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The following information will be helpful to us (and to you) in discussing your estate plan and preparing your Will(s). This information is confidential and will not be revealed to anyone without your permission. The financial information requested can be estimated; we do not need exact values for planning purposes. If any of the information requested is not applicable to your situation, please mark it "not applicable" or "N/A." If you have difficulty in answering any of the questions, your attorney will help you when you meet together. Note that there are explanatory footnotes at the bottom of some pages.

#### **ESTATE PLANNING QUESTIONNAIRE**

Please Print or Type

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

l.	FAMILY AND PERSONAL FACTS
A. YOUR INFORMATION	
Full Name:	
	(First, Middle Initial, Last)
Soc. Sec. No.:	Birthdate:
Residence Address:	
Business Address:	
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:
Email Address:	
Are you a citizen of the United Sta	ites? Yes No
If no, please give name and count	ry of citizenship:
Date residence established in Wis	consin:

## B. PARTNER / SPOUSE INFORMATION:

Full Name:	
(First, Middle II	nitial, Last)
Soc. Sec. No.:	Birthdate:
Residence Address:	
Business Address:	
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:
Email Address:	
Are you a citizen of the United States? Yes	No
If no, please give name and country of citizenship:	
Date residence established in Wisconsin:	
C. MARRIAGE / PARTNERSHIP INFORMAT	ION
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Marital / Domestic Partnership Status:	
Date and Place of Marriage / Partnership:	
Do you have a Marital or Pre-Marital Agreement? (If yes, please attach a copy)	Yes No
D. CHILDREN Please provide the following information on each o	of your children:
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Name (Full, Middle Initial, Last)	Date of Birth
Address	
Telephone Number Marital Stat	tus Natural born/Adopted/Step

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Address		
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Name (Full, Middle Initial, Last)		
Address		
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Name (Full, Middle Initial, Last)		Date of Birth
Address		
Telephone Number	Marital Status	Natural born/Adopted/Step
Name (Full, Middle Initial, Last)		
Address		
Telephone Number	Marital Status	Natural born/Adopted/Step
DECEASED CHILDREN		
ou have any children who die of death, and whether they h	ed? If yes, plea ad children of their own.	ase provide the name, date of

F. PRIOR RELATIONSHIPS			
lave either of you been married before	ore? Yes No		
f yes, are there outstanding obligation  Yes No  *Examples would be child support, mathe benefit of others, etc.)			lth or life insurance f
Do either of you have children by a for yes, please give names, ages, date	ormer marriage? Yes es of birth, marital status a	No No lace of re	esidence.
G. GRANDCHILDREN			
Name	Date of Birth	Sex	Child Of
Are any grandchildren step-grandchi	ldren or adopted? Yes	No	

### H. PARENTS

## 1. Husband's

Father	Date of Birth	Living? If not, Date of Death
Address		
Mother	Date of Birth	Living? If not, Date of Death
Address	2. Wife's	
Father	Date of Birth	Living? If not, Date of Death
Address		
Mother	Date of Birth	Living? If not, Date of Death
Address		
I. SIBLINGS		
Name (Full, Middle Initial, Last)	Age	Sibling of
Address		
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J. HEALTH ISSUES		
Do you, your spouse, your children disabilities likely to affect your estate p		
If yes, please explain:		

#### II. INVENTORY OF YOUR ESTATE

#### **A.** OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY (i.e., non-real estate)

1. Please provide the information requested regarding all property, including the following:

Savings Accounts

**Checking Accounts** 

Securities

Investments other than Securities

Personal and Household Property (list collectibles, antiques and individual items of unusual value separately)

Cars, Boats, etc.

Business Interests (non-stock)

Stock in Closely-Held Corporations

Stock in Subchapter S Corporations

Safe Deposit Box

Other Personal Property (include description)

Α.				
	Item	Current Value	Titled/Names	Acquired Date & Value
B.		_		
	Item	Current Value	Titled/Names	Acquired Date & Value
C.	Item	Current Value	 Titled/Names	Acquired Date & Value
	item	Current value	Tilled/Names	Acquired Date & Value
D.	Item	Current Value	Titled/Names	Acquired Date & Value
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F.		_		
	Item	Current Value	Titled/Names	Acquired Date & Value
G.				
	Item	Current Value	Titled/Names	Acquired Date & Value
H.	Item	Current Value	 Titled/Names	Acquired Date & Value
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J.				
	Item	Current Value	Titled/Names	Acquired Date & Value

