

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA**

**IN THE DISTRICT REGISTRY OF ARUSHA**

**AT ARUSHA**

**PROBATE AND ADMINISTRATION CAUSE NO. 7 OF 2022**

**IN THE MATTER** of the estate of the Late **KULDIP SINGH GREWAL**

**AND**

**IN THE MATTER** of Joint petition for letters of administration of the Late **KULDIP SINGH GREWAL** by **GAGANDEEP KULDIP GREWAL** and **RANDEEP SINGH SINGH**

**RULING**

11/08/2022 & 11/08/2022

**KAMUZORA, J.**

This ruling is in respect of Probate and Administration Cause No. 7 of 2022 in the petition for letters of administration of the Late **KULDIP SINGH GREWAL** who died interstate. The petitioners, **GAGANDEEP KULDIP GREWAL** and **RANDEEP SINGH SINGH** brought the petition praying to be appointed as joint administrators of the estate of the deceased. Submitting on behalf of the petitioner Mr. Bharat Chadha stated that, the deceased died interstate at Kondoa Dodoma on 7<sup>th</sup> February 2022 but his

place of domicile was here in Arusha. That, the petitioners jointly brought the present petition praying to be appointed as joint administrators of the estate of the deceased. That, after they have lodged this application, the citation was issued by the order of this court and published in Mwananchi Newspaper dated 10<sup>th</sup> June 2022 and the in the official gazette dated 10<sup>th</sup> June 2022 and the proof for publication was brought to this court. Mr. Chadha added that, the petitioners have fulfilled three requirements of the law under Rule 76 of the Probate Rules GN No. 4 of 1965. That, the citation was issued and published, 14 days has lapsed from the date of the publication of the citation and no caveat or objection have been preferred. He thus prays for this court to grant the petition by appointing the petitioners as joint administrators of the estate of the deceased.

This court also asked the petitioners to verify some facts regarding the petition and they both supported the petition and prayed to be appointed the joint administrators of the estate of the deceased, **Kuldip Singh Grewal**. The petition documents as well as the petitioners' response shows that, the deceased is survived by his relatives who are dependants to him; the wife, Gagandeep Kuldip Grewal, his two sons, Rajvir Singh and Harmeet Singh, his mother Sarjat Kaur Sing and his brother Randeep Singh Singh who

has interest over the estate. That, the estimated gross value of the estate likely to come to petitioners' hand is about Tanzanian shillings two billion.


I have gone through the petition and the submission by the counsel for the petitioner. The petition was supported by the death certificate dully issued by Registrar General of births and deaths on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2022, duly signed consent of heirs, affidavit as to domicile, administrator's oaths and minutes for the clan meeting.

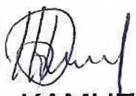
The records are clear and shows that the order for citation was issued and published by the petitioners in compliance with legal requirement. The counsel for the petitioners submitted in court the official gazette dated 10<sup>th</sup> June 2022 and the Mwananchi Newspaper dated 10<sup>th</sup> June 2022. It is clear that, 14 days from the date of last publication of the citation has lapsed and no caveat or objection has been lodged in court. In that regard, this court is satisfied that the petitioners; one being the decease's wife and another the decease's brother are fit persons to administer the deceased's estate.

Since the petitioners have complied to all legal requirements, I hereby grant the letters of administration of the estate of the deceased **KULDIP SINGH GREWAL** to the Petitioners **GAGANDEEP KULDIP GREWAL** and

**RANDEEP SINGH SINGH.** The petitioners as joint administrators of the deceased's estate are jointly responsible to collect the deceased's properties and debts, file the inventory and final accounts within 6 months as so required by the law.

**DATED** at **ARUSHA** this 11<sup>th</sup> Day of August, 2022



  
D. C. KAMUZORA  
JUDGE