

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, EIGHTEENTH  
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR  
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

Case No.: \_\_\_\_\_

IN RE: THE GUARDIAN ADVOCACY OF

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Name of Person with a Developmental Disability*

**ORDER APPOINTING STANDBY GUARDIAN ADVOCATE OF THE PERSON  
(Form H-1)**

Upon consideration of the Petition for the Appointment of Standby Guardian Advocate(s) of the Person, and the court being fully advised of the premise, it is

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED as follows:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ is hereby appointed Standby Guardian Advocate of the Persons with developmental disabilities.
2. The Standby Guardian Advocate shall be empowered to assume the duties of his/her office immediately upon the death, removal or resignation of the Guardian Advocate of the Persons with Developmental Disabilities.
3. Within 20 days after assumption of duties as Guardian Advocate, the Standby Guardian Advocate shall petition for confirmation of appointment and submit to a criminal background record check and if the court finds that the Standby Guardian to be qualified to serve as Guardian Advocate pursuant to §744.309 and §744.312, Florida Statutes, appointment of Guardian shall be confirmed.
4. Upon confirmation, the Standby Guardian shall file an Oath in accordance with §744.347, Florida Statutes.

**DONE AND ORDERED** this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Circuit Judge

Copies furnished to:

- *Attorney appointed to represent person with a developmental disability*
- *Next of kin of the person with a developmental disability, if any*
- *Health Care Surrogate designated by the person with a developmental disability pursuant to advanced directives, if any*
- *Agent appointed by the person with a developmental disability under Durable Power of Attorney, if any*