

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
CARVER COUNTY

DISTRICT COURT  
FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
PROBATE DIVISION

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In Re: Estate of Prince Rogers Nelson,

Case Type: Special Administration  
Judge: Kevin W. Eide  
Court File No. 10-PR-16-46

Deceased.

**OBJECTION TO PROPOSED ORDER  
REGARDING CLAIMS PURSUANT TO  
THE PARENTAGE ACT AND  
PROBATE CODE**

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Darcell Gresham Johnston (“Johnston”), through her undersigned counsel, makes the following objections to the proposed Order Regarding Claims Pursuant to the Parentage Act and Probate Code (the “Proposed Order”) filed by the Special Administrator on May 13, 2016:

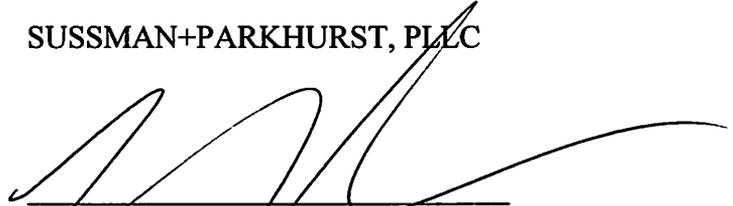
1. That without supporting legal authority, the Special Administrator through the wording of the Proposed Order requests that the Court adopt a presumption that the Parentage Act applies to the determination of heirship in an intestate Probate proceeding.
2. That the Special Administrator seeks the submission of an affidavit from a party claiming heirship without provision for the filing of that affidavit *under seal* so as to protect the confidential and personal information of a person claiming heirship.
3. That the Special Administrator seeks authorization of the Court to engage DNA Diagnostics Center (“DNA DC”) without specifying the scope of engagement of DNA DC in this matter.

However, recognizing that an Order Regarding Claims of Heirship is likely needed at this time, Johnston submits a proposed Order Regarding Claims of Heirship for consideration by the Court. In addition, Johnston requests that the Court establish a schedule for submission of

memorandums, reply memorandums, and other supporting documents in advance of the hearing  
scheduled for June 27, 2016, at 1:30 pm.

Dated: May 17, 2016

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