

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SEBASTIAN COUNTY, ARKANSAS
GREENWOOD DISTRICT
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
CHARITY POWELL,
A/K/A CHARITY BEALLIS, DECEASED

CASE NO. 66GPR-25-210 (VI)

JOHN RANDALL POWELL

PETITIONER

RANDALL BEALLIS

RESPONDENT

ORDER APPOINTING ADMINISTRATOR OF ESTATE

On this ___ day of December, 2025, comes before the Court the verified Petition for Appointment of Administrator and Other Relief filed by John Randall Powell, the son of the decedent, by and through the attorney for the estate, Mr. Wayland A. Parker, II, and Hon. Michael Pierce appearing before and on behalf of Randall Beallis, Respondent, and based upon agreement of the parties as contained herein and a review of the petition for appointment and other matters properly coming before the Court, the Court being well and sufficiently advised does find as follows:

1. Decedent. The decedent, Charity Powell/Beallis, age 40, date of birth: May 2, 1985, resided at [REDACTED] Bonanza, Greenwood District, Sebastian County, Arkansas 72916, and who died at such address on or about December 3, 2025.

2. Proffered Will. That John Randall Powell is the son of the decedent. That he resides in Booneville, Arkansas, and is of legal age and qualified for appointment as Administrator. That he does not believe that the decedent left a valid Last Will and Testament.

3. Surviving Spouse, Heirs and Devisees. The surviving spouse, heirs and devisees of the decedent and their respective ages, relationships to the decedent, and present residence address are as follows:

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The decedent was married to Randall Beallis on November 11, 2015. He is of legal age and notice is given to him of these proceedings insomuch as he may contest or challenge the same. His physical address was previously [REDACTED] Bonanza, Arkansas 72916 until the separation of him and Charity Powell/Beallis. That his attorney is Honorable Michael Pierce, Gean, Gean & Gean, 511 Garrison Avenue, Fort Smith, Arkansas 72901, and a copy of this Petition was faxed to him at (479) 783-2440 for purposes of giving notice to Randall Beallis.

That decedent also had two children from her relationship with Randall Beallis, and they also are deceased and apparently died at or near the same time as Charity Powell/Beallis. Under the laws of descent and distribution of the State of Arkansas John Randall Powell would be entitled to an inheritance in the estate of his mother.

4. Value of Estate. The probable value of the estate of decedent is unknown. That John Randall Powell intends to determine what the estate of Charity Powell/Beallis legally is entitled to based on the Beallis divorce proceedings. Upon being appointed and making an investigation and discovery Petitioner will file an inventory as required by law.

5. Person to be Appointed. Petitioner nominates himself, John Randall Powell, whose address is in Booneville, Arkansas, to be appointed as Administrator of the estate of his mother. That he is qualified to be so appointed under Arkansas law and is the son and sole remaining survivor of the decedent. That he would ask that he be authorized to sign a \$20,000 personal surety bond as principal and surety and that it is also signed by his grandfather, the father of decedent, Randy Powell, as surety.

6. That the body of the decedent Charity Powell/Beallis, as well as the two half siblings of John Randall Powell were sent to the Arkansas State Crime Lab for autopsy and other forensic test. That in his original petition to the Court, John Randall Powell, asked the Court to

