

# ***LAW OFFICE OF JERRY REIF***

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## ***ESTATE PLANNING INFORMATION FORM***

### **DOCUMENTS YOU MAY BRING TO THE MEETING**

#### **A. REAL PROPERTY**

Deeds—Most recent deeds showing ownership in husband, wife, or others.  
Land Contract/Mortgages—For all parcels (buying or selling).  
Tax Notice—Recent tax notice showing State Equalized Value.

#### **B. LIFE INSURANCE**

Life Insurance Policies (or summary by your insurance representative)

#### **C. FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

Income Tax (1040 for most recent year)  
Tax Deferred's (401k, IRA, Keogh, etc.) (or summary by advisor)

#### **D. BUSINESS INTEREST (if applicable)**

Partnership & Limited Liability Co.—Copy of Agreements & Certificates.  
Corporation—Corporate Minute Book including all Agreements & Minutes.  
Recent Tax Returns.  
Buy-Sell Agreements or Cross-Purchase Agreements (if any)

#### **E. DOCUMENTS**

Wills and Trust instruments (if any)  
Divorce Judgements (if any)

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. CLIENT INFORMATION

CLIENT #1

CLIENT #2

a. NAME (First, Middle, Last) \_\_\_\_\_

b. ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

c. TELEPHONE residence \_\_\_\_\_ business \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

d. DATE OF BIRTH (age) \_\_\_\_\_

e. OCCUPATION \_\_\_\_\_

f. SOCIAL SECURITY # (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

g. Are you a US citizen? YES NO YES NO

h. Do you anticipate any inheritance? YES NO YES NO

i. Have you been previously married? YES NO YES NO

j. Do you have a Will or Trust? YES NO YES NO

k. Have you made any annual gifts? YES NO YES NO

1. PROFESSIONAL ADVISORS: NAME ADDRESS TELEPHONE #

Accountant / CPA \_\_\_\_\_

Bank(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance \_\_\_\_\_

Realtor \_\_\_\_\_

Stockbroker \_\_\_\_\_

I authorize JEROME P. REIF, P.C. to contact my advisors, children and beneficiaries to discuss the information contained in this Client Information Form.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signatures: \_\_\_\_\_

**2. CHILDREN, BENEFICIARIES and/or DEPENDENTS:**

a.	CHILDREN NAME (First, Middle, Last)	DATE OF BIRTH	AGE
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____

b. **OTHER DEPENDENTS:** If yes, please explain:  
Are any children or other dependents adopted, divorced or need special assistance? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**3. PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE** 1<sup>st</sup> (Spouse or) \_\_\_\_\_  
Indicate your choices for the Personal Representative of your estate. (It is assumed that your first choice is your surviving spouse, if not, please indicate). Alternate 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
Alternate 3 \_\_\_\_\_

**4. TRUSTEES (usually name yourself first)** Initial Trustee \_\_\_\_\_  
  
ALTERNATE (usually name your spouse) 1<sup>st</sup> (Spouse or) \_\_\_\_\_  
  
SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE(S) Alternate 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
(usually name adult children or friend) Alternate 3 \_\_\_\_\_

**5. GUARDIAN & CONSERVATOR FOR MINOR CHILDREN (if there is no Surviving spouse)** Alternate 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
Alternate 2 \_\_\_\_\_

**6. DURABLE POWER OF ATTORNEY** 1<sup>st</sup> (Spouse or) \_\_\_\_\_  
(for legal matters including funding a trust --usually name spouse first) Alternate 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
Alternate 3 \_\_\_\_\_

**7. PATIENT ADVOCATE POWER OF ATTORNEY** 1<sup>st</sup> (Spouse or) \_\_\_\_\_  
(for medical decisions -- usually name spouse first) Alternate 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
Alternate 3 \_\_\_\_\_

**8. DISTRIBUTION OF ESTATE:**

**a. INITIAL DISTRIBUTION:**

Do husband and wife wish to leave their property to each other first and then to their named children in equal shares?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If no, Explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**b. SECONDARY DISTRIBUTION (RESIDUE)**

In the proposed estate plan, upon the death of both husband and wife, your estate may be divided into portions for living children and other heirs. These assets may be held in trust until you feel that the children or other heirs reach a proper age to exercise financial discretion. If this type of plan is chosen, state the ages you wish these distributions made?

At Each Child's Age? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ At Youngest Child's Age? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

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Option 1 100% at age \_\_\_\_\_

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Option 2 One-half at age \_\_\_\_\_ Remaining amount (balance) at age \_\_\_\_\_

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Option 3 One-third at age \_\_\_\_\_ One-third at age \_\_\_\_\_ Balance at age \_\_\_\_\_  
(one-half of balance) (Remaining amount)

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Other \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**c. ULTIMATE BENEFICIARY:**

If neither husband or wife or any children are able to receive the estate, is there an ultimate heir or heirs that you wish to name?

(I) Equally to heirs of husband and wife? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**d. SPECIFIC BEQUEST AND GIFTS:**

Do you wish to make any specific bequest in your Wills? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

FULL NAME OF BENEFICIARY/Charity	Description of Gift/Bequest
_____	_____
_____	_____

**9. PROPERTY INFORMATION & CURRENT VALUES** (General estimates are adequate)

	CLIENT #1	CLIENT #2	JOINT OWNED
Residence	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Household	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Recreational Property	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Business Value	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Acreage Value	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
(_____ acres at \$ _____ per acre)			
Inventory (crops, etc.)	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Land Contracts	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Vehicles (auto/truck)	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Recreation Vehicles	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Pension/Keogh	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
IRA/401k	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Stocks	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Bonds	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Bank (saving, deposit)	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
<b>TOTAL \$</b>	=====	=====	=====

**LIABILITIES & CURRENT DEBT**

Mortgages/Contracts	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Other Debts	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
<b>TOTAL \$</b>	=====	=====	=====

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<b>NET CURRENT ESTATE</b>	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
(Excluding life insurance)			

**10. LIFE INSURANCE UPDATE**

**a. Insurance on CLIENT #1 (or Husband's) life:**

Name of Company	Face Amount	Policy Type	Owner	Beneficiary
1. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
5. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
6. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____

**b. Insurance on CLIENT #2 (or Wife's) life:**

Name of Company	Face Amount	Policy Type	Owner	Beneficiary
1. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
5. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
6. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____

**c. Insurance Owned on other lives (such children or Business Insurance)**

Name of Company	Face Amount	Policy Type	Owner	Beneficiary
1. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
5. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____
6. _____	\$ _____	_____	_____	_____