule 3(3))

**OATH FOR ADMINISTRATION OF PERSONS ENTITLED
NOT JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF(NEE)
.....DECEASED

We, of
and..... of make
oath and say that the said deceased of
..... died intestate on
the day of19/20...
at....., domiciled in, that we are the
persons entitled to the grant of administration being
...../the persons to whom letters of
administration/confirmation have/has been granted by
..... at
....., that we shall administer according to
law all the movable estate of the said deceased in Jersey and that
the net value of the movable estate of the said deceased situate in
Jersey does not exceed £..... to the best of our
knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this day of 20.... .

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 7(1)

(Rule 3(3))

**OATH OF ONE ATTORNEY ADMINISTRATOR
JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I, of
..... make oath and say that
the said deceased of died
intestate on the..... day of19/20...
at, domiciled in Jersey, that by
special power of attorney dated the day of
..... 20 ... I am the attorney/one of the attorneys
of of
..... the person entitled to the
grant of administration being, that
I shall administer according to law all the movable estate of the
said deceased and that the net value of the movable estate of the
said deceased does not exceed £ to the best of my
knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this day of 20... .

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 7(2)

(Rule 3(3))

**OATH OF ONE ATTORNEY ADMINISTRATOR
NOT JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I, of
..... make oath and say that
the said deceased of died intestate on the
..... day of 19/20.. at,
domiciled in, that by special power of
attorney dated the day of 20.. I am
the attorney/one of the attorneys of..... of
..... the person/persons entitled to the
grant of administration/to whom letters of
administration/confirmation have/has been granted by
..... at, that I
shall administer according to law all the movable estate in Jersey of
the said deceased and that the net value of the movable estate of the
said deceased situate in the Island of Jersey does not exceed
£..... to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this day of 20... .

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 7(3)

(Rule 3(3))

**OATH OF SEVERAL ATTORNEY ADMINISTRATORS
JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF(NEE)
..... DECEASED

We, of
..... and
of make oath and say that the said
deceased of
died intestate on the day of19/20...
at, domiciled in Jersey, that by special power
of attorney dated the day of 20 ...
we are (some of) the attorneys of, the
person entitled to the grant of administration being
....., that we shall administer
according to law all the movable estate of the said deceased and
that the net value of the movable estate of the said deceased does
not exceed £..... to the best of our knowledge, information
and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this day of..... 20....

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 7(4)

(Rule 3(3))

**OATH OF SEVERAL ATTORNEY ADMINISTRATORS
NOT JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

We, of
..... and of
..... make oath and say that the said
deceased of..... died intestate on the.....
day of.....19/20., domiciled in, that
by special power of attorney dated the day of
..... 20... we are (some of) the attorneys of
..... the person/persons entitled
to the grant of administration/to whom letters of administration/
confirmation have/has been granted by
at, that we shall administer according to
law all the movable estate of the said deceased in Jersey and that
the net value of the movable estate of the said deceased situate in
the Island of Jersey does not exceed £..... to the best of
our knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this day of 20.... .

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 8(1)

(Rule 3(3))

**OATH AS ATTORNEY ADMINISTRATOR FOR A TRUST
CORPORATION
JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I,....., Director/Manager/Trust
Officer of, whose registered office is
situate at, St. Helier, Jersey, make
oath and say that the said deceased of died
intestate on the..... day of19/20.... at
....., domiciled in
Jersey, that of is the
person entitled to the grant of administration, that the said
....., (hereinafter referred to as “the
Company”) is the attorney appointed by special power of attorney
dated the day of 20... of the said
....., that the Company by
resolution dated the day of
..... 20..., which is still in force, appointed me as
one of the persons authorized to apply on behalf of the Company
for letters of administration in Jersey of the estate of any deceased
person where the person entitled to the grant of administration shall
have appointed the Company as a special attorney for that purpose,
that the Company is a trust corporation within the meaning of the
[Probate \(Jersey\) Law 1998](#), that the Company shall administer
according to law all the movable estate of the said deceased and
that the net value of the movable estate of the said deceased does
not exceed £..... to the best of my knowledge,
information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this day of 20

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 8(2)

(Rule 3(3))

