



Guardianship Calendar

Second/Final Check

Superior Court of California
County of San Bernardino
Probate Department

Probate Notes for Calendar Date: 03/19/18

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San Bernardino District

PROBATE/CONSERVATORSHIP CALENDAR

HONORABLE: STANFORD E. REICHERT

GUARDIANSHIPS

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S35G

CASE#: GAR PS1700141

CASE NAME: ANDRU BRANNUM AND AYDEN BRANNUM

HEARING:

Hearing re: Petition for Appointment of Guardian

COUNSEL:

ROBILL BRANNUM	(PET)...PRO/PER
ANDRU RILEE BRANNUM	(MIN)...CRAIG M PARKER
AYDEN COLE BRANNUM	(MIN)...CRAIG M PARKER

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Continued from **05/01/17** Court notes it is not referring this case to CI for a report as this is a petition for estate powers only. Court clears probate note 4 re guardian screening after receiving testimony on the record by petitioner. Continued for petitioner to clear notes re notice/service.

Continued from 09/25/17. Court appointed Craig parker as guardian ad litem for minor children.

THIS CASE SET FOR HEARING ON Petition for Appointment of Guardian, of the estate only, by Robill Brannum (father), minors: Andru, 12 and Ayden, 8

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

1. Paternal grandfather is deceased.
2. Petitioner requests bond not be required, but does not indicate a reason. Estate consists of a bank account inheritance in an unknown amount. Court may wish to require a supplement listing minors' assets for determination of bond, or alternatively, funds can be placed in a blocked account. **JTD**
3. Notice of Hearing and proof of mailed service filed 07/20/17 as to Catherine Brannum (mother) and Andru (minor). However, **need** proof of personal service.
4. Notice of Hearing and proof of mailed service filed 07/20/17 as to Robin Brannum (paternal grandmother); however, proof of service does not indicate a copy of petition was served with notice. Need proper service.
 - a. Notice of hearing as to Robin filed 02/26/18; however, notice was as to hearing on 05/01/17. **Need** corrected notice regarding current scheduled hearing date and not a past date.

5. Notice of Hearing and proof of mailed service filed 07/20/17 as to James and Cheryl Schneider (maternal grandparents); however, proof of service does not indicate a copy of petition was served with notice. Also, each party must be served separately per CRC 7.51(a)(3). Need proper service.
 - a. Notice of Hearing and proof of mailed service as to James and Cheryl filed 09/25/17 and 02/26/18; however, notice was as to hearing on 05/01/17.
Need corrected notice regarding current scheduled hearing date and not a past date.
6. **Need** Report of GAL Craig Parker.
7. ~Proposed form order: 03/24/17

RECOMMENDATION:

Need GAL report and to clear notes 3-5 then Court's discretion.

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HONORABLE: STANFORD E. REICHERT

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S35G

CASE#: GAR PS1700423

CASE NAME: PRESTON MCKAY
HEARING: re: Petition for Appointment of Guardian

COUNSEL:

ROXANNA HOLMES-HENIGAN	(PET/TG)...PRO/PER
RICKEY HENIGAN	(PET/TG)...PRO/PER
PRESTON MCKAY	(MIN)...

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Temporary orders granted on 10/30/17 to Roxanna Holmes-Henigan and Rickey Henigan who are appointed temporary guardians of the person only of minor. Continued from 10/02/17. Court clears notice to mother as she is present in court and consents to petition. Referred to Court Investigator for investigations and report.

THIS CASE SET FOR HEARING ON Petition for Appointment of Guardian, of the person only, by Roxanna Holmes-Henigan and Rickey Henigan (maternal great-grandparents), minor: Preston, 2

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

1. Per minute order of 12/19/17 Daijiana Holmes (mother) is served.
2. **Need** Notice of Hearing and Proof of Personal Service on Preston McKay (father). Since father is allegedly incarcerated, Court could allow certified mail return receipt with declaration of hardship of personal service per Local Rule 20-1317.
3. **Need** Notice of Hearing and Proof of Service by Mail on (unknown) paternal grandfather and Laviene McKay (paternal grandmother), or file Due Diligence Declarations.
4. **Need** Confidential Guardian Screening form by Rickey Henigan.
5. Guardianship Questionnaire by Rickey Henigan is incomplete as to section under proposed guardian information [LF, P. 3] and under criminal background, [LF, p. 4]. **Need** completed form.
6. Court to may wish to review Confidential Guardianship Questionnaire by Rickey Henigan.
7. **CI report filed 03/08/18.**
8. ~Proposed form Order submitted: 08/09/17

RECOMMENDATION:

Need to clear notes 2-5, then Court's discretion.

