

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
ORDER NO. 1623

Amending Administrative Rule
9(b)(2), 9(b)(4), and 9(b)(12)
concerning filing fees, and
adding new subsection (d) to
Probate Rule 5 concerning
deposit of wills

IT IS ORDERED:

1. Administrative Rule 9(b) is amended to read as follows:

Rule 9. Fee Schedule.

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(b) Filing Fees – Superior Court:

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- (2) For probate matters:

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- (ii) For depositing a will with the court for safekeeping 40.00

No fee will be charged if the will of a protected person or ward is deposited by the guardian or conservator pursuant to AS 13.26.285(e) after the death of the protected person or ward.

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- (4) Upon filing guardianship, conservatorship, or other protective proceedings to include all services 75.00

If a petitioner seeks appointment of a guardian or conservator for more than one child at the same

time, only one filing fee will be charged even though a separate petition must be filed for each child.

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(12) Upon filing a petition for change of name: 150.00

If the petitioner seeks to change the name of more than one family member at the same time, only one filing fee will be charged even though a separate petition must be filed for each person who is requesting a change of name under Civil Rule 84.

2. Probate Rule 5 is amended to add new subsection (d) as follows:

Rule 5. Deposit of Wills for Safekeeping and Acceptance.

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(d) **Deposit of Wills by Guardians and Conservators.** A guardian or conservator may deposit the will of a deceased ward or protected person with the court for safekeeping as required by AS 13.26.285(e).

DATED: August 24, 2006

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 15, 2006

/s/
Chief Justice Fabe

/s/
Justice Matthews

/s/
Justice Eastaugh

/s/
Justice Bryner

/s/
Justice Carpeneti