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**ABOUT THE DECEASED**

Please supply the following information about the person who has died

Full Name of the Deceased: Click or tap here to enter text.

Previous Name(s): Click or tap here to enter text.

Date of Death: Click or tap here to enter text.

(Please supply three original Death Certificates)

Date of Birth: Click or tap here to enter text.

National Insurance Number: Click or tap here to enter text.

Tax Office: Click or tap here to enter text.

Tax Reference Number: Click or tap here to enter text.

(If the Deceased was a widow/widower, please supply his/her marriage certificate so that we can make a copy)

Number of children of the Deceased: Click or tap here to enter text.

Number of grandchildren of the Deceased: Click or tap here to enter text.

Was the Deceased born in England/Wales?

Yes  No

If no, what year did he/she come to live here? Click or tap here to enter text.

**EXECUTORS/ADMINISTRATORS**

In respect of each executor, please supply the following information. If there is no Will, please supply the same information for each person who will be dealing with the estate (administrator):

**Executor/Administrator 1:**

Full name: Click or tap here to enter text.

Address: Click or tap here to enter text.

Email: Click or tap here to enter text.

Telephone Number: Click or tap here to enter text.

Date of Birth: Click or tap here to enter text.

National Insurance No: Click or tap here to enter text.

**Executor/Administrator 2:**

Full name: Click or tap here to enter text.

Address: Click or tap here to enter text.

Email: Click or tap here to enter text.

Telephone Number: Click or tap here to enter text.

Date of Birth: Click or tap here to enter text.

National Insurance No: Click or tap here to enter text.

**Executor/Administrator 3:**

Full name: Click or tap here to enter text.

Address: Click or tap here to enter text.

Email: Click or tap here to enter text.

Telephone Number: Click or tap here to enter text.

Date of Birth: Click or tap here to enter text.

National Insurance No: Click or tap here to enter text.

**Executor/Administrator 4:**

Full name: Click or tap here to enter text.

Address: Click or tap here to enter text.

Email: Click or tap here to enter text.

Telephone Number: Click or tap here to enter text.

Date of Birth: Click or tap here to enter text.

National Insurance No: Click or tap here to enter text.

**BENEFICIARIES**

Please advise if any of the beneficiaries named in the Will died before the Deceased:

Click or tap here to enter text.

Please supply current addresses for all the beneficiaries, unless these appear in the Will:

Full name: Click or tap here to enter text.

Address: Click or tap here to enter text.

Full name: Click or tap here to enter text.

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Please supply contact details for the Deceased's accountants/financial adviser/stockbroker (if any):

Contact: Click or tap here to enter text.

Organisation: Click or tap here to enter text.

Address: Click or tap here to enter text.

Contact: Click or tap here to enter text.

Organisation: Click or tap here to enter text.

Address: Click or tap here to enter text.

**THE DECEASED'S ASSETS**

Please supply statements and passbooks for the Deceased's bank and building society accounts, whether in the Deceased's SOLE name or held JOINTLY with any other person.

Please list the accounts below:

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| **Bank/Building Society** | **Account/Roll Number** | **Solely/Jointly** |
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Please supply certificates/statements and the most recent dividend/distribution slips for the Deceased's shares or other investments. If you think the Deceased might have had any other shares or investments, please tell us:

Click or tap here to enter text.

Please supply original National Savings certificates and premium bonds/holder card.

Click or tap here to enter text.

Was any cash found in the Deceased's possession? If so, how much?

Click or tap here to enter text.

If the Deceased had a car, please advise:

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| **MAKE** | **MODEL** | **YEAR OF MANUFACTURE** | **REGISTRATION NUMBER** | **VALUE** |
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| *Please Note: You should check you are insured before driving the Deceased's car.* | | | | |

Did the Deceased have any jewellery or watches? If so, what is its/their value?

Click or tap here to enter text.

Please note that if any individual item is worth more than £500, a professional valuation should be obtained. Items of value should not be left in the Deceased's empty property

Did the Deceased have any other items of value e.g. clothes, handbags, hobby equipment? If so, please provide a description and estimated value:

Click or tap here to enter text.

**THE DECEASED'S HOME**

Was it owned solely or in joint names?

Solely  Joint names

Where are the title deeds?

Click or tap here to enter text.

Estimated value: Click or tap here to enter text.

Please provide an estimated value of the contents, ie carpets and curtains, furniture, audio-visual equipment and other valuables. If the Deceased had artwork or antiques then a professional valuation would be advisable.

Click or tap here to enter text.

Did the Deceased own any other property?

Yes  No

If so, on the continuation page at the end of this form, please provide the address of the property and the same information as we have required for the Deceased's home.

Please provide details of any business assets:

Click or tap here to enter text.

Please provide details of any foreign assets:

Click or tap here to enter text.

Was the Deceased expecting to receive any money at the time of his/her death?

Yes  No

If yes, please provide details:

Click or tap here to enter text.

Was the Deceased the beneficiary of any Trust?

Yes  No

*If yes, we will need to see the Trust Deed.*

Did the Deceased make any gifts of more than £1,000 in the 7 years prior to his/her death?

Yes  No

If yes, please provide details of:

• The name of the recipient and his/her relationship to the Deceased:

Click or tap here to enter text.

• The amount of the gift (if cash) or description of the asset involved:

Click or tap here to enter text.

• So far as possible, the date of the gift:

Click or tap here to enter text.

Did the Deceased inherit any money in the 5 years prior to his/her death?

Yes  No

Did the Deceased have life assurance?

Yes  No

If yes, please advise the life assurance company and policy number

Company: Click or tap here to enter text.

Policy Number: Click or tap here to enter text.

*Please provide the policy documents*

**THE DECEASED'S ASSETS CONTINUED**

If the Deceased died before reaching pensionable age, he/she may have accrued pension rights with previous employers. Therefore, please advise us of his/her employment history:

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| **NAME OF EMPLOYER** | **DATE OF SERVICE**  **FROM:** | **DATE OF SERVICE**  **TO** |
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We may be able to reclaim Income Tax for the tax year in which the Deceased died. Therefore, please advise any pensions/annuities from which the Deceased received an income:

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| **PENSION/ANNUITY PROVIDER** | **REFERENCE NUMBER** |
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**LIABILITIES AND FUNERAL EXPENSES**

Please provide us with the funeral invoice. We can liaise with the Deceased's bank to arrange payment of the invoice by them if there are sufficient funds in the Deceased's account.

Please let us have all the invoices for costs associated with the funeral eg flowers, funeral tea, death notice. All these can be set against the value of the estate for Inheritance Tax purposes.

Please supply copies of all outstanding bills e.g. credit cards, utility bills etc.

Did the Deceased leave any other liabilities or are you aware of any potential claim against the estate?

Yes  No

If yes, please provide details below:

Click or tap here to enter text.

**YOUR CONTACT DETAILS**

Full name: Click or tap here to enter text.

Address:Click or tap here to enter text.

Telephone Number: Click or tap here to enter text.

Email: Click or tap here to enter text.

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**CONTINUATION PAGE FOR ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

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