Checklist for:

Petition for Attorney Fees

Statutory Requirements: FS 744.108, fees must benefit ward, customary fee; nature/value of estate/income; results. *See* *Est. of Platt* 586 So. 2d 328; *Rowe* 472 So. 2d 1145. Itemized description of services required, *Anderson v. Sun Trust Bank*, 679 So.2d 307 (5th DCA 1996).

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|  |  |  | Number of hours, [744.108(2)(a)] |
|  |  |  | Hourly Rate, [744.108(1)(d)] |
|  |  |  | Itemized Description of Services, [744.108(5) and *Anderson v. SunTrust*] |
|  |  |  | Period of Time Fee is Requested for [744.108(7)] |
|  |  |  | Attorney/Associate/Paralegal time distinguished [744.108(4)] |
|  |  |  | Notice to all guardians and attorneys of record or Waiver/Consent [744.108(6)] |
|  |  |  | Petition includes fees attorney has received to date for services rendered to guardian [744.108(7)] |
|  |  |  | Value of Estate [744.108(2)(e)] $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|  |  |  | Annual Income (including interest income) [744.108(2)(e)] |
|  |  |  | Amount of Fees Requested (to compare to estate and income values) |
|  |  |  | Status of Accounting (to determine current value of estate) |
|  |  |  | *Proposed Order Contains:* |
|  |  |  | Findings of hours, hourly rate and reasonableness of both. [*Est. of Platt* 586 So.2d 328 (Fla. 1991)] |
|  |  |  | Time period for which attorney is being compensated. [744.108(7)] |

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