

Affidavit for Collection of Personal Property
California Probate Code Section 13100

The undersigned state(s) as follows:

1. _____ died on _____, 20_____, in the County of _____, State of California.

2. At least 40 days have elapsed since the death of the decedent, as shown in a certified copy of the decedent's death certificate attached to this affidavit or declaration.

3. ☐ No proceeding is now being or has been conducted in California for administration of the decedent's estate.

OR

☐ The decedent's personal representative has consented in writing to the payment, transfer, or delivery to the affiant or declarant of the property described in the affidavit or declaration.

4. The current gross fair market value of the decedent's real and personal property in California, excluding the property described in Section 13050 of the California Probate Code [and any property included in a petition filed under Section 13151 of the California Probate Code](#), does not exceed _____, the adjusted dollar amount in effect on the date of the decedent's death. A list of adjusted dollar amounts, published in accordance with subdivision (c) of Probate Code Section 890, is attached to this affidavit.

5. ☐ An inventory and appraisal of the real property included in the decedent's estate is attached.
☐ There is no real property in the estate.

6. The following property is to be transferred, delivered, or paid to the affiant under the provisions of California Probate Code section 13100:

7. The successor(s) of the decedent, as defined in Probate Code Section 13006, is/are:

8. ☐ The affiant or declarant is the successor of the decedent (as defined in Section 13006 of the California Probate Code) to the decedent's interest in the described property.

☐ The affiant or declarant is authorized under Section 13051 of the California Probate Code to act on behalf of the successor of the decedent (as defined in Section 13006 of the California Probate Code) with respect to the decedent's interest in the described property.

9. No other person has a superior right to the interest of the decedent in the described property.

10. The affiant or declarant requests that the described property be paid, delivered, or transferred to the affiant or declarant.

The affiant or declarant affirms or declares under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

**NOTICE TO HOLDER OF
DECEDENT'S PROPERTY**

When properly filled out, this form meets California requirements under Probate Code 13100-13117.

1. You are **required** to transfer the described property to the affiant/declarant. You must pay the claimant's attorney fees if a lawsuit is necessary because you refuse. Cal. Prob. C. 13105.

2. You are **discharged from all liability** for the money or property when you transfer it based on good faith reliance on this affidavit. Cal. Prob. C. 13106.

3. When you rely in good faith on the affidavit, you have **no duty to inquire** into the truth of the statements in it. Cal. Prob. C. 13106.

Dated: _____

Signed: _____

[Printed name]

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

A Notary Public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of California)
County of _____)

On _____ before me, _____
(insert name and title of the officer)

personally appeared _____
who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

(Seal)

Signature _____

MAXIMUM VALUES FOR SMALL ESTATE SET-ASIDE & DISPOSITION OF ESTATE WITHOUT ADMINISTRATION

This form lists the maximum dollar values of a decedent's estate or specific property in that estate, as of the date of the decedent's death, for purposes of determining eligibility for

- (1) an order setting the estate aside for the decedent's surviving spouse and minor children; or
- (2) disposition of the estate or specific real or personal property in the estate informally, without full administration.

NOTE: The values in the left column apply to property of a decedent who died between April 1, 2022, and March 31, 2025. The values in the right column apply to property of a decedent who died on or after April 1, 2025. To find the values that apply to property of a decedent who died before April 1, 2022, see the Self-Help Guide to the California Courts at <https://selfhelp.courts.ca.gov/>.

The amount of the adjustment of the prior values is based on the change in the United States city average of the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers for the three-year period ending December 31, 2024, with each adjusted value rounded to the nearest \$25.

(See Prob. Code, § 890(b).) Unless otherwise provided by statute after April 1, 2025, these values will next be adjusted April 1, 2028.

<u>Probate Code Section</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u> (death between Apr. 1, 2022, and Mar. 31, 2025)	<u>Amount</u> (death on or after Apr. 1, 2025)
1. SMALL ESTATE SET-ASIDE UNDER PROBATE CODE SECTIONS 6600–6613			
§§ 6602, 6609	The net value of the decedent's estate, excluding all liens and encumbrances at the date of death and the value of any probate homestead set apart under Probate Code section 6520, must not exceed:	\$ 95,325	\$ 107,900
2. DISPOSITION OF ESTATE WITHOUT ADMINISTRATION UNDER SECTIONS 13000–13606			
a. PROPERTY EXCLUDED FROM DETERMINING VALUE OF ESTATE			
§ 13050(c)	The amount of any salary or other compensation owed to the decedent for personal services from any employment, not to exceed:	\$ 18,450	\$ 20,875
b. AFFIDAVIT FOR COLLECTION, RECEIPT, OR TRANSFER OF PERSONAL PROPERTY			
§§ 13100, 13101	The gross value of the decedent's real and personal property in California—excluding any property described in Probate Code section 13050 and any property included in a petition filed under Probate Code section 13151—must not exceed:	\$ 184,500	\$ 208,850
c. PETITION & COURT ORDER DETERMINING SUCCESSION TO PRIMARY RESIDENCE			
§§ 13151, 13152, 13154	The gross value of the decedent's primary residence in California must not exceed:	\$ 184,500	\$ 750,000
d. AFFIDAVIT FOR SUCCESSION TO REAL PROPERTY OF SMALL VALUE			
§ 13200	The gross value of all real property in the decedent's estate located in California—excluding any real property described in Probate Code section 13050—must not exceed:	\$ 61,500	\$ 69,625
e. AFFIDAVIT FOR COLLECTION OF COMPENSATION OWED TO DECEASED SPOUSE			
§§ 13600, 13601	Net salary or other compensation owed, in aggregate, by one or more employers for personal services of the deceased spouse, must not exceed: (This limit does not apply if the decedent was a firefighter or peace officer described in Government Code section 22820(a).)	\$ 18,450	\$ 20,875

NOTICE

If the decedent died on or after April 1, 2022, this form must be attached to

- an affidavit or declaration furnished under Probate Code section 13101;
- a *Petition to Determine Succession to Primary Residence* (form DE-310) filed under Probate Code section 13151;
- an *Affidavit re: Real Property of Small Value* (form DE-305) filed under Probate Code section 13200; or
- an affidavit or declaration furnished under Probate Code section 13601.