

**PROBATE COURT OF DEFIANCE COUNTY, OHIO**  
**JEFFREY A. STRAUSBAUGH, JUDGE**

**TRUST OF** \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR THE BENEFIT OF** \_\_\_\_\_

**CASE NO.** \_\_\_\_\_

**TRUSTEE'S BOND**

Amount of this bond \$ \_\_\_\_\_

The undersigned principal, and sureties if any, are obligated to the State of Ohio in the above amount, for payment of which we bind ourselves and our successors, heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally.

The principal has accepted in writing the duties of trustee pursuant to:

- said decedent's Will (and Codicil(s))
- wrongful death settlement trust (R.C. 2125.03)
- special needs trust (R.C. 2111.50 (B)(3))

Said duties include the following:

1. Make and return to the Court, on oath, as provided by and within the time required by law a true inventory of the real and personal property belonging to the Trust;
2. Administer and distribute according to law and the Trust all the real and personal property belonging to the Trust;
3. Render upon oath a just and true account of the administration at the time or times required by the Court or fails to perform such duties, or performs them tardily, negligently, or improperly, or if the principal misuses or misappropriates estate assets or improperly converts them to his own use or the use of another.

**(Check if personal sureties are involved.)**  The sureties certify that each of them owns real estate in this county, with a reasonable net value as stated below.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Principal

\_\_\_\_\_  
Surety

\_\_\_\_\_  
Surety

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Attorney in Fact

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Attorney in Fact

\_\_\_\_\_  
Typed or Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Typed or Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

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Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip Code

\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip Code

Net value of real estate owned in this county

Net value of real estate owned in this county

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$ \_\_\_\_\_