Probate Form No. 1
Petition to Open an Intestate Estate

STATE OF VERMONT
DISTRICT OF _____, SS PROBATE COURT

IN RE ESTATE OF DOCKET NO.

PETITION TO OPEN AN INTESTATE ESTATE

Part 1. Request to open an estate and appoint an administrator

The undersigned petitioner represents the following:

That _____ a resident of in the County of _____ and State of Vermont died intestate on

That the deceased left real estate with an estimated value of $_____ and personal estate with an estimated value of $_____ requiring administration.

That the deceased was/was not survived by a spouse. The surviving spouse's name is . The surviving spouse and other persons interested in this estate are listed on the attached form. Attach Form No. 2.

That I have attached a copy of the death certificate and entry fee.

And that I am _____ (state relationship) of the deceased.

Therefore, I request the court to open an estate in this matter and suggest to the court that of in the County of and the State of be appointed as administrator of the estate of the deceased. I realize the Vermont Statutes Annotated, Title 14, Section 903, establishes the priority for the designation of administrator.

Date: _____

Signed: _____, Petitioner
Print Name:
Address:

Telephone: (____)

Part II. Consent of interested persons

By our signature below, we, the surviving spouse and persons interested in this estate, consent to this petition. We understand that if all the interested persons and the surviving spouse do not sign below, a hearing will be scheduled by the court and notice of that hearing will be given to all interested persons by the petitioner or court.

Signature	Print Name	Date
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