2.	Is any of your personal property regularly kept outside the State of Wisconsin?  Yes No				
If ye	es, please explain:				
3. suc		Held Corporation, are there any restrictions on the sale of respect to its sale? Yes No			
If ye	es, please provide copies stock ce	ertificates and other agreements.			
4. If ye		a Subchapter S Corporation? Yes No			
	n those assets been classified as	ed in his or her name alone, have the assets or the income that spouse's individual property? Yes No			
If ye	es, please explain:				
В.	REAL ESTATE: PRINCIPAL RI	ESIDENCE			
Add	dress:				
Title	ed in Name of:				
Dat	e Acquired:	Value when Acquired:			
Cur	rent Market Value:	Current Mortgage Balance:			
C.	OTHER REAL PROPERTY				
1.	Address:				
Title					
Dat	e Acquired:	Value when Acquired:			
Cur	rent Market Value:	Current Mortgage Balance:			

2.	Address:			
Title	ed in Name of:			
				n Acquired:
Curi	rent Market Value:		Current Mo	ortgage Balance:
3.	Address:			
Title	ed in Name of:			
Date	e Acquired:		Value whe	n Acquired:
Cur	rent Market Value:		Current Mo	ortgage Balance:
D.	LIFE INSURANCE			
1.	Company Name:			_ Policy #:
Туре	e (whole/term/etc.)	Date Acquired	Owner	Name of Insured
Face	e Value	Cash Value		Loans
Bene	eficiary			
2.	Company Name:			_ Policy #:
Туре	(whole/term/etc.)	Date Acquired	Owner	Name of Insured
Face	e Value	Cash Value		Loans
Bene	eficiary			

3.	Company Name:			Policy #:
Туре	e (whole/term/etc.)	Date Acquired	Owner	Name of Insured
Face	e Value	Cash Value	)	Loans
Ben	eficiary			
4.	Company Name:			_ Policy #:
Туре	e (whole/term/etc.)	Date Acquired	Owner	Name of Insured
Face	e Value	Cash Value	3	Loans
E.	eficiary  RETIREMENT BEN n, Deferred Compens		nefits, Profit Sha	aring, Keogh, 401(k), IRA, Bonus
1.	Type of Account	Owner		Current Value
	Company Name	 Beneficiari	es	Income
2.	Type of Account	Owner		Current Value
	Company Name	 Beneficiari	es	Income
3.	Type of Account	Owner		Current Value
	Company Name	Beneficiari	es	Income
4.	Type of Account	Owner		Current Value
	Company Name	Beneficiari	es	Income

5.				
<b>.</b>	Type of Account	Owner		Current Value
	Company Name	Beneficiaries	;	Income
6.				
·.	Type of Account	Owner		Current Value
	Company Name	Beneficiaries	3	Income
F.	GIFTS/LIABILITIES/E	TC.		
1.	List any gifts you have	made over \$15,000	) the date of th	e gift and any gift tax returns filed
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2.	List current liabilities (c	ther than mortgage	es):	
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Car	· Loan: Name on Loan	Date	Acquired	Current Balance
Dor	sonal Note:			
rei	Name on Loan		Date Acquired	Current Balance
Oth	ωr·			
Our	Name on Loan		Date Acquired	Current Balance
3.	Are you, your spouse o		ently beneficia	ries of any existing Trusts?
If ye	es, please explain:			
4.	Do you or your spouse	expect to inherit ar	ny property? Y	es No
				Estimated Value:
VVIII	the property be in Trust	? Yes No		

5.	Do you foresee any radical fluctuation in your total net worth Yes No	in the next five years?
If ye	/es, please explain:	
6.	Do you currently hold any powers of appointment under any Yes No	Trust Agreement or Will?
If ye	ves, please explain:	
7.	Do you have any lawsuits pending against you? Yes No	
If ye	ves, please explain:	
	III. CURRENT DISPOSITIVE INSTRUM	MENTS
Does	bes Husband currently have a Will? Yes No Da	ated:
Does	oes Wife currently have a Will? Yes No Da	ated:
	her than any Trusts in your Wills, have you or your spouse creass	ated any Trusts?
If ye	ves, please explain:	
	IV. <u>DESIRED DISTRIBUTION</u>	
A.	SPECIFIC BEQUESTS/DISTRIBUTION	
The	e following questions can be discussed in our conference, but	please consider beforehand