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HONORABLE: STANFORD E. REICHERT

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S35G

CASE#: GAR PS1700430

CASE NAME: EZEKIEL BRAYAN & RUTH ALICIA PIMENTEL ESPINOZA

HEARING:

Hearing re: Petition for Appointment of Guardian

COUNSEL:

GUSTAVO ESPINOZA (GP)...PRO/PER
MARTHA ESPINOZA (GP)...PRO/PER
EZEKIEL BRAYAN PIMENTEL ESPINOZA (MIN)...
RUTH ALICIA PIMENTEL ESPINOZA (MIN)...

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Gustavo and Martha Espinoza are appointed temporary guardians of the person only of minors on 08/17/17.

Continued from 10/02/17 Petitioners confirm their residence address numbers are 14085. Court clears probate note re father- court deems father served (by mail; petitioners indicate that they mailed father the petition as father is in custody and that they received a phone call that father knows about the petition and does not object to the petition). Referred to CI.

THIS CASE SET FOR HEARING ON Petition for Appointment of Guardian, person only, by Gustavo and Martha Espinoza (maternal grandparents), minor: Ezekiel, 2 and Ruth, 3

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

1. Maria Espinoza (mother) signed Consent Nomination and Waiver.
2. CI report filed 03/06/18.
3. ~Proposed form Order: 08/11/17

RECOMMENDATION:

Court's discretion.

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HONORABLE: JAMES MICHAEL WELCH

GUARDIANSHIPS

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S36G

CASE#: GAR PS1600334

CASE NAME: JOSIE MA

HEARING:

Accounting Review by ***

COUNSEL:

BIN HAO
JOSIE MA

(GP)...PRO/PER
(MIN)...

GENERAL INFORMATION

Continued from 01/10/18.

THIS CASE IS SET FOR HEARING ON Accounting Review

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

1. Bin Hai, mother, appointed as guardian of the estate only of Jose Ma (17, DOB 05/13/00) on 11/02/16.
2. Report by GAL Mitchell Roth filed 03/28/17 and 02/05/18.
3. **Need** final Inventory and Appraisal with supporting financial statements per Local Rule 20-908.
4. **Need** 1st account.

RECOMMENDATION

Inquire status.

(lh/ww)

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PROBATE/CONSERVATORSHIP CALENDAR
HONORABLE: JAMES MICHAEL WELCH

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S36G

CASE#: GAR PS1600626

CASE NAME: MTR OF JAMESON CHARLES KIRKLAND ET AL

HEARING:
Hearing Re: PTN FOR GUARDIANSHIP

COUNSEL:

AMANDA Y MARTIN	(GP)...PRO/PER
JAMESON CHARLES KIRKLAND	(MIN)...
MEGAN ALEXIS KIRKLAND	(MIN)...
BILLY RAY KIRKLAND	(FAT)...PRO/PER

XREF Nevada Case: CV-0022366

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Continued from **03/20/17** parties stipulate that San Bernardino County has jurisdiction. Parties also stipulate the minors and father will participate with reunification therapy. This will be paid by the fathers' insurance. If notice given/proof filed by 03/27/17, Court to refer to CI.

Continued from **07/17/17**. Father withdraws his objections at this time. Referred to DCFS.

Continued from **11/13/17** DCFS is requesting more time to complete their investigation and report.

Continued from 01/08/18. DCFS is requesting more time to complete their investigation and report.

THIS CASE SET FOR HEARING ON Petition for Appointment of Guardian, of the person only, by Amanda Martin (non-relative), minors: Jameson 17(DOB 05/04/00) and Megan 15.

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

1. Mother, maternal grandparents and paternal grandmother are deceased.
2. Proof of service by mail as to father Billy Kirkland filed 12/21/16. **JTD**
3. Declaration filed 01/06/17 by Chaisson Caudill, sibling in support of guardianship
4. Declaration filed 01/19/17 by Robbie Martin, petitioner's estranged husband.
5. Declaration filed 01/25/17 by Lynnece Kirkland, father's spouse.
6. Declaration filed 01/25/17 by Mary Kirkland, father's sister
7. Declaration filed 01/25/17 by Billy Ray Kirkland, Jr. minor's sibling.
8. Declaration filed 01/25/17 by SSG James Morris.
9. Declaration filed 01/25/17 by Michelle Kuntz, father's ex-spouse.

10. Declaration filed 01/25/17 by Denise Savistano, private investigator.
11. **Objection were filed 01/25/17 and 12/23/16 by Billy Ray Kirkland (father) but were then withdrawn on 07/17/17.**
12. Notice of No Report by DCFS filed 11/07/17 & 01/05/18. **Need DCFS report.**
13. ~Proposed form Order: 12/16/16

RECOMMENDATION:

Need DCFS report then Court's discretion.

(CS/WW)

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HONORABLE: JAMES MICHAEL WELCH

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S36G

CASE#: GAR PS1700415

CASE NAME: SKYLYNN ASIA ANNISA WYNN

SEE ALSO 4

HEARING:

Hearing re: Petition for Appointment of Guardian

COUNSEL:

BRITTANY J WYNN (GP)...PRO/PER
SKYLYNN ASIA ANNISA WYNN (MIN)...MITCHELL I ROTH
BIANCA WYNN (PET/OBJ)...PRO/PER

GENERAL INFORMATION

Ex parte orders denied on 08/11/17.

