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By recorded Post

Viju Wortley

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Dear Viju Wortley

Re: Pre-action protocol letter, Estate of Krishnaswami Venkataramanan's (DOB: 18.01.1934)

We are instructed by Ms Mohini Hersom to act on her behalf to deal with her deceased father Mr Krishnaswami Venkataramanan's (DOB: 18.01.1934) wealth. We wrote to you on 04/12/2025 and on 20/01/2025 by recorded post regarding this matter.

We are informed at the time of your father's death, the deceased was residing with you and that you have had possession and control of information and documentation relating to his estate. Mr Venkataramanan died on 01 August 2024. No grant of probate and letters of administration has been issued. No will is produced or disclosed to our client. Our client is a lawful beneficiary of the estate under the rules of intestacy.

You were requested to provide full disclosure of all the assets belonging to the deceased at the date of his death. You were also requested you to confirm whether he left a will and, if so, provide a copy.

Further, you were requested to set out your position as to how you propose the deceased estate should be administered and divided between the two siblings. Despite prior correspondence by post, you have failed to provide any response or disclosure regarding the estate.

We hereby give you notice that our client intends to make an application for letters of administration in respect of the estate of the deceased. In the event that you object to our client's application, or seek to impede the proper administration of the estate, our client will apply to the court for the appointment of an independent administrator. In those circumstances, you will be held liable for the costs of such an application.

We formally request you provide the following within 14 days of the date of this letter:

1. Confirmation of whether the deceased left a will and, if so, a copy of the same and the details of where the original is held;
2. Confirmation of whether any application for probate or letters of administration has been made or intended;
3. Full details of the deceased's assets, including but not limited: the property at 19 Carston Grove, Calcot, Reading, RG31 7ZN, any bank accounts, savings, investments, pensions or insurance policies or any other assets
4. Confirmation of use of the property and whether any income or benefit has been derived from it.

If we do not receive a substantive response within 14 days, our client reserves the right, without further notice to take such steps as necessary to protect her interests and position, including making the application referred to above and seeking appropriate court directions. You will be liable to pay the legal costs incurred as a result of your failure to co-operate in this matter.

Your anticipated co-operation is highly appreciated.

Kind Regards

Barrister Md Abu Sufian
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