IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ALASKA ORDER NO. 2008

Amending Administrative Rule 9(b) concerning fee exemptions for filing an acceptance of testamentary guardianship appointment and registering a tribal order under CINA Rule 24.

IT IS ORDERED:

Administrative Rule 9(b) is amended to read as follows:

Rule 9. Fee Schedule.

The fees specified in this rule shall be charged for the services designated as follows:

(a) In the Supreme Court and the Court of Appeals:

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(b) Filing Fees—Superior Court:

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- (2) For probate matters:
- (A) Upon filing a trust or estate action other than the registration or deposit of a will or trust document 250.00
- (B) For depositing a will with the court for safekeeping 50.00

No fee will be charged if the will of a protected person or ward is deposited by the guardian or conservator pursuant to AS 13.26.545(e) after the death of the protected person or ward.

(C) For registration of a trust document 50.00

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(D) Upon filing a petition for court approval of a minor's settlement, when it involves opening a new file 100.00

- (E) There shall be no fee for filing a petition for appointment of a temporary property custodian under AS 22.15.110(a)(3).
- (F) There shall be no fee for lodging a temporary property custodian affidavit and inventory.
- (G) Upon filing any guardianship, conservatorship or other protective proceedings to include all services

Except:

- (i) If a petitioner seeks appointment of a guardian or conservator or files another protective proceeding for more than one child at the same time, only one filing fee will be charged even though a separate petition must be filed for each child; and
- (ii) there shall be no fee for filing a petition for an ex parte protective order under AS 13.26.450, an application for a temporary order under AS 13.26.455, or for modification of a protective order under AS 13.26.460(a)-; and
- (iii) there shall be no fee for filing an acceptance of testamentary guardianship appointment, which opens a guardianship case.

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(12) Foreign Orders – Orders Issued by Another State, Country, or a Tribe:

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(A) Registration of a foreign order 150.00 Except the following:

- (i) Registration of a foreign adoption order 50.00
- (ii) Filing of ancillary probate letters from a foreign court under AS 13.21.030 50.00
- (iii) Registration of a foreign guardianship/conservatorship order 50.00
- (iv) Registration of a foreign protective order no fee
- (v) Registration of a foreign support order as provided in paragraph (b)(8).
- (vi) Registration under Child in Need of Aid Rule 24 of a

 tribal court order issued under the Indian Child

 Welfare Act no fee
- (B) Motion to modify a foreign order or decree awarding child custody or visitation 75.00

Except there is no fee for filing a stipulated motion to modify.

- (C) Petition for expedited enforcement of a non-registered child custody order under AS 25.30.460 100.00
- (D) There is no fee for enforcement of a registered order or a motion to modify a registered support order as provided in paragraph (b)(8).
- (c) Filing Fees District Court:

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DATED: June 21, 2023

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