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enter an order that when the Crime Lab is finished with the body of Charity Powell/Beallis that the same be released to John Randall Powell and he be authorized to make burial arrangements, at his expense, for his mother. In his petition he also stated that he was willing to take care of the burial of his two half siblings if there were no objections from their father, Randall Beallis. That John Randall Powell and Randall Beallis, by and through his attorney, Hon. Michael Pierce, have reached an agreement that John Randall Powell is authorized to receive the body of his mother and make her burial arrangements so that she can receive a proper burial and that he will be responsible for expenses for the same. That Randall Beallis will be entitled to receive the bodies of the two minor children and make arrangements for their burial. That the parties agreed that the remains and body of Charity Powell, a/k/a Charity Beallis, shall be released to John Randall Powell from the Arkansas State Crime Laboratory and Arkansas Medical Examiner and that John Randall Powell is authorized to submit the 'Authorization for the Release of a Decedent' form which he previously submitted to the Arkansas State Crime Lab authorizing the release of the remains of Charity Powell, a/k/a Charity Beallis, to Jackie Davis at Dignity Memorial McConnell Funeral Home in Greenwood, Arkansas. That John Randall Powell as the son and Randall Beallis as the possible husband or widower of Charity Powell, a/k/a Charity Beallis, agree that John Randall Powell shall be entitled to obtain the remains under the Arkansas Final Disposition Rights Act of 2009, A.C.A. §20-17-102, regardless of whether Randall Beallis is the ex husband or is still married to Charity Powell, a/k/a Charity Beallis. Likewise, John Randall Powell is the closest relation to his half siblings, M.B. and E.B. born in 2019, besides their father, Randall Beallis. That John Randall Powell agrees that he makes no claim as to trying to obtain their remains from the Arkansas State Crime Laboratory and that Randall Beallis has priority and shall be entitled to receive the remains of his two minor children under A.C.A. §20-

17-102. That Randall Beallis is entitled to submit the Arkansas State Crime Laboratory form 'Authorization for the Release of Decedent' to whoever he designates in such form and to receive the remains of his two minor children. That the agreement of the parties is intended to provide for the release of the bodies of Charity Powell, a/k/a Charity Beallis, and the parties two minor children, M.B. and E.B. born in 2019, and they jointly ask the Court to approve and direct the crime lab to release the bodies as agreed upon herein.

IT IS, THEREFORE, DETERMINED BY THE COURT, CONSIDERED, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the Court does find that Charity Leanna Powell/Beallis died on or about December 2nd or December 3, 2025; that at this point in time the Court finds she died intestate without a Last Will and Testament; that should a purported Last Will and Testament be located, same can be proffered to the Court and the Court can proceed accordingly; that the Court finds John Randall Powell is the sole remaining child of Charity Powell/Beallis and is of lawful age and qualified for appointment as personal representative under Arkansas law and is hereby appointed Administrator of the estate of his mother and is authorized to sign a \$20,000.00 personal surety bond as principal and surety and with his grandfather also signing as surety; that upon the filing of an Acceptance of Appointment and the bond as set forth herein, the Clerk of this Court is authorized and directed to issue Letters of Administration to John Randall Powell; that the Court does hereby approve the agreement of the parties as to the disposition of the remains of Charity Powell, a/k/a Charity Beallis, and the two minor children, M.B. and E.B. born in 2019, born of the relationship of Charity and Randall Beallis, from the Arkansas State Crime Laboratory and Medical Examiners Office; Charity Powell, a/k/a Charity Beallis, is to be released to John Randall Powell and Jackie Davis with Dignity Memorial McConnell Funeral Home in Greenwood, Arkansas, upon remitting the authorization forms; that the employees of

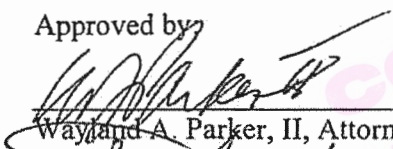
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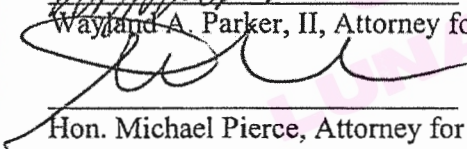
the Arkansas State Crime Laboratory or Medical Examiner's Office are authorized and directed to comply with the release of Charity Powell, a/k/a Charity Beallis, as set out hereinabove; that the employees of the Arkansas State Crime Laboratory or Medical Examiner's Office is authorized and directed to comply with the release of the two minor children, M.B. and E.B., to Randall Beallis or to his authorized representative as provided for under the Arkansas State Crime Lab form, all as provided for under A.C.A. §20-17-102 so that all three of the deceased can be buried as determined by the person authorized to make such arrangements provided for above; and, the Court continues jurisdiction for such future and further orders as might become necessary.

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Hon. Greg Magness
Circuit Judge, Probate Division

Approved by:


Wayland A. Parker, II, Attorney for John Randall Powell


Hon. Michael Pierce, Attorney for Respondent

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So Ordered

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