

IN THE COURT OF CHANCERY OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

IN RE: AMENDMENT TO COURT OF CHANCERY RULES, SECTION XIX, RULE 197

This 15th day of December 2014, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Court of Chancery Rules, Section XIX, Rule 197 shall be amended effective January 1st, 2015.

Rule 197 shall be amended as follows:

Rule 197. Exceptions to an inventory or accounting.

(a) Time and form of filing. — Exceptions to an inventory may be filed with the Register of Wills at any time after the filing of the inventory but not later than 3 months after the mailing of the notice of the filing of the final ~~account~~accounting. Exceptions to an ~~account~~accounting shall be filed with the Register of Wills within 3 months of the mailing of the notice of the filing of the ~~account~~accounting. The exceptions shall be in writing and shall contain the following information:

1. ~~Name~~The name of beneficiary ~~excepting filing the exception~~.
2. The nature of the beneficiary's interest in the estate.
3. A list of the specific exceptions and the grounds for each exception.

(b) Notice. — ~~Upon the filing of such exceptions, the and responses. The~~ Register of Wills shall ~~forthwith~~ written notice ~~thereof in writing and of the filing of exceptions to an inventory or accounting, and the personal representative shall file a response to the exceptions will be heard by the Court after the expiration of 15~~no later than 30 days from the ~~time such~~date of the notice ~~is sent of the exceptions~~.

(c) Hearing on the exceptions. The parties shall confer and contact the Court to schedule a hearing on the exceptions to be conducted in the manner prescribed by Rule 198.