Continued from **09/12/17** and **10/17/17**. Matter is contested. Written objections to be filed.

Continued from 11/28/17 Guardianship is contested by mother Bianca Wynn. The Court clears probate note 3, as the father is present. Bianca Wynn also gives the Court a copy of the birth certificate for Skylynn Asia Annisa Wynn. Matter is continued by the Court for a referral to the Court investigators office. Referred to Court Investigator.

THIS CASE IS SET FOR HEARING ON Petition for Appointment of Guardian, person only, by Brittany Wynn (maternal aunt), minor Skylynn (7 months)

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

1. Bianca Wynn (mother) was personally served.
2. **Need** Notice of Hearing and proof of mailed service or file Due Diligence Declarations as to unknown paternal grandparents.
3. Document titled "Doctors diagnosis & doctor referrals" indicates that minors address is in Los Angeles. Court may wish to clarify who minor is residing with as petitioner indicates that she resides in Victorville, CA.
 - a. **(Decl 03/05/18 by Brittany indicates that she lives in Los Angeles. Court may wish to clarify if minor is also living in Los Angeles.) JTD**
4. Petitioner intends to adopt minor.
5. Petitioner seeks broad medical/dental powers. Recommend order to reflect that requested medical/dental powers are subject to PC 2353(b).
6. Petitioner seeks power to apply for an receive any public benefits, social security & SSI benefits the minor child may be entitled to receive. Recommend order reflect

that if accumulated principal exceeds \$15,000 on account, Petitioner to file for estate powers as PC 2628(a)(1) will require an accounting.

7. CI report filed 03/13/18.
8. Court to see Declarations by Brittany Wynn (petitioner/maternal aunt), Bridgette Newton (step grandmother), Renita Robinson (sister), Brianna Burrell (cousin) and Ericka Gillum (niece) filed 03/05/18.
 - a. **Need** proofs of service for all declaration listed.
9. **Objections filed 10/30/17 by Bianca Wynn [mother].**
10. ~Proposed form Order: 08/04/17

RECOMMENDATION:

Matter is contested. Need to clear note 2 & 8, then Court's discretion. If approved a new order and letters with correct address of petitioner will need to be submitted.

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HONORABLE: JAMES MICHAEL WELCH

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S36G

CASE#: GAR PS1700415

CASE NAME: SKYLYNN ASIA ANNISA WYNN

SEE ALSO 3

HEARING:

Petition for Visitation Guardianship

COUNSEL:

BRITTANY J WYNN	(GP)...PRO/PER
SKYLYNN ASIA ANNISA WYNN	(MIN)...MITCHELL I ROTH
BIANCA WYNN	(PET/OBJ)...PRO/PER

No notes – Visitation.

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HONORABLE: JAMES MICHAEL WELCH

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S36G

CASE#: GAR PS1700525

CASE NAME: AALIYAH E GARNETT

HEARING:

Hearing re: Petition for Appointment of Guardian

COUNSEL:

BARBARA L CHAMBERS (GP)...PRO/PER
AALIYAH E GARNETT (MIN)...

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Barbara Chambers appointed as temporary guardian of the person only on 10/30/17.

Continued from 11/28/17. Referred to CI.

THIS CASE IS SET FOR HEARING ON Petition for Appointment of Guardian, person only, by Barbara Chambers (maternal grandmother), minor Aaliyah (15).

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

1. Mother; paternal grandparents and maternal grandfather are deceased.
2. **Need** Notice of Hearing and proof of personal service (GC-020 & GC-020P) on minor Aaliyah; Charles A. Garnett (father) and Conservator for father.
3. Notice of Hearing and proof of service by mail on siblings Anthony Jordan; Damian and Jerohn Garnett filed 11/14/17; however, section 4b as to the address of the Court was not marked and service on Aaliyah must be personal. **JTD**
4. Notice of Hearing and proof of service by mail on Katheryn Thompson Garnett; however, it is unclear what her relationship is to the minor and section 4b as to the address of the Court was not marked. Court may wish to inquire; or in alternative, need verified supplement. **JTD**
5. CI report filed 03/12/18.
6. ~Proposed Form Order: 10/06/17

RECOMMENDATION:

Need to clear note 2 then Court's discretion.

(nb/ww)

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HONORABLE: JAMES MICHAEL WELCH

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S36G

CASE#: RG RS01240

CASE NAME: ARIANNA STAR SEVAINE

HEARING:

Petition for Visitation , filed by James Arthur Carroll

COUNSEL:

MARIAN VEGA	(PET)...PRO/PER
ARIANNA STAR SEVAINE	(MIN)...
COURT INVESTIGATOR	(AGN)...PRO/PER
JULIE M MONTIJO	(MOT)...PRO/PER
JAMES ARTHUR CARROLL	(PRO/PER)

No Notes- Visitation- JTD.

