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The documents below are a bonus offered to individuals who purchased *Grave Robbers: How to Prevent Identity Theft of the Deceased*. If you are a lawyer, funeral home provider or other professional who would like to license our forms, please call 740.297.6278.

If you are not a surviving spouse and the estate is not subject to probate, send the following letter to the credit reporting agencies.

If you are a surviving spouse, download the Surviving Spouse Request For Death Flag document.

If you are a trustee, download the Trustee Request For Death Flag document.

If you are an executor, download the Executor Request for a Death Flag document.

TransUnion
P.O. Box 2000
Chester, Texas 19022
Attention: CCD

Subject: Death Flag Request

I am requesting that a death flag be placed on the credit files of the following individual:

Name: _____

Most recent address: _____

Date of birth: _____

Social Security number: _____

Please add the following words to the records: Deceased. Do not open new accounts. Notify me if someone requests credit in the decedent's name.

I am also requesting that you send a copy of the decedent's credit report to the name and address listed below.

The estate is not subject to probate. The attached affidavit gives me the authority to administer the affairs of the deceased and make this request. I have also enclosed a photocopy of my driver license and the decedent's death certificate.

Sincerely,

Attachments: Photocopy of driver license; photocopy of decedent's death certificate; affidavit.

Experian
P.O. Box 19729
Irvine, California 92623-9729

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Atlanta, Georgia 30348

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Affidavit:

Under oath, I state that:

1. _____ (name of decedent) died as a resident of
_____ (the state where the decedent last lived, i.e., California).
2. The decedent's mailing address was: (mailing address)

3. The date of death was (date of death) _____
4. I am :
 - a. The heir of the decedent
 - b. The person nominated as personal representative in the Will
 - c. Other: _____
5. There is no need for probate because:

Dated signature

Name printed/typed

Address

State: _____
County: _____
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN before me on
Date: _____
By _____

Notary signature
My commission expires: _____