**OATH OF ADMINISTRATOR,**

**INCORPORATING ADMINISTRATION BOND (DBN)**

**THE HIGH COURT**

**PROBATE**

**PART A**

**Name of Deceased:**

*[insert all variations]*

**Address of Deceased:**

*[include former address*

*if applicable]*

**Date of Death:**

**Place of Death:**

**Name of Applicant:**

**Address of Applicant:**

**Gross value of Estate:**

**PART B**

I, the above named applicant aged 18 years and upwards, make oath and say that the above deceased died intestate *[insert title]*

and that since his/her death, on the ………… day of ……………….. *[date of first grant]* a Grant of Letters of Administration issued from the Probate Office/District Probate Registry at …….

to *[insert name and relationship to the deceased]* and he/she having since died on the …… day of …………… without having fully administered the estate of the deceased

that I am the *[state relationship]* of said deceased

and that I will well and faithfully administer the estate of the said deceased by paying the deceased's just debts and distributing the residue of said estate according to law, and that I will exhibit a true inventory of the said estate and render a true account thereof, whenever required by law so to do; that the said deceased died at the above named place of death on the date of death cited above;

[*where application is made in District Probate Registry add*] and that the said deceased had at the time of death a fixed place of abode at the above named address within the district of …………………………..];

and that the whole of the estate without any deductions for debts, which devolves on and vests in the deceased's legal personal representative amounts in value to the figure cited above as the gross value of the estate and no more, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Sworn etc.

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**PART C**

I, the above named applicant am liable in full to pay to the President of the High Court the sum of double the gross value of the estate as specified in PART A above, for which payment I bind myself and my executors and administrators

Sealed with my seal this day of 20

The condition of this obligation is that if I, the intended \* [administrator] \* [administratrix] of the estate of the said deceased do fulfil the obligations referred to in PART B above and furthermore do pay all taxes and duties payable in respect of the estate of the deceased for which the personal representative is accountable and all income tax and surtax payable out of the estate and further do, if so required, render and deliver up the letters of administration in the High Court if it shall hereafter appear that any will was made by the deceased which is exhibited in the said Court with a request that it be allowed and approved accordingly then this obligation shall be void and no effect, but shall otherwise remain in full force and effect.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered by the said

in the presence of

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