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PROBATE/CONSERVATORSHIP CALENDAR

HONORABLE: JAMES MICHAEL WELCH **MISC.**

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 1:30 DEPT: S36G

CASE#: GAR SS1500096

CASE NAME: LUIS RECENDIZ TINAJERO

HEARING:

Hearing Re: CITATION AS TO STEVEN KANDARIAN

COUNSEL:

CELIA TINAJERO (GP)...PRO/PER
LUIS RECENDIZ TINAJERO (MIN)...

GENERAL INFORMATION

THIS CASE SET FOR HEARING ON Citation as to Steven Kandarian by GAL Walter Moore.

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

1. On 01/16/18 the Court granted an Ex parte petition for order to issue a citation on Steven Kandarian, President and Chief Executive Officer of MetLife Inc., or his Designee, to appear for examination and to produce documents.
2. Minor Luis has a beneficial interest in a structured settlement with MetLife and efforts to obtain information and forms to process the claim by GAL Walter Moore have been successful.
3. Citation has yet to be issued. **Need** issuance of citation.

RECOMMENDATION

Inquire status.

(ww)

Future Hearing: 4/25/18 Accounting Review

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PROBATE/CONSERVATORSHIP CALENDAR

HONORABLE: TARA REILLY

GUARDIANSHIPS

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S37G

CASE#: GAR PS1700259

CASE NAME: STELLAH DAKOTA SALINAS

HEARING: re: Petition for Appointment of Guardian

COUNSEL:

ANA SALINAS	(GP)...PRO/PER
CARLOS SALINAS	(GP)...PRO/PER
STELLAH DAKOTA SALINAS	(MIN)...

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Continued from **07/03/17** Court excuses notice to father and paternal grandparents.
Referred to the CI for a limited report.

Continued from 11/13/17 Court verifies that petitioners are not related to minor although petition says they are maternal aunt and uncle. The court re-refers this matter to DCFS for non-relative guardianship investigation. Due Diligence Declaration to be filed as to as maternal grandfather.

THIS CASE IS SET FOR HEARING ON Petition for Appointment of Guardian, person only, by Ana Salinas and Carlos Salinas (non-relatives), minor Stella (1).

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

1. Per minute order of 07/03/17, Court excuses notice to father and paternal grandparents.
2. Mayra Villeda (mother) signed Nomination, Consent and Waiver.
3. **Need** Notice of Hearing and Proof of Service by mail on maternal grandfather (not listed), or file due diligence declarations.
4. Petition indicates maternal grandmother is Evangelina Villeda; however, Notice of hearing filed 09/07/17 indicates "Maria Alfaro is MGM". **Need** clarification as to identity of maternal grandmother.
5. **Notice of no report filed by DCFS and request continuance filed. Need DCFS report.**
6. ~Proposed form Order: 05/22/17

RECOMMENDATION

Need to clear notes 3-4 and DCFS Report, then Court's discretion re note 5.

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PROBATE/CONSERVATORSHIP CALENDAR
HONORABLE: TARA REILLY

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S37G

CASE#: GAR PS1700288

CASE NAME: KANE GONZALEZ

HEARING: re: Petition for Appointment of Guardian

COUNSEL:

NEFATLI ELIU GONZALEZ (GP)...PRO/PER
KANE GONZALEZ (MIN)...PRO/PER

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Temporary Orders denied on 06/08/17

Continued from **07/10/17** Court determines minor has no Indian ancestry. Petitioner is advised birth certificate needs to be provided to the court. Matter referred to Court Investigator for a limited report.

Continued from 11/27/17 Petitioner reports he has been unable to get a certified copy of minor's birth certificate. Matter continued for declaration of due diligence as to father and paternal grandfather.

THIS CASE SET FOR HEARING ON Petition for Appointment of Guardian, of the person only, by Nefatli Gonzalez (maternal grandfather), minor: Kane, 2

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

1. Mother and maternal grandmother signed Consent and Waivers, filed 06/01/17.
2. **Need** Notice of Hearing and Proof of Personal Service on father. Since father is reportedly unknown; **need** copy of birth certificate per Local Rule 20-1302.
3. **Need** Notice of Hearing and Proof of Service by Mail on "unknown" paternal grandparents, or file Due Diligence Declarations.
4. Petitioner indicates intentions on adopting minor.
5. Petitioner seeks power to apply for and receive any public benefits, social security & SSI benefits the minor child(ren) may be entitled to receive. Recommend order reflect that if accumulated principal exceeds \$15,000 on account, Petitioner to file for estate powers as PC 2628(a)(1) will require an accounting.
6. CI report filed on 11/02/17.
7. ~Proposed form Order submitted: 06/01/17

RECOMMENDATION:

