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This section referred to in construing sec. 60. *In re Rickell's Estate*, 158 Md. 659.

1929, ch. 74, sec. 56F.

**65.** Where a petition is filed for the appointment of a guardian of a mentally incompetent ward a certificate of the Director, or his representative, setting forth the fact that such person has been rated incompetent by the Bureau on examination in accordance with the laws and regulations governing such Bureau; and that the appointment of a guardian is a condition precedent to the payment of any moneys due such person by the Bureau, shall be *prima facie* evidence of the necessity for such appointment.

This section referred to in construing sec. 60. *In re Rickell's Estate*, 158 Md. 659.

1929, ch. 74, sec. 56G.

**66.** Upon the filing of a petition for the appointment of a guardian, under the provisions of this sub-title, the court shall cause such notice to be given as provided by law.

This section referred to in construing sec. 60. *In re Rickell's Estate*, 158 Md. 659.

1929, ch. 74, sec. 56H.

**67.** Before making an appointment under the provisions of this sub-title the court shall be satisfied that the guardian whose appointment is sought is a fit and proper person to be appointed. Upon the appointment being made the guardian shall execute and file a bond to be approved by the court in an amount not less than the sum then due and estimated to become payable during the ensuing year. The said bond shall be in the form and be conditioned as required of guardians appointed under the guardianship laws of this State. The court shall have power from time to time to require the guardian to file an additional bond.

Where a bond is tendered by a guardian with personal sureties, such sureties shall file with the court a certificate under oath which shall describe the property owned, both real and personal, and that they are each worth the sum named in the bond as the penalty thereof over and above their debts and liabilities and exclusive of property exempt from execution.

1929, ch. 74, sec. 56-I.

**68.** Every guardian, who shall receive on account of his ward any moneys from the Bureau, shall file with the court annually, on the anniversary date of the appointment, in addition to such other accounts as may be required by the court, a full, true, and accurate account under oath of all moneys so received by him, of all disbursements thereof, and showing the balance thereof in his hands at the date of such account and how invested. A certified copy of each of such accounts filed with the court shall be sent by the guardian to the office of the Bureau having jurisdiction over the area in which such court is located. The court shall fix a time and place for the hearing of such account not less than fifteen days nor more than thirty days from the date of filing same and notice thereof shall be given by the court to the aforesaid Bureau office not less than fifteen days prior to the date fixed for the hearing. Notice of such hearing shall in like manner be given to the guardian.

Failure to claim commission in prior account should not deprive committee of right to claim such commission in later account. *Veterans' Administration v. Hudson*, 169 Md. 148.