STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA ) IN THE PROBATE COURT

 )

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ) CASE NO. 2018-ES-10-0000

)

THE ESTATE OF \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ )

 ) **ORDER ALLOWING**

 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, ) **CLAIM**

 )

 Petitioner, )

 )

-vs.- )

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\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, as Personal Representative of the )

Estate of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, )

 )

 Respondent. )

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ )

 Hearing Date: , 2018

 Presiding Judge: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Petitioner: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Respondent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Court Reporter: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 **THIS MATTER** came before the Court on Petitioner \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_’s Petition for Allowance of Claim, filed on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_, 2017. A Hearing was held on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_, 2017. Present on behalf of Petitioner were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Also present was Respondent \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Upon review of the pleadings, filings of record, and testimony presented at the hearing, the Court makes the following findings of fact and conclusions of law:

**FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (“Decedent”) died on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_, 2017, a resident of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ County. Jurisdiction and venue in this Court are proper pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. §§ 62-1-302 and 62-3-201.
2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was duly appointed Personal Representative of Decedent’s Estate on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_, 2017.
3. On \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_, 2017, Petitioner filed a Statement of Creditor’s Claim in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ thousand, \_\_\_\_\_ hundred and \_\_/100 dollars ($\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_), representing the outstanding balance for legal services rendered.
4. Petitioner filed a Petition for Allowance of Creditor’s Claim on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_, 2017. That Petition asks the Court to grant the Petitioner’s Claim in the amount of \_\_\_\_ thousand, \_\_\_\_\_ hundred and \_\_\_/100 dollars ($\_\_\_\_\_\_\_).
5. On the testimony and evidence presented, the Court finds that the Petitioner has a valid claim against the Estate in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ thousand, \_\_\_\_\_ hundred and \_\_/100 dollars ($\_\_\_\_\_\_\_), per the Statement of Creditor’s Claim filed on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_, 2017.

Based upon the foregoing, it is hereby

 **ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED** that Petitioner’s claim in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_\_ thousand, \_\_\_\_\_ hundred and \_\_\_/100 dollars ($\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_) is allowed and approved as a valid debt of the Estate and shall be satisfied in accordance with the South Carolina Probate Code.

 **AND IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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 **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

 **Associate Judge of Probate**

 **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ County, South Carolina**

This \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2018

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, South Carolina.