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Form #1:

Nomination of Guardian

Instructions: You and your child(ren)'s other parent should both complete individual forms, listing the same guardians. Store this completed form in a secure location where authorities can find it should it be needed. **Note that you should not store your forms in a safe deposit box.** You can elect to send copies of these forms to your potential guardians, though I recommend against this as your alternate guardians might be hurt to discover they are your second or third choice. Rather, send *Form #2* to each potential guardian, including alternate guardians.

For additional copies of this form, or if you prefer completing forms on a computer, refer to the disk included in your Kit. Note that you will be unable to save electronic files without a full version of Adobe Acrobat®. However, you can print hard copies for your use.

If you have a Will, or if you are planning to execute a Will, make sure that your Will specifies that you have executed a Nomination of Guardian in a separate writing and that your Will does not supersede your Nomination of Guardian.

Attention residents of Vermont and New Hampshire: You must have three witnesses sign your forms. Please add an additional witness block (witness signature, witness name printed, and witness address, city, state, and ZIP code) and have a third witness witness your signature. **If you are a resident of Louisiana,** you must have your forms notarized. Please sign them in front of a notary and ask the notary to attach a certificate of notarization



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[1st choice guardian(s) with any applicable contingencies] , to serve as guardian(s).

Alternate Guardian of Person

If the above-nominated guardian(s) is/are unwilling or unable to serve or continue as guardian of the Person of my minor child(ren), then I nominate the following individuals to serve as guardians listed in preferred order and not serving jointly unless so specifically noted:

[2nd choice guardian(s) with any applicable contingencies]

[3rd choice guardian(s) with any applicable contingencies]

[4th choice guardian(s) with any applicable contingencies]

Any guardian(s) designated in this document shall serve without bond in any jurisdiction.

[Sign here]

_____, Testator
[Print your name]

[Your address]

[Your city, state, ZIP]

Dated: _____
[Today's date]



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On the date written above, we, the undersigned, each being present at the same time, witnessed the signing of this instrument by _____[Your name].
At that time, _____[Your name] appeared to us to be of sound mind and memory and, to the best of our knowledge, was not acting under fraud, duress, menace, or undue influence. Understanding this instrument, which consists of one page, including the page on which the signature of _____[Your name] and our signatures appear, to be a nomination of guardian by _____[Your name], we subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

We declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of _____[Your state] that the foregoing is true and correct, and that we executed this declaration on _____[Today's date], in _____[Your city and state].

[Witness #1 sign here] _____, Witness

[Witness #1 name printed]

[Witness #1 address]

[Witness #1 city, state, ZIP]

[Witness #2 sign here] _____, Witness

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[Witness #1 address]

[Witness #1 city, state, ZIP]

[Witness #2 sign here] _____, Witness

[Witness #2 name printed]

[Witness #2 address]

[Witness #2 city, state, ZIP]