Bipartisan push to end violence against children around the world

WASHINGTON— Rep. Jim McGovern (D-MA), Ranking Member of the House Rules Committee, alongside Rep. Maria Salazar (R-FL) and Rep. Brian Fitzpatrick (R-PA) introduced a major new bill to update and strengthen existing U.S. Government efforts to end global violence against children, improve inter-agency coordination in addressing violence and promote the use of evidence-based strategies and information gathering capabilities.

Globally, half of all children experience violence. Violence includes abuse, neglect, and exploitation and can be physical, sexual, psychological, or emotional in nature. Violence can happen anywhere-in communities, schools, homes, workplaces, and in humanitarian settings. Sexual exploitation and abuse take many forms and include human trafficking, early and forced child marriage, homicide, online exploitation, and gender-based violence.

"America has played a leading role in developing strategies to reduce and end child violence, and our new bipartisan bill builds on that legacy to help put an end to violence against children once



and for all," said McGovern.

"We must do more to protect vulnerable children from being exploited by evil individuals across the world," said Salazar. "I am proud to co-lead the Strengthening Efforts to End Violence Against Children Act to help innocent children who are at risk of sexual exploitation, human trafficking, forced child marriages, online abuse, and gender-based violence."

"It is our duty to protect children from exploitation and violence," said Fitzpatrick. "I am grateful to partner with my colleagues on the bipartisan Strengthening Efforts to End Violence Against Children Act to ensure that appropriate resources are directed to protect vulnerable children at risk of violence around the world."

Specifically, the Strengthening Efforts To End Violence Against Children Act will:

Align current interventions for vulnerable children with USAID's Advancing Protection and Care for Children in Adversity Strategy and evidence-based interventions such as the INSPIRE strategies and Violence Against Children Surveys.

Elevate the USAID Special Advisor for Assistance to Orphans and Vulnerable Children and require the Special Advisor to advise USAID offices, bureaus, and field missions and other U.S. government agencies to address violence against children through the current whole-of-government strategy. Update USAID reporting requirements to identify how U.S. agencies are utilizing the INSPIRE strategies and findings from Violence Against Children and Youth Surveys, including in response to the effects of COVID-19.

Public Notices

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court Hampden Probate and Family Court** 50 State Street Springfield MA, 01103 Docket No. HD16P0217PM In the matter of: Walter William Cady of Holyoke, MA **Protected Person/Disabled** Person/Respondent CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF

To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, you are hereby notified pursuant to Rule 72 of the Supplemental Rules of the Probate & Family Court, that the 4th account(s) of Danyelle Cady of Springfield, MA as Conservator of the property of said Respondent has or have been presented to the Court for allowance.

CONSERVATOR'S

ACCOUNT

You have the right to object to the account(s). If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this court on or before 10:00 AM. on the return date of 08/18/2023. This day is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to object to the account(s). If you fail to file the written appearance. and objection by the return

date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you, including the allowance of the account(s).

Additionally, within thirtv days after said return day (or within such other time as the Court upon motion may order), you must file a written affidavit of objections stating the specific facts and grounds upon which each objection is based and a copy shall be served upon the Conservator pursuant to Rule 3 of the Supplemental Rules of the Probate & Family Court.

You have the right to send to the Conservator, by registered or certified mail, a written request to receive a copy of the Petition and account(s) at no cost to you.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The outcome of this proceeding may limit or completely take away the above-named person's right to make decisions about personal affairs or financial affairs or both. The abovenamed person has the right to ask for a lawyer. Anyone may make this request on behalf of the above-named person. If the above-named person cannot afford a lawyer, one may be appointed at State expense.

Witness, Hon. Barbara M. Hyland, First Justice of this Court. Date: July 2

Register of Probate

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Hampden Probate and **Family Court** 50 State Street Springfield, MA 01103 (413)748-7758 Docket No. HD23P1523EA Estate of: Marilyn Catherine Loudon Date of Death: 07/09/2023 CITATION ON PETITION FOR **FORMAL** ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons: A Petition for Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Kelly A Maher of Holyoke, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: Kelly A Maher of Holyoke, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve on the bond in unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceed-Rosemary A. Saccomani attorney must file a written

appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 08/16/2023.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

WITNESS, Hon. Barbara M Hyland, First Justice of this Court. Date: July 19, 2023

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07/28/2023

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court Hampden Division** Docket No. HD23P1447EA Estate of: Janet K. O'Brien Also Known As: Janet G. O'Brien Date of Death: June 3, 2023 INFORMAL PROBATE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Susan C. O'Brien of Holyoke, MA

PUBLICATION NOTICE

a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Susan C. O'Brien of Holyoke, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the Register of Probate estate, including distribu-

tion of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner. 07/28/2023

Commonwealth of **Massachusetts Probate and Family Court Department HAMPDEN SS** Docket No: HD22P2593PM

To all persons interested in the estate of Patricia A. Costello of Holyoke in said County, person under conser-

vatorship single. A petition has been presented to said Court for license to sell at private sale - public auction - certain real estate of said Patricia A. Costello for her maintenance.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at 50 State Street, Springfield before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 9th day of August 2023, the return day of this citation.

Witness, BARBARA M. HYLAND, Esquire, First Judge of said Court this 7th day of July 2023.

Rosemary A. Saccomani

The Holyoke Sun

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