

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF LEHIGH COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA  
ORPHANS' COURT DIVISION

In re: \_\_\_\_\_, :  
An Alleged Incapacitated person \_\_\_\_\_ : File No.  
\_\_\_\_\_ :

**CERTIFICATION OF MEETING WITH CLIENT  
PURSUANT TO PA.C.S.A. §5511(a.1)(3)**

Counsel's Name: \_\_\_\_\_, Esquire

Date of Appointment as Counsel: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of meeting with client: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of meeting with client: \_\_\_\_\_

Sections I or II, and III, must be completed and this form filed, and served upon counsel for §5511 petitioner, within five days of meeting with the client,

**PGOP** - Plenary Guardian of the Person

**LGOP** - Limited Guardian of the Person

**PGOE** - Plenary Guardian of the Estate

**LGOE** - Limited Guardian of the Estate

**I. POSITION OF CLIENT ABLE TO EXPRESS WISHES AND PROVIDE INSTRUCTIONS:**

Client does not contest the allegation of incapacity and

does

does not

object to the appointment of the proposed  PGOP  LGOP  PGOE  LGOE

Client does not contest the allegation of incapacity but proposes the following appointments:

PGOP

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

PGOE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

LGOP authorized to:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

LGOE authorized to:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**OR**

Client contests the allegation of incapacity and the need for guardianship services because:

Client declines to attend the §5511 Hearing because:

**II. CLIENT WITH DIMINISHED CAPACITY**

Client is unable to express his/her wishes and provide instructions because:

Counsel believes that the following protective action, permitted by Pennsylvania Rule of Professional Conduct 1.4(b), is reasonably necessary:

appointment of a *guardian ad litem* authorized to consent to pre-hearing placement of Client

filing a consent and joinder to the §5511 petition.

**III. SCHEDULING**

The hearing can reasonably be completed in 30 minutes

The §5511 Hearing should be allotted: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes/hours because:

Other information to aid in scheduling:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of court-appointed counsel