

**PROBATE COURT OF LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO**  
**JUDGE JACK R. PUFFENBERGER**

IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF: \_\_\_\_\_

CASE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**MOTION TO DISPENSE WITH APPOINTMENT OF COURT INVESTIGATOR &  
NEW INVESTIGATOR'S REPORT**

**[LOCAL RULE]**

Applicant, having filed for appointment as Successor Guardian, respectfully requests the Court to dispense with appointment of a Court Investigator to interview the Ward and file an Investigator's Report as required by RC §§ 2111.04 (A)(2) & 2111.041 because the Ward has already been found to be legally incompetent by this Court on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, and an Investigator's Report was filed at the time the former Guardian applied for Guardianship. While the Ward must still receive service of process for the new hearing, it will expedite the process and minimize costs in the best interests of the proposed Ward.

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**Signature of Attorney**

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**Signature of Applicant**

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**Attorney Registration Number**

**ORDER DISPENSING WITH APPOINTMENT OF COURT INVESTIGATOR &  
NEW INVESTIGATOR'S REPORT**

Upon review of the referenced Investigator's Report, and for good cause shown, the Applicant's motion is approved, and the Court dispenses with the filing of a new Investigator's Report in this case and, while the Ward must still receive service of process for the new hearing, a new Investigator's Report will not be beneficial due to the Ward's current condition.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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**Date**

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**Judge Jack R. Puffenberger**

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