

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF IOWA**  
**IN AND FOR \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY**

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE

PROBATE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

Of \_\_\_\_\_, DECEASED

DEPT. OF REVENUE  
NUMBER. \_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICATION FOR RELEASE OF INHERITANCE/ESTATE TAX LIENS**

**A COMPLETE COPY OF THE PROBATE OR TRUST INVENTORY MUST BE ENCLOSED**

To the Iowa Department of Revenue:

For application herein, the \_\_\_\_\_ states:

1. That the decedent died the owner of the following described real estate to-wit:

Which has now been sold/mortgaged for the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

2. That in order to convey merchantable title to said real estate, it is necessary that the Iowa inheritance/estate tax lien be released.

3. In consideration of this request, it is acknowledged that any liens for any inheritance/estate tax due and owing shall attach to the proceeds of sale as provided in Iowa Code sections 450.7 and 451.12.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned requests that the Iowa inheritance/estate tax lien be released from the real estate above described.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Executor/Administrator/Trustee  
Surviving Joint Tenant

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

The liens are hereby released as requested above pursuant to Iowa Code sections 450.7 and 451.12.

Iowa Department of Revenue

BY \_\_\_\_\_