**OATH AS ATTORNEY ADMINISTRATOR FOR A TRUST CORPORATION
NOT JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I,....., Director/Manager/Trust Officer of whose registered office is situate at, St. Helier, Jersey, make oath and say that the said deceased of, died intestate on the day of19/20... at, domiciled in....., that of is the person/are the persons entitled to the grant of administration/to whom letters of administration/confirmation have/has been granted by of, that the said (hereinafter referred to as “the Company”) is the attorney appointed by special power of attorney dated the day of 20... of the said administrator(s) aforesaid, that the Company by resolution dated the day of 20..., which is still in force, appointed me as one of the persons authorized to apply on behalf of the Company for letters of administration in Jersey of the estate of any deceased person where the administrator shall have appointed the Company as a special attorney for that purpose, that the Company is a trust corporation within the meaning of the [Probate \(Jersey\) Law 1998](#), that the Company shall administer according to law all the movable estate of the said deceased situate in Jersey and that the net value of the movable estate of the said deceased situate in Jersey does not exceed £..... to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, thisday of 20... .

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 9(1)

(Rule 3(3))

**OATH FOR ADMINISTRATION BY NOMINEE
JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I,
of make oath and say that
the said deceased of died
intestate on the day of19/20... at
....., domiciled in Jersey, that the
person entitled to the grant of administration has renounced
administration of the movable estate of the said deceased/is
unknown/despite extensive enquiries has not been located, that I
have been nominated to take the grant of administration, that I shall
administer according to law all the movable estate of the said
deceased and that the net value of the movable estate of the said
deceased does not exceed £..... to the best of my
knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this day of 20... .

Before me:

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 9(2)

(Rule 3(3))

**OATH FOR ADMINISTRATION BY NOMINEE
NOT JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I,
of make oath and say that
the said deceased of
died intestate on the day of19/20....
at, domiciled in
....., that the person entitled to the
grant of administration has renounced administration of the
movable estate of the said deceased/is unknown/despise extensive
enquiries has not been located, that I have been nominated to take
the grant of administration, that I shall administer according to law
all the movable estate in Jersey of the said intestate and that the net
value of the movable estate of the said deceased situate in the
Island of Jersey does not exceed £..... to the best of my
knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this day of 20... .

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 10(1)

(Rule 5(2))

ARTICLE 6(7) OATH OF ONE EXECUTOR

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I,
of make oath and say that
the paper writing hereto annexed is a duly authenticated copy of
the last will and testament (with codicil(s)) of the said deceased of
..... who died on the
..... day of19/20... at,
domiciled in [state the specified jurisdiction], that I am the sole
executor/one of the executors named in the said will (and
codicil(s)), that I shall execute the said will (and codicil(s)) and
well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office of executor in
Jersey and that the net value of the movable estate of the said
deceased situate in the Island of Jersey does not exceed
£..... to the best of my knowledge, information
and belief.

Sworn at this day of 20... .

Before me

(Competent witness in accordance with Rule 10 of the Probate
(General) Rules 1998.)

FORM 10(2)

(Rule 5(2))

ARTICLE 6(7) OATH OF SEVERAL EXECUTORS

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

We,
of and of
..... make oath and say that the
paper writing hereto annexed is a duly authenticated copy of the
last will and testament (with codicil(s)) of the said deceased of
..... who died on the day
of19/20... at,
domiciled in [state the specified jurisdiction], that we are the only
executors/some of the executors named in the said will (and
codicil(s)), that we shall execute the said will (and codicil(s)) and
well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office of executor in
Jersey and that the net value of the movable estate of the said
deceased situate in the Island of Jersey does not exceed
£..... to the best of our knowledge, information and
belief.

Sworn at..... this..... day of..... 20... .

Before me

(Competent witness in accordance with Rule 10 of the Probate
(General) Rules 1998.)

FORM 11(1)

(Rule 5(3))

ARTICLE 6(7) OATH OF ONE ADMINISTRATOR

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I,
of make oath and
say that the paper writing hereto annexed are (a duly authenticated
copy of) the original Letters of Administration/Confirmation of the
said deceased of who died on the
..... day of.....19/20.. at,
domiciled in [state the specified jurisdiction], that I am the person
to whom letters of administration/confirmation were/was granted
by at, that I shall
administer according to law all the movable estate of the said
deceased situate in the Island of Jersey and that the net value of the
movable estate of the said deceased situate in Jersey does not
exceed £..... to the best of my knowledge, information
and belief.

Sworn at this day of 20....

Before me

(Competent witness in accordance with Rule 10 of the Probate
(General) Rules 1998.)