Need to clear notes 2-3 then Court's discretion.
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PROBATE/CONSERVATORSHIP CALENDAR
HONORABLE: TARA REILLY

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S37G

CASE#: GAR PS1700419

CASE NAME: MTR OF DARIAN ACOSTA ET AL

SEE ALSO 4 5 6

HEARING:

Hearing re: Petition for Appointment of Guardian

COUNSEL:

DEVIN A PRICE	(GP)...VANESSA B GNEKOW
MELISSA PRICE	(GP)...VANESSA B GNEKOW
DARIAN GONZALO ACOSTA	(MIN)...
GWENDALYNE AMALIA ACOSTA	(MIN)...
AMALIA ACOSTA	(PET)...PRO/PER
LETICIA ACOSTA	(OBJ/PET)...FRANK PRAINITO
ARTURO ACOSTA	
MARTHA ACOSTA	

See notes on next matter 4.

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CASE#: GAR PS1700419

CASE NAME: MTR OF DARIAN ACOSTA ET AL

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HEARING:

Hearing re: Petition for Appointment of Guardian

COUNSEL:

DEVIN A PRICE	(GP)...VANESSA B GNEKOW
MELISSA PRICE	(GP)...VANESSA B GNEKOW
DARIAN GONZALO ACOSTA	(MIN)...
GWENDALYNE AMALIA ACOSTA	(MIN)...
AMALIA ACOSTA	(PET)...PRO/PER
LETICIA ACOSTA	(OBJ/PET)...FRANK PRAINITO
ARTURO ACOSTA	
MARTHA ACOSTA	

GENERAL INFORMATION

Ex parte orders granted 08/15/17. Devin A. Price and Melissa Price appointed Temporary Guardians. Counsel to prepare Order.

Continued from **09/13/17** on guardianship petition by Devin and Melissa Price. Court dispenses with notice as to mother and paternal grandfather. Visitation to paternal grandmother. Matter referred to DCFS.

Continued from **10/16/17** Parties do not stipulate to having a Judge ProTem hear their case. Notice waived.

Continued from 11/27/17 Parties do not stipulate to having a Judge ProTem hear their case.

THIS CASE SET FOR HEARING ON

- #1 Petition for Appointment of Guardian, person only, by Devin and Melissa Price (non-relatives), minors: Darian (17 DOB 09/06/00) and Gwendalyne (14)
- # 2 Petition for Appointment of Guardian, person only, by Leticia Acosta (paternal aunt), minor: Darian, (17 DOB 09/06/00) and Gwendalyne, (14)

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

Petition #1 by Devin and Melissa Price (non-relatives):

1. Father is deceased.
2. Minors Darian and Gwendalyne signed Consent and Waiver filed 08/08/17.

3. Notice of no report filed 11/17/17 by DCFS. Need DCFS non-relative report.
4. Declarations of Mario Quiroz, Karl Kellogg, Christopher Simonson, Joe Hatfield, Daniel and Vanessa Lewis, Clarence and Terry Smith, and Gabrielle Peralta filed 10/10/17 in support of Devin and Melissa Price's Petition for Guardianship.
5. Supplemental Declaration of Melissa Price (temporary guardian) in response to objections filed 09/25/17.
6. Declaration of Melissa Price (temporary guardian) in support of her objections to Leticia Acosta's Petition for Guardianship and Petition for Visitation filed 10/10/17.
7. **Objections filed 09/05/17 by Leticia Acosta (paternal aunt), Arturo Acosta (paternal uncle), and Martha Acosta (paternal aunt) with proofs of service.**
8. ~Proposed form Order: 08/22/17

Petition #2 by Leticia Acosta (paternal aunt):

9. Father is deceased.
10. Consent by petitioner with attached hand written nomination by Imelda Delgado (paternal aunt).
11. Petitioner requests order to dispense with notice as to Leovigildo Acosta (paternal grandfather) and Lorraine Acosta (mother). **Need** Request to Excuse Notice with Due Diligence Declaration per Local rule 20-1304.
12. Notice of Hearing and Proof of Personal Service as to minors filed 11/09/17; however, **need** Notice of Hearing form (GC-020).
13. Minors reside with temporary guardians.
14. Several Declarations in support of Leticia Acosta's Guardianship petition filed 11/20/17.
15. Need: Upon referral to CI by the Court, requires CI report.
16. ~Proposed form Order submitted: 09/13/17

RECOMMENDATION:

Matter is contested

Need to clear notes 11-12 and DCFS Report. .

