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ADMINISTRATION OF ESTATES ORDINANCE

ADMINISTRATION OF ESTATES (PROBATE AND LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION)
RULES, 2023

(Made under section 34)

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 34 of the Administration of Estates Ordinance [*Cap. 80 (1948 Ed.)*], the Minister, with the approval of the Majlis Mesyuarat Kerajaan Negeri, has made the following Rules:

Citation and commencement

1. These Rules may be cited as the **Administration of Estates (Probate and Letters of Administration), Rules, 2023**, and shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of December, 2022.

Application for Probate or Letters of Administration for property outside of District

2.—(1) Any person entitled to probate or letters of administration of the estates of deceased persons under the Ordinance, may make an application for the probate or letters of administration for the estates of the deceased person located

outside of the District and the Probate Officer may issue such probate or letters of administrations for such estates if:

(a) the application includes a property in the District where he has jurisdiction: and

(b) he is so authorized in writing by the Probate Officer of that other District, to grant probate or letters of administration in respect of the property located in the other District.

(2) A copy of the probate or letters of administration issued pursuant to sub-rule (1) shall be sent by the Probate Officer issuing the same to the Probate Officer of the other District for his record.

Made this 6th day of March, 2023.

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