Department of Revenue
Washington State

Small Estate Affidavit for Nonresident Decedents

This Affidavit may be used if the owner of the unclaimed personal property at issue was not a resident of the State of Washington on the date of his or her death. Claimants should use the "Affidavit of Successor" form if the owner was a resident of the State of Washington at the time of his or her death.

Use this form if the following is true to the best of your knowledge

- That the name and address of the undersigned claimant are as follows:

  Decedent's Name: _____

  Claimant's Name: _____

  Address: _____

  City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

- The decedent was, at the time of their death, a resident of the state of _____.
  (Attached to this affidavit is a photocopy of the decedent's death certificate.)
- The decedent did not leave a will.
- The estate was not probated.
- No application or petition for the appointment of a personal representative is pending or has been granted in any jurisdiction.

Property description

The undersigned claimant claims the following personal property, which property is subject to probate:

Company Reporting Property	*Property/Amount Claimed*

Your Responsibility

As the claimant you are responsible for understanding the small estate laws in the state where the deceased was a resident. You are responsible for the funds we pay you and if another legitimate heir comes forward, you will have to pay them their portion of the funds you received.

The undersigned claimant bears responsibility for following the laws of the decedent's state of residence and agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the State of Washington against any liability arising from the State's payment or delivery of the property to the undersigned claimant.

_____
(Claimant's Signature)

(Seal)

_____
(Notary Signature)

Dated this_____ day of_____,_____(yr)
Subscribed and sworn (or affirmed) to by:

_____ (Claimant) before me this

_____ day of _____, _____ (yr)

Notary in and for the State of _____

My commission expires _____

Residing at _____