

Appendix 2 - Sample authenticated copy co-decision-making agreement



Co-decision-making agreement

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Date of registration: 28-May-2023

Details of the appointer

Appointer name: Peter Jones
Appointer address: 5 Glyntown Road
Cork City
Cork
Ireland
Appointer Eircode: C01 A234
Appointer date of birth: 17-October-1963

Details of the co-decision-maker

Co-decision-maker name: Mary Jones
Co-decision-maker address: 12 Marwood Heights
Cork City
Cork
Ireland
Co-decision-maker Eircode: C01 A234
Co-decision-maker date of birth: 23-December-1964

Details of relevant personal welfare decisions

The following personal welfare decisions fall within scope of this agreement, to be made jointly by the co-decision-maker and the appointer:

1. Decisions relating to Accommodation

Details:

Decisions to start, stop, or change any nursing home or residential care facility. This is to include decisions regarding any form of supported residence or residential care, step-down, temporary or permanent care following a hospital admission. I want my co-decision maker to be able to discuss my accommodation needs with nursing home/care facility staff.

Exclusions or exceptions:

N/A

2. Decisions relating to Healthcare

Details:

Decisions to start, reduce, change, or stop any healthcare appointments relating to my GP, Geriatrician, (Oncologist, Psychiatrist etc.) and any other healthcare related appointments I attend, to ensure my ongoing health needs are met.

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In performing their function as co-decision maker, I wish for my co-decision-maker to be able to obtain relevant information for me (including access to test results, and medications I've been prescribed) from registered medical or healthcare professionals, regarding the specified decisions, and to advise me by explaining the relevant information and considerations related to the specified decisions. I wish for such professionals to freely discuss with and advise my co-decision maker with respect to appropriate care and all associated benefits and/or risks so my co-decision maker can explain this to me. I wish for my co-decision-maker to assist me with communicating any decisions made jointly to medical and healthcare professionals.

Exclusions or exceptions:
N/A

Details of relevant property and affairs decisions

The following property and affairs decisions fall within scope of this agreement, to be made jointly by the co-decision-maker and the appointer:

1. Decisions relating to Managing debts, taxes and liabilities

Details:
Decision about paying my bills, taxes, and submitting any tax returns.

Exclusions or exceptions:
N/A

2. Decisions relating to Property Management

Details:
Decisions about custody, control and management of my property and property rights at 5 Glyntown Road, Cork City, Cork, C01 A234.

Exclusions or exceptions:
N/A

Functions of the co-decision-maker

The co-decision-maker is authorised under this agreement to exercise the following functions:

1. To advise the appointer by explaining relevant information and considerations relating to a relevant decision
2. To ascertain the will and preferences of the appointer on a matter the subject of, or to be the subject of, a relevant decision and assist the appointer with communicating the appointer's will and preferences
3. To assist the appointer to obtain the appointer's relevant information
4. To discuss with the appointer the known alternatives and likely outcomes of a relevant decision
5. To make a relevant decision jointly with the appointer
6. To make reasonable efforts to ensure that a relevant decision is implemented as far as practicable

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