FORM 11(2)

(Rule 5(3))

ARTICLE 6(7) OATH OF SEVERAL ADMINISTRATORS

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
 PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
 DECEASED

We, of
 and of make
 oath and say that the paper writing hereto annexed are (a duly
 authenticated copy of) the original Letters of Administration/
 Confirmation of the said deceased of who died on
 the day of19/20..... at
, domiciled in [state the specified
 jurisdiction], that we are the persons to whom Letters of
 Administration/Confirmation were/was granted by
, at that we shall
 administer according to law all the movable estate of the said
 deceased situate in the Island of Jersey and that the net value of the
 movable estate of the said deceased situate in Jersey does not
 exceed £..... to the best of our knowledge, information and
 belief.

Sworn at this..... day of 20... .

Before me

(Competent witness in accordance with Rule 10 of the Probate
 (General) Rules 1998.)

FORM 12(1)

(Rule 5(4))

GREFFIER’S CERTIFICATE OF GRANT OF PROBATE

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I HEREBY CERTIFY that, the requirements of Rule 5 of the Probate (General) Rules 1998, having been complied with, a Grant of Probate of the movable estate situate in Jersey of the said deceased has hereby been made to of

Dated this day of 20.... .

Judicial Greffier.

THIS DOCUMENT ONLY VALID IF BEARING IMPRESSED PROBATE DIVISION SEAL OF THE ROYAL COURT AND ORIGINAL SIGNATURE

FORM 12(2)

(Rule 5(4))

**GREFFIER’S CERTIFICATE OF GRANT OF LETTERS OF
ADMINISTRATION**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF..... (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I HEREBY CERTIFY that, the requirements of Rule 5 of the Probate (General) Rules 1998, having been complied with, a Grant of Letters of Administration of the movable estate situate in Jersey of the said deceased has hereby been made to of

Dated this day of 20....

Judicial Greffier.

**THIS DOCUMENT ONLY VALID IF BEARING IMPRESSED PROBATE
DIVISION SEAL OF THE ROYAL COURT AND ORIGINAL SIGNATURE**

FORM 13

(Rule 7)

CAVEAT

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

Let no grant be made in the estate of the said deceased of
..... who died on the day of
.....19/20.... domiciled in, without
notice to..... who is of
the deceased and whose address for service in Jersey is
.....

Dated this day of 20....

Signed

FORM 14

(Rule 8(1))

FORM OF SUMMONS TO LIFT A CAVEAT

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

To A.B. of (address for service)

You are required at the instance of
of to appear in the Royal Court,
Royal Square, St. Helier, on (day of the
week), the day of 20.....
at o'clock in the afternoon to show cause why the caveat
lodged with the Judicial Greffier on the day of
..... 20... in relation to this estate should not be lifted
on the ground(s) that

..... (and an
order for damages should not be made against you).

If you do not appear, the said caveat may be lifted and the Royal
Court may make such other order as the circumstances of the case
may require, including an order against you for (damages and)
costs in your absence.

(Signed)

Advocate/Solicitor

Dated the day of 20... .

FORM 15

(Rule 11(1))

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION AS A TRUST CORPORATION

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

The incorporated association/limited liability company known as of/whose registered office is situate at , hereby requests the Judicial Greffier to grant it authorization as a trust corporation upon the following ground(s).....
.....
.....
.....

The current officers/directors of the association/company are of ,
..... of
and of

(Signed)

Advocate/Solicitor

Dated the day of 20... .

FORM 16

(Rules 14(2) and 15)

**OATH OF EXECUTOR TO COMPLETE EXECUTION
JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I, of
..... make oath and say that the
said deceased of
died on the day of19/20.... at
....., domiciled in Jersey, having
made his/her last will and testament dated the day of
..... 20... (with codicil(s) dated the day of
....., 20...), that on the day of
..... 20... probate of the said will (and codicil(s)) was
granted to one of the executors/the sole
executor named in the said will (with codicil(s)), that the said
executor died/was removed from office as executor by order of the
Royal Court on the day of 20... without
having completed execution of the said will (and codicil(s)), that I
(am the person entitled to take the grant in place of the said
executor and) have been appointed as executor dative of the will
(and codicil(s)) of the said deceased, in place of the executor, that I
shall execute the said will (and codicil(s)) and well and faithfully
discharge the duties of the office of executor and that the net value
of the movable estate of the said deceased left unadministered does
not exceed £..... to the best of my knowledge, information
and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this day of 20... .

