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IN THE NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF DOUGLAS

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In the Matter of the Estate

of

RICHARD NEWTON ARNOLD,

Deceased.

ORDER SETTLING FIRST AND FINAL ACCOUNT; ALLOWANCE OF ATTORNEY'S FEES AND COSTS, AND DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION

JAMES E. HALSEY, executor of the Estate of RICHARD NEWTON ARNOLD, deceased, having rendered and filed on the 8th day of August, 2001, his First and Final Account; Report of Executor and Petition for Settlement Thereof; Application for Allowance of Attorney's Fees and Costs and for Final Distribution of Estate, and the account and petition having come on regularly to be heard this 28th day of August, 2001, and proof having been made to the satisfaction of the court that Notice of Hearing on Settlement of Account, Petition for Distribution and Application for Approval of Costs and Fees has been given in the manner and for the time required by law, the court finds:

- 1. That the account is in all respects true and correct.
- 2. That due and legal notice to creditors of the estate has been given in the manner and for the time required by law.
- 3. That all claims and debts against the decedent and against the estate, and all debts, expenses and charges of

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administration have been fully paid and discharged, and there are no federal estate taxes due from the estate or personal property taxes due and payable by the estate, and that the estate is ready for distribution and is now in a condition to be closed.

- 4. That the whole of the estate was the separate property interest of the decedent.
- 5. That the executor has performed services in the administration of this estate for which he is entitled to a fee as fixed by statute, but has waived such fee. That the executor has incurred certain out-of-pocket expenses in so administering the estate, but has waived reimbursement of such costs.
- 6. That Evan Beavers & Associates, P.C. and Evan Beavers, Esq., have rendered services to the petitioner and the estate and a reasonable fee therefor is \$3,855, which fee was agreed to by the executor, together with expended costs of \$440.15 and anticipated closing costs of \$750 for a total sum \$5,045.15.
- 7. That under the terms and provisions of the Last Will and Testament of the decedent, the decedent devised and bequeathed all of his estate to the successor trustees of The Arnold Family Trust dated September 14, 1994, on behalf of the trust.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED:

- A. The First and Final Account; Report of Executor and Petition for Settlement Thereof; Application for Allowance of Attorney's Fees and Costs, and for Final Distribution of Estate, be, and the same is hereby, approved, allowed and settled, and that the facts, accounts and matters alleged and reported therein are a true, complete and correct record of the administration of the estate;
 - B. The executor of the estate is entitled to a statutory

- C. The executor is hereby authorized and directed to pay to the law firm of Evan Beavers & Associates, P.C. and Evan Beavers, Esq., the sum of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty-Five Dollars (\$3,855) as reasonable compensation for legal services rendered during the administration of the estate, together with the sum of Four Hundred Forty and 15/100 Dollars (\$440.15) for costs advanced by the firm in the administration of the estate, together with Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$750) anticipated closing costs for the total sum of Five Thousand Forty-Five and 15/100 Dollars (\$5,045.15);
- D. The executor be, and he hereby is allowed to pay final costs of administration as may be expended by him for publication of notice, certified copies and other expenses connected with the closing of this estate, not to exceed Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$750);
- E. After payment of the executor's fee and the attorney's fees and costs, the executor shall deliver and set over all of the rest, residue and remainder of the estate, together with all other property of the estate not now known but hereafter discovered as set forth above, to JAMES E. HALSEY and LORI A. ELEY, successor trustees, on behalf of THE ARNOLD FAMILY TRUST dated September 14, 1994;

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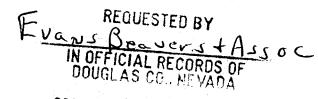
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1	IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that upon filing
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3	and from all liability thereunder to be incurred, and the estate shall
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5	DATED this 28 day of August, 2001.
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8	DISTRICT JUDGE
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10	EVAN BEAVERS & ASSOCIATES, P.C.
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12	EVAN BEAVERS, ESQ. Nevada State Bar No. 003399
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