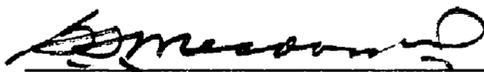


I, Gilcin F. Meadors, M. D., hereby certify that I am a medical doctor practising in the State of Maryland and have so practised for more than the last five years; that I attended and examined Florence K. West on the 26th day of February, 1968, and I hereby certify that the said Florence K. West is, in my opinion, incompetent by reason of her mental disability to manage her property and estate and that the cause of incompetency is Chronic Brain Syndrome

and the nature of incompetency is old brain injury, arteriosclerotic disease of cerebral vessels

and the extent of the incompetency is complete

and the probable duration of the said incompetency is permanent


Gilcin F. Meadors, M. D.

STATE OF MARYLAND, FREDERICK COUNTY, TO WIT:

I hereby certify that on this 1st day of March, 1968, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public of the State of Maryland, in and for the County aforesaid, personally appeared Gilcin F. Meadors, M. D., and made oath in due form of law that the matters and things contained in the above affidavit are true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Witness my hand and Notarial Seal.


Katherine S. Price
Notary Public

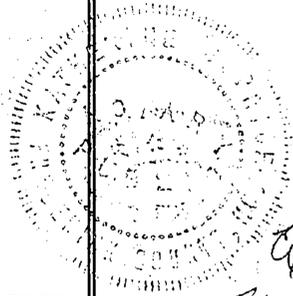


Exhibit
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Exhibit A

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