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 17

(Rule 14(2) and 15)

**OATH TO COMPLETE ADMINISTRATION
JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I, of
..... make oath and say, that
the said deceased of died
intestate on the day of19/ 20.... at
....., domiciled in Jersey, that on the
..... day of 20... letters of
administration of all the movable estate were granted to
..... by the Probate Division of the
Royal Court of Jersey, that the said
died/was removed from office as administrator by order of the
Royal Court on the day of 20... leaving
part of the said movable estate of the said deceased
unadministered, that I (am the person entitled to take the grant in
place of the said being
and) have been appointed to administer the unadministered portion
of the said movable estate of the said deceased instead of the said
....., that I shall administer according to law all
the unadministered portion of the said movable estate of the said
deceased and that the net value of the movable estate left
unadministered does not exceed £..... to the best of my
knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this day of
..... 20.....

Before me

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 18(1)

(Rule 15)

**OATH OF SECOND EXECUTOR
JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I,
of make oath and
say that the said deceased died on the day of
.....19/20.... at,
domiciled in Jersey, having made his/her last will and testament
dated the day of
..... 20.... (with codicil(s) dated the
..... day of 20.....), that on
the day of 20.....
Probate of the said will (and codicil(s)) was granted to
..... one/some of the executors
named in the said will (and codicil(s)), that I am one of the
executors/the second executor named in the said will (and
codicil(s)), that I shall execute the said will (and codicil(s)) and
well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office of executor
and that the net value of the movable estate of the said deceased
does not exceed £..... to the best of my knowledge, information
and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this..... day of..... 20.... .

Before me:

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 18(2)

(Rule 15)

**OATH OF ADDITIONAL EXECUTORS
JERSEY DOMICILE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED.

We, of
and of
make oath and say that the said deceased died on the
day of.....19/20..... at,
domiciled in Jersey, having made his/her last will and testament
dated the day of 20... (with
codicil(s)) dated the day of 20...),
that on the day of 20...
Probate of the said will (and codicil(s)) was granted to
.....one/some of the executors
named in the said will (and codicil(s)), that we are some of the
executors/the other executors named in the said will (and
codicil(s)), that we shall execute the said will (and codicil(s)) and
well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office of executor
and that the net value of the movable estate of the said deceased
does not exceed £..... to the best of our
knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn at St. Helier, this day of 20... .

Before me:

Judicial Greffier.

FORM 19

(Rule 17)

**FORM OF APPLICATION FOR AN INVENTORY AND ACCOUNT
TO BE EXHIBITED**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

To A.B. of
.....(address)

You are required at the instance of
of to appear in the Royal Court,
Royal Square, St. Helier, on (day of the week), the
..... day of 20.... at
o'clock in the afternoon to show cause why the Royal Court should
not order that you exhibit on oath a true and perfect inventory and
account of the movable estate of the said deceased within such time
period as the Royal Court shall determine on the ground(s) that
.....
.....
.....
.....

If you do not appear, the said order together with an order for costs
may be made against you in your absence.

(Signed)

Advocate/Solicitor

Dated the day of 20.... .

FORM 20

(Rule 19)

**DISCLAIMER OF AN INTEREST IN AN ESTATE
GRANT OF PROBATE**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF NEE
..... DECEASED WHEREAS by the
deceased's last will and testament dated the day of
..... 20... the said deceased bequeathed to me
.....;

WHEREAS on the day of
..... 20..... probate of the said will was granted by
.....
to

AND WHEREAS the said interest in the said estate has not been
distributed to me by the said and I
wish to disclaim the same;

NOW I, of
hereby irrevocably disclaim and renounce my said interest in the
said estate.

Signed by the said at
..... on the..... day of 20... .

Before me

(Competent witness in accordance with Rule 10 of the Probate
(General) Rules 1998.)

FORM 21

(Rule 19)

**DISCLAIMER OF AN INTEREST IN AN ESTATE
GRANT OF ADMINISTRATION**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF
(NEE).....DECEASED

WHEREAS the said deceased has died intestate as to movable estate;

WHEREAS on the day of 20...
letters of administration in relation to the said estate were granted
by to

WHEREAS I am
of the said deceased and entitled to
..... of the said estate;

AND WHEREAS the said interest in the said estate has not been
distributed to me by the said and
I wish to disclaim the same;

NOW I, of
hereby irrevocably disclaim and renounce my said interest in the
said estate.

