

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
SANGAMON COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

IN THE MATTER OF: _____)
)
) Case Number: _____)
An Alleged Disabled Adult.)

ORDER APPOINTING GUARDIAN AD LITEM

This cause having come on to be heard on the Petition for Appointment of Guardian.

It appears to the Court that it is in the best interests of the alleged disabled adult to appoint a Guardian *ad Litem*.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED BY THE COURT, that _____ is appointed Guardian *ad Litem* for the alleged disabled adult, to answer the Petition and report to the Court concerning the Respondent's best interests consistent with Section 11a-10 of the Illinois Probate Act (755 ILCS 5/11a-10), to elicit the Respondent's position concerning the adjudication of disability, the proposed Guardian, and any proposed changes in living arrangements, care, and any other areas of inquiry deemed appropriate. The Guardian *ad Litem* may inspect and copy any medical or mental health records and investigate assets and copy any financial and banking records the Guardian *ad Litem* deems necessary. The Guardian *ad Litem* shall personally interview the Respondent prior to the hearing and inform Respondent personally and in writing of the contents of the Petition and of his/her rights under Section 11a-11 of the Probate Act (755 ILCS 5/11a-11).

Date: _____

Judge: _____