NO. PR-10-1517-3

IN RE: ESTATE OF

§ IN THE PROBATE COURT 2010 I

MAX D. HOPPER,

§ NO. 3 OF

JOHN F. WARREN COUNTY CLERK

DECEASED

§ DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

ORIGINAL ANSWER

JAMES J. HARTNETT, SR., Attorney Ad Litem for the unknown heirs and known heirs whose whereabouts are unknown of Max D. Hopper, Deceased, files this Original Answer to the Application to Determine Heirs and the Application for Court Created Independent Administration filed herein and states to the Court as follows:

- 1. The Attorney Ad Litem generally denies each and every allegation contained in the Application to Determine Heirs and the Application for Court Created Independent Administration filed herein, and demands strict proof thereof in accordance with the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure.
- 2. The Attorney Ad Litem should be awarded a reasonable fee for legal services rendered on behalf of the unknown heirs and known heirs whose whereabouts are unknown of Max D. Hopper, Deceased, in regard to the Application to Determine Heirs and the Application for Court Created Independent Administration.

WHEREFORE, the Attorney Ad Litem requests that the Court consider this Original Answer, and, that upon hearing, the Court award the attorney ad litem reasonable attorney's fees and grant such other and further relief, at law or in equity, to which he and/or the unknown heirs and known heirs whose whereabouts are unknown of Max D. Hopper, Deceased, may be justly entitled and/or which this Honorable Court deems proper.

Respectfully submitted,

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Original Answer

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 19th day of May, 2010, a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing was sent to all the attorneys of record, in accordance with the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure.

James Hartnett