Signed by the said at
on the day of 20... .

Before me

(Competent witness in accordance with Rule 10 of the
Probate (General) Rules 1998.)

FORM 22

(Rule 22)

RENUNCIATION BY AN EXECUTOR

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
 PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
 DECEASED

WHEREAS by the deceased’s last will and testament dated the
 day of 20... the said
 deceased of appointed me
 Executor/one of the Executors thereof;

WHEREAS the said deceased died on the day of
19/20... without revoking the said will;

AND WHEREAS I have not intermeddled in the estate of the
 deceased and am not desirous of undertaking the execution of the
 said will;

NOW I do hereby
 renounce the said office of Executor of the said will.

Signed by the said at on
 the day. of 20... .

Before me

(Competent witness in accordance with Rule 10 of the Probate
 (General) Rules 1998.)

FORM 23

(Rule 22)

**RENUNCIATION BY THE PERSON ENTITLED TO
THE GRANT OF ADMINISTRATION**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

WHEREAS the said deceased of
..... died intestate
on the..... day of19/20....
at, domiciled in Jersey

WHEREAS it is necessary that letters of administration should be
taken out in the Probate Division of the Royal Court in order to
settle the movable estate of the said deceased;

WHEREAS I, of
..... am the person entitled to the grant of
administration;

AND WHEREAS I have no wish to administer the estate of the
said deceased;

NOW I DO HEREBY DECLARE that I have not intermeddled in
the estate of the said deceased and do formally renounce my right
to obtain letters of administration (in favour of
..... of).

Signed by the said at
..... this day of 20....

Before me

(Competent witness in accordance with Rule 10 of the Probate
(General) Rules 1998.)

FORM 24

(Rule 23(1))

**AFFIDAVIT IN RELATION TO ARTICLE 8 OF THE WILLS AND
SUCCESSIONS (JERSEY) LAW 1993**

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
..... DECEASED

I,
of Jersey, Channel Islands, make
oath and say –

(1) That I know and am well acquainted with
.....of
..... Jersey, aforesaid.

(2) That spouse of
the said died intestate on the day
of19/20..... domiciled in Jersey.

(3) That throughout the duration of my acquaintance with
..... and to the time of the
death of the spouses had
resided together and I believe that the terms of Article 8 of the
[Wills and Successions \(Jersey\) Law 1993](#), do not apply.

Sworn at....., Jersey, by the
said..... this day of
..... 20.... .

Before me

Advocate/Solicitor of the Royal Court

Jurat of the Royal Court

Notary Public

FORM 25

(Rule 23(2))

AFFIDAVIT OF HANDWRITING

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
 PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
 DECEASED

I,
 of in the
 Parish of, Island of Jersey make oath
 and say –

(1) That I knew and was well acquainted with the said deceased of
, for several years before and
 to the time of his/her death;

(2) That during such period I have frequently seen him/her write
 and also subscribe his/her name to documents whereby I have
 become well acquainted with his/her handwriting;

(3) That there is now produced to me and marked “A” a document
 purporting to be a copy of the holograph will/codicil of the said
 deceased, bearing date the day of
 20..... and being subscribed thus

“.....”;
 and

(4) That I believe the whole of the said will/codicil, together with
 signature “.....” subscribed thereto
 as aforesaid to be in the true and proper handwriting of the said
 deceased.

Sworn at, Jersey, by the said
 this day of 20.... .

Before me

Jurat of the Royal Court

Notary public

Advocate/Solicitor of the Royal Court

FORM 26

(Rule 23(3))

CORRECTIVE AFFIDAVIT

IN THE ROYAL COURT OF JERSEY
 PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (NEE)
 DECEASED

I,
 of make oath and say –

- (a) that on the day of
 20.... letters of administration of the
 movable estate/probate of the will of the said deceased
 of who died domiciled in
, were/was granted to me by
 the Royal Court of Jersey (Probate Division);
- (b) that the net value of the movable estate of the said
 deceased (situate in Jersey) was then sworn not to
 exceed £.....;
- (c) that I have since discovered that the net value of the
 said movable estate (situate in Jersey) exceeds/is less
 than that amount, and that the true net value thereof
 does not exceed £..... .

SWORN at Jersey by the said
 this day of 20.... .

Before me

Jurat

Advocate or Solicitor of the Royal Court

Judicial Greffier

or Notary Public

ENDNOTES

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