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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA

THE STATE OF ALABAMA COURT OF PROBATE

SHELBY COUNTY CASE NO. PR-2024-001056

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

Letters of Administration on the estate of WILLIAM W. VARDAMAN SR., are granted to JOAN SMITH (AKA LORETTA JOAN SMITH), who has duly hereby bond in the amount of \$20,000.00 as such Personal given qualified and Representative(s), and is authorized to administer such estate. Subject to the priorities stated in Ala. Code, §43-8-76 (1975, as amended), the said personal representative, acting prudently for the benefit of interested persons, has all the powers authorized in transactions under Ala. Code, §43-2-843 (1975, as amended) subject to the following If the estate is to receive funds from litigation, judgments or restrictions: settlements, the Personal Representative(s) shall notify the Probate Judge within 10 (ten) days of said judgment or settlement. The Personal Representative is limited to receiving the bond amount. No other funds or assets shall be paid to the Personal Representative without the posting of additional bond and further order of this Court. All remaining funds shall be paid directly to the Probate Court of Shelby County, Alabama to be held in its fiduciary account.

WITNESS my hand and dated this 30th day of September, 2024.

ALLISON S. BOYD JUDGE OF PROBATE

Allin S. Boyel

I, Kimberiy A. Melton, Chief Clerk of the Court of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, correct and full copy of the Letters of Administration issued in the above styled cause as appears of record in said court. I further certify that said letters are still in full force and effect.

WITNESS my hand and dated this 30th day of September, 2024.

CHIEF CLERK