

STATE OF MARYLAND REGISTER OF WILLS FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

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Darlene Miller, Production Supervisor The Daily Record 11 East Saratoga Street Baltimore, MD 21202

Dear Ms. Miller:

This is to inform you that effective December 1, 2013; the Montgomery County Register of Wills will be changing our current policy for Judicial Hearing publications. The office will no longer obtain the fee for the newspaper up front and then pay the fee to the newspaper upon receiving a bill. In addition this office will no longer send a bill to the petitioner in a Caveat proceeding notifying them of their obligation to pay the newspaper directly. The newspaper will be responsible to bill the petitioner. This procedure is consistent with the current billing procedure for regular estates and small estates. The office will continue to obtain the telephone number of the petitioner for your billing procedures.

If any additional information is needed, please do not hesitate to call me or my Chief Deputies, Margie Beatty or Lynda Hawkins.

Sincerely,

Joseph M. Griffin Register of Wills