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CASE#: GAR PS1700419

CASE NAME: MTR OF DARIAN ACOSTA ET AL

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HEARING:

Petition for Visitation filed by Amalia Acosta

COUNSEL:

DEVIN A PRICE	(GP)...VANESSA B GNEKOW
MELISSA PRICE	(GP)...VANESSA B GNEKOW
DARIAN GONZALO ACOSTA	(MIN)...
GWENDALYNE AMALIA ACOSTA	(MIN)...
AMALIA ACOSTA	(PET)...PRO/PER
LETICIA ACOSTA	(OBJ/PET)...FRANK PRAINITO
ARTURO ACOSTA	
MARTHA ACOSTA	

No notes-Visitation. JTD

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DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S37G

CASE#: GAR PS1700419

CASE NAME: MTR OF DARIAN ACOSTA ET AL

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HEARING:

Trial Setting Conference

COUNSEL:

DEVIN A PRICE	(GP)...VANESSA B GNEKOW
MELISSA PRICE	(GP)...VANESSA B GNEKOW
DARIAN GONZALO ACOSTA	(MIN)...
GWENDALYNE AMALIA ACOSTA	(MIN)...
AMALIA ACOSTA	(PET)...PRO/PER
LETICIA ACOSTA	(OBJ/PET)...FRANK PRAINITO
ARTURO ACOSTA	
MARTHA ACOSTA	

No notes – TSC. JTD
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CIVPRO San Bernardino District
PROBATE/CONSERVATORSHIP CALENDAR
HONORABLE: TARA REILLY

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S37G

CASE#: GAR PS1700490

CASE NAME: (Master File)EMMONIE CARR ET AL

HEARING:

Hearing re: Petition for Appointment of Guardian

COUNSEL:

NADINE BERKLEY	(GP)...PRO/PER
EMMONIE CAR	(MIN)...
NYASIA CARR	(MIN)...
LONDYNN CUMMINGS	(MIN)...
ANTHONY PITTS III	(MIN)...

X-REF GARPS1700556 (Guardianship of Anthony Pitts)

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Ex parte orders granted on 01/02/18 as to minor Anthony Pitts, III under case GARPS1700556. Nadine Berkley is appointed temporary guardian.

Continued from **10/23/17** at request of Court. Court clears probate note 9 re notice to paternal grandparents and sibling of minor Londynn.

Continued from **11/28/17** (from case GARPS1700556) Court clears note re notice to parents as petitioner presents signed return receipts (green card) to court. Clears note 4 re due diligence declaration as to unknown (paternal grandfather).

Continued from 02/05/18 continued at request of Court Investigator for report to be completed.

THIS CASE SET FOR HEARING ON Petition for Appointment of Guardian, of the person only, by Nadine Berkley (maternal grandmother), minors: Emmonie, 7; Nyasia, 12; Londynn, 3; and Anthony Pitts, III, 2

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

1. Case consolidated with case GARPS1700556.
2. Court to clarify minors' (Nyasia and Emmonie) date of birth for notice purposes. Petition 09/19/17 [LFp2/10] and Questionnaire 09/19/17, [LFp 5/6], indicate conflicting dates. If it is determined that minor Nyasia is age 12, need notice of hearing proof of personal service on minor. JTD
3. Duties of Personal Representative filed 09/19/17 not dated at signature line. JTD

4. Proof of service filed 10/12/17; however, proof does not indicate name of party served. Court to inquire.
5. Petitioner indicates Danielle Cummings (mother) is incarcerated, **Court could allow certified mail return receipt** with declaration of hardship of personal service per Local Rule 20-1317.
 - a. Proof of service by mail filed 01/29/18.
 - b. Declaration of hardship filed 10/12/17.
 - c. **Need** return receipt (green card) to complete service as mother.

As to minors Emmonie and Nyasia:

6. **Proof of personal service filed 01/29/18 as to Linwood Carr, III (father of Emmonie and Nyasia); however, there is no notice of hearing attached (form GC-20). JTD**
7. Due Diligence Declaration filed 01/22/18 as to unknown paternal grandfather (of Emmonie and Nyasia). JTD
8. **Need** notice of hearing and proof of service as to Phyllis Creary, paternal grandmother (of Emmonie and Nyasia).

As to minor Londynn:

9. **Need** copy of birth certificate for minor Londynn, per Local Rule 20-1302, as father is reportedly unknown.

As to minor Anthony Pitts, III:

10. Minor is not residing with petitioner and currently with paternal grandmother.
11. Per minute order of 11/28/17 under case GARPS1700556, Court clears note re notice to mother.
12. Declaration of Phyllis McCreary, paternal grandmother, (of Emmonie and Nyasia) filed 01/29/18 in support of guardianship. Does court wish to deem notice waived as to paternal grandmother? JTD
13. Petitioner seeks broad medical/dental powers. Recommend order to reflect that requested medical/dental powers are subject to PC 2353(b)
14. Petitioner seeks power to apply for and receive any public benefits, social security & SSI benefits the minor child(ren) may be entitled to receive. Recommend order reflect that if accumulated principal exceeds \$15,000 on account, Petitioner to file for estate powers as PC 2628(a)(1) will require an accounting.
15. **CI report filed 03/12/18.**
16. No proposed Order submitted: Need amended Order.

