

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR _____ COUNTY,
FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION

IN RE: ESTATE OF

File No. _____

Division _____

Deceased.

PETITION TO OPEN SAFE DEPOSIT BOX

Petitioner, _____, alleges:

1. Petitioner has an interest in the above estate as _____

_____. Petitioner's address is

_____ and the name and address of petitioner's attorney are set forth at
the end of this petition.

2. Decedent, _____, whose last
known address was _____, and, if known, whose age
was _____ and whose social security number is _____, died on _____,
_____ at _____, and on the date of death decedent was domiciled in
_____ County, Florida.

3. The decedent was the lessee of a safe deposit box (No. _____) leased to the
decedent by _____, as lessor.

4. Petitioner is informed and believes that the decedent may have left in the safe deposit box:

- (a) A will or codicil of the decedent, or a writing described in Section 732.515 of the Florida Probate Code.
- (b) A deed to a burial plot.
- (c) A writing giving burial instructions.
- (d) Insurance policies on the life of the decedent.

Petitioner requests that an order be entered authorizing petitioner, in the presence of an officer of the lessor, to open and examine the contents of the safe deposit box leased by the decedent and directing the lessor to deliver:

- (a) To the court having probate jurisdiction in the county where the lessor is located, any writing purporting to be a will or codicil of the decedent and any writing purporting to identify devises of tangible property.
- (b) To petitioner, any writing purporting to be a deed to a burial plot or to give burial instructions.
- (c) To the beneficiary named therein, any document purporting to be an insurance policy on the life of the decedent.

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing, and the facts alleged are true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed on _____

Petitioner

Attorney for Petitioner

Florida Bar No. _____

(address)

Telephone: _____

[Print or Type Names Under All Signature Lines]

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ORDER TO OPEN SAFE DEPOSIT BOX

On the petition of _____ for an order to
open safe deposit box number _____ leased to _____, deceased, by
_____, as lessor, the court finding that
satisfactory proof of the death of the decedent has been presented, and that petitioner is entitled to the
benefits of Section 655.935 of the Florida Statutes, it is

ADJUDGED that _____, the lessor, is
authorized to allow petitioner to open and examine the contents of the safe deposit box leased to the
decedent by the lessor, in the presence of an officer of the lessor, and the lessor is directed to deliver:

1. To the court having probate jurisdiction in the county where the lessor is located, any writing purporting to be a will or codicil of the decedent, and any writing purporting to identify devises of tangible property.
2. To petitioner, any writing purporting to be a deed to a burial plot or to give burial instructions.
3. To the beneficiary named therein, any document purporting to be an insurance policy on the life of the decedent.
4. No other contents shall be removed pursuant to this order.

Signed on _____

Circuit Judge