PROBATE	COURT	
County:		
Docket No.		

DISTRICT COURT Location: _____ Docket No. _____

IN RE:

(Minor Name)

MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN OF MINOR ON AN EMERGENCY BASIS 18-C M.R.S. § 5-204(4)

PLEASE NOTE: A Motion for Appointment Guardian on an Emergency Basis may be filed only with a Petition to Appoint Guardian of Minor (GS-001).

1. Petitioner Name:

2. Co-Petitioner Name:

3. Minor Name: _____

4. Proposed Guardian Name:

5. Proposed Co-Guardian Name (if applicable):

6. Proposed Guardian(s) Relationship to Minor:

7. The court may appoint an emergency guardian for a minor if waiting for an appointment of a guardian will likely result in substantial harm to the minor's health or safety and when no other person appears to have authority to act in the circumstances. Please describe the specific reasons why an emergency guardianship is necessary:

Please attach an additional page if necessary.

8. Notice of Hearing

Reasonable notice of the time and place of the hearing on this petition must be given to: 1) the minor (if the minor is at least 14 years old); 2) each living parent of the minor; 3) anyone else having care or custody of the minor, and 4) the applicable Indian tribe if petitioner knows, or has reason to know, that this case involves an Indian child pursuant to the Indian Child Welfare Act. However, the court can appoint an emergency guardian <u>before</u> holding a hearing, and before petitioners provide notice to the above individuals, if waiting for a hearing could result in substantial harm to the minor. 18-C M.R.S. § 5-204(4).

Will the minor in this case be substantially harmed if the court does not appoint an emergency guardian without notice to the above individuals before a hearing can be held on this motion? Yes No. *If yes, please describe why below:*

Please attach an additional page if necessary.

WHEREFORE, the Petitioner requests that this court:

- 1. Appoint an emergency guardian for the minor for a term not to exceed 90 days;
- 2. Appoint the emergency guardian without first requiring notice of the hearing on this motion.

Signature of Petitioner	
Date:	
Name:	
Address:	
Phone Number:	
Email:	

Signature of Co-Petitioner		
Date:		
Name:		
Address:		
Phone Number:		
Email:		

Attorney for Petitioner(s), if any:

Signature of Attorney and Main	e Bar Registration Number
Date:	-
Name:	
Address:	
Phone Number:	
Email:	

STATE OF MAINE

COUNTY

Personally appeared the above named, ______ and

_____, and made oath that the foregoing statements are true under penalty of

Before me,

perjury.

Date:

Attorney at Law / Notary Public / Register / Clerk