RECOMMENDATION:

Need to clear notes 5c, 8-9 and CI Report, then Court's discretion.

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DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S37G

CASE#: GAR PS1800049

CASE NAME: CARL LOMAN JACKSON JR

HEARING: re: Petition for Appointment of Guardian

COUNSEL:

PAMELA R FRILOUX (PET)...PRO/PER
CARL LOMAN JACKSON JR (MIN)...

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Temporary Orders granted on 02/13/18. Pamela Friloux appointed temporary guardian of minor. Court accepts declaration of due diligence and requires no further notice to him.

Minor placed with petitioner by DCFS

THIS CASE SET FOR HEARING ON Petition for Appointment of Guardian, of the person only, by Pamela Friloux (paternal grandmother), minor: Carl, 12

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

1. Court accepted Due Diligence Declarations filed 02/13/18 as to Carl Jackson, Jr. (father) on the temporary petition and required no further notice to him. Does court wish to accept due diligence declaration as to general petition. JTD.
2. **Need** notice of hearing and proof of personal service as to Raylena Garbutt (mother). **Due Diligence Declarations filed 02/02/18. JTD**
3. **Need** Notice of Hearing and Proof of Personal Service [forms GC-020(P)/GC-020] as to minor Carl.
4. **Need** Notice of Hearing and Proof of Service by Mail [form GC-020] on unknown maternal grandparents and Carl Jackson, Sr. (paternal grandfather) or file Due Diligence Declarations.
5. Need: Upon referral to CI by the Court, requires CI report.
6. ~Proposed form Order submitted: 02/02/18

RECOMMENDATION:

Need to clear notes 2-4, then Court's discretion
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HONORABLE: TARA REILLY

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S37G

CASE#: GAR SS800407

CASE NAME: MATTER RE BRANDON VENEGAS ET AL

HEARING: Accounting Review by ***

COUNSEL:

JESSE LARA III	(PG/GPE)...PRO/PER
ESPERANZA LARA	(PG/GPE)...PRO/PER
JESSE LARA JR	(PG/GPE)...PRO/PER
BRANDON JAY VENEGAS	(MIN)...
CHRISTIAN JAY VENEGAS	(MIN)...
BRYNNE L. HOPE RANGEL	(MIN)...
BROOKE L LUZ RANGEL	(MIN)...BRYAN C HARTNELL
BRYAN C HARTNELL	(PET)...HARTNELL LAW GROUP

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Continued from **many times since 12/10/10**.

Continued from **7/1/15** as guardian is referred to self-help to file a First account as to Brooke and Brynne, and a Final as to Christian. (Court clarifies to guardian that the accountings are to include a coversheet with case caption, case number, summary of account, and all statements from met life.) Court authorizes the release of \$15,000.00 to Christian Venegas with a receipt by Christian.

Continued from **09/09/15** Esperanza Lara to file the documents.

Continued from **11/17/15**, 1/26/16, 3/23/16, 06/29/16 and 09/13/16. Separate accounting to be filed on each minor. Minors over 18 may file waivers with receipts.

Continued from **11/15/16** Court needs receipt for Christian and Waivers of accountings as to Brynne & Brooke. Esperanza & Jesse Lara are ordered to be present at next hearing.

Continued from **02/21/17** Court needs beginning and ending bank statements re accounting. Court request receipts from all minors who have reached the age of 18 be filed. Waivers of accounting may also be filed.

Continued from **05/08/17** Court requests counsel investigate issues on behalf of his client.

Continued from **07/17/17** Court needs receipt as to Christian and accountings as to Brynne and Brooke.

Continued from **09/25/17** Jesse Lara III, Esperanza Lara and Jesse Lara Jr. are ordered to be present at next hearing if accounting not filed. Notice to be given by Mr. Hartnell

Continued from 12/04/17 Counsel reports guardian is very ill. Court suspends Jesse Lara and Esperanza Lara as guardians of the estate of Christian Jay Venegas and

Brynee and Brooke Rangel. The Court appoints the public guardian to prepare an accounting and contact Christian Venegas to obtain a receipt. Clerk's office to notify PG.

THIS CASE IS SET FOR HEARING ON Accounting Review
minors: Christian (18 as of 11/28/13), Brooke & Brynne (**18 as of 6/8/16**) twins

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

1. Maternal grandparents and uncle were appointed 12/4/09, person and estate. Co-guardians, Jesse Lara, Jr and Jesse Lara III died. Guardianship as to Brandon Venegas, was terminated and discharged. Amended Letters as to Esperanza Lara for minors Brynne and Brook issued 2/9/16.
2. Need First & Final Account as to minor: Christian as he reached majority. Order to Withdraw (balance) from Blocked Account as to minor, Christian, approved 5/4/16. Does Court waive the final Accounting? If so, need to set final discharge hearing.
 - a. Order for Withdrawal of Funds filed on 05/04/16 requests Christian Venegas to submit a receipt upon receipt of funds. **Court to inquire status.**
3. Need First & Final Account or Waiver of Account for minors: Brynne and Brooke.

RECOMMENDATION:

Need accountings. Court's discretion re note 2. if final accounting waived as to *Christian*, Court to set hearing re Receipt and Final Discharge for **03/25/19**.

Need accounting re minors: *Brynne and Brooke*. When an accounting is not filed as required, the court shall take action as specified in Pr.C. § 2620.2. If approved, Court to set hearing re Receipts and Final Discharge for **03/25/19**.

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DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S37G

CASE#: GAR SS900307

CASE NAME: **MASTER FILE**RE MAURICE CHRISTEON WATSON

SEE ALSO 11

HEARING: Petition for Appointment of Guardian of the Person

COUNSEL:

RUBY L. GAULDING	(GP)...PRO/PER
MAURICE CHRISTEON WATSON JR	(MIN)...
TY'NECE M.Y WATSON	(MIN)...
MAURICE CHRISTEON WATSON JR	(MIN)...
IVORY CARRELL	(GP)...PRO/PER

X-REF: GARSS1400039 (Maurice and Ty'Nece Watson)

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Temporary Orders denied on 02/14/18. Petitioner reports current guardian has taken custody of the minors. Court deems this petition to be a petition for successor guardian and orders petitioner to file petition for termination of guardianship. **Court requests petitioner renew her concerns with DCFS in both Riverside and San Bernardino Counties. Court orders master file as GARSS900307.**

THIS CASE SET FOR HEARING ON Petition for Appointment of **Successor** Guardian, of the person only, by Ivory Carrell (maternal aunt), minors: Ty'nece, 7; and Maurice, 10

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

1. Ruby Gauling (maternal grandmother) was appointed guardian of minor Maurice Watson, Jr. on 10/09/09 under case GARSS900307. Thereafter Ruby Gauling was appointed guardian of minor Maurice and his sibling Ty'rece Watson under case GARSS1400039. Letters issued 05/29/14.
2. Petition alleges minors reside in Hemet, CA with Petitioner.
3. Mother and paternal grandmother are deceased.
4. **Need** Notice of Hearing and Proof of Personal Service [forms GC-020 & GC-020(P)] on Ruby Gauling (mgm/guardian) Maurice Watson (father).
5. **Need** Notice of Hearing and Proof of Service by Mail [form GC-020] on unknown paternal grandfather and Bruce Carrell (maternal grandfather), or file Due Diligence Declarations.
6. Court to review Guardianship Questionnaire [LFp4].

7. Court to see Declaration of Petitioner [Attachment 2 of petition LFp.15].
8. Need: Upon referral to CI by the Court, requires CI report.
9. Petition for Termination of Guardianship filed. See note on next matter.
10. ~Proposed form Order submitted: 02/07/18

RECOMMENDATION:

Need to clear notes 4-5, then Court's discretion
(cs)

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HONORABLE: TARA REILLY

DATE: 03/19/18 TIME: 11:00 DEPT: S37G

CASE#: GAR SS900307

CASE NAME: **MASTER FILE**RE MAURICE CHRISTEON WATSON

SEE ALSO 10

HEARING: re: Petition for Termination of Guardianship

COUNSEL:

RUBY L. GAULDING	(GP)...PRO/PER
MAURICE CHRISTEON WATSON JR	(MIN)...
TY'NECE M.Y WATSON	(MIN)...
MAURICE CHRISTEON WATSON JR	(MIN)...
IVORY CARRELL	(GP)...PRO/PER

X-REF: GARSS1400039 (Maurice and Ty'Nece Watson)

GENERAL INFORMATION:

THIS CASE SET FOR HEARING ON Termination of Guardianship, by Ivory Carrell (maternal aunt/Petitioner), minors: Ty'nece, 7; and Maurice, 10

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND/OR DEFICIENCIES IN THE PAPERS ARE NOTED:

1. Ruby Gaulding (maternal grandmother) was appointed guardian of minor Maurice Watson, Jr. on 10/09/09 under case GARSS900307. Thereafter Ruby Gaulding was appointed guardian of minor Maurice and his sibling Ty'rece Watson under case GARSS1400039. Order filed 05/29/17 Letters issued 05/29/14.
2. Maternal aunt is petitioning for termination of guardianship on the basis that current guardian is not stable and no longer able to take care of the children. She lacks the ability to properly care for them physically, mentally, and emotionally.
3. Mother and paternal grandmother are deceased.
4. **Need** Notice of Hearing and Proof of Service by Mail [form GC-020] on Ruby Gaulding (mgm/guardian) Maurice Watson (father). Bruce Carrell (maternal grandfather), and unknown paternal grandfather or file Due Diligence Declarations.
5. Proposed Order: 02/14/18. However, need updated Order with correct case number

RECOMMENDATION:

Need to clear notes 4, then Court's discretion.

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