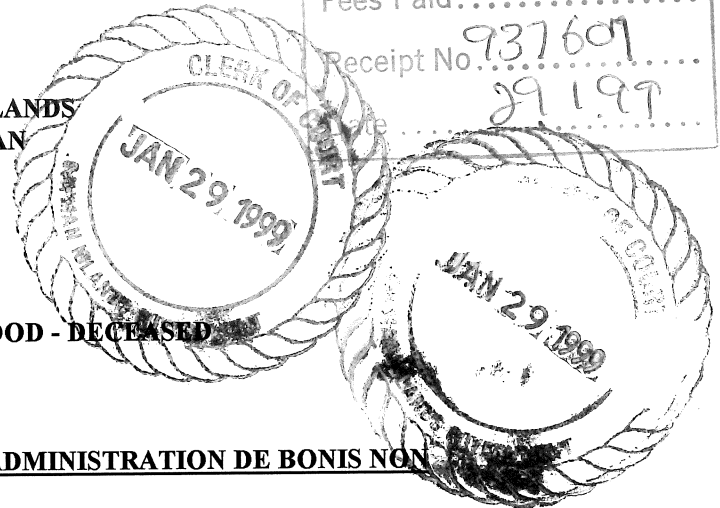


IN THE GRAND COURT OF THE CAYMAN ISLANDS  
HOLDEN AT GEORGE TOWN GRAND CAYMAN  
CAUSE NO. 9 OF 1998<sup>9</sup>  
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IN THE ESTATE OF CHARLOTTE MERLE WOOD - DECEASED

APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION DE BONIS NON

I, VERNA A. RUTHERFORD, of 8138 Heatherbrook, Port Arthur, Texas 77642 USA hereby apply for a grant of letters of administration de bonis non of the estate of the late CHARLOTTE MERLE WOOD of Bodden Town, Grand Cayman who died on the 7th day of July, 1990 testate, and to whose estate on the 2nd day of November, 1990, Grant of Probate of all of the estate which by law devolves on and vests in the Executrix of the said deceased were committed and granted to CICELY M. WOOD LEE of Groves, Texas, USA, by the Grand Court of the Cayman Islands, which grant now remains on record, and who, after commencing to administer the estate and effects, died on the 6th day of February, 1996, leaving part thereof unadministered.

And I annex hereto my Affidavit in support of my application and the Certificate of Death of the late CICELY M. WOOD LEE.

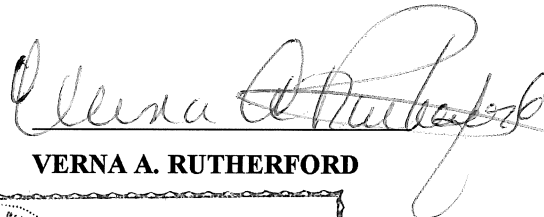
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And I declare myself bound unto the Financial Secretary of the Cayman Islands in the sum of CIS\$200,000.00.

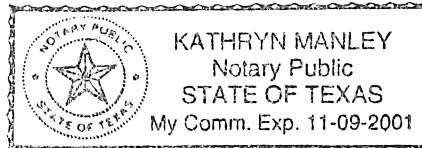
Dated this 13<sup>th</sup> day of Jan, 1998<sup>9</sup>

The condition of this obligation is that if the above named do, when lawfully called upon in that behalf, make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of the said estate and do exhibit the same in the Probate Registry whenever lawfully called upon so to do and do well and truly administer the said estate according to law and do make or cause to be made a just account of and distribution account thereof whenever lawfully so required and, if, hereafter, any will of the deceased may be propounded, to yield up the letters of administration de bonis non to the Probate Registry, then this obligation shall be void and of no effect, but shall otherwise remain in full force and effect.

Signed, sealed and delivered by the within  
named **VERNA A. RUTHERFORD**  
in the presence of:

  
**VERNA A. RUTHERFORD**

  
**NOTARY PUBLIC/JUSTICE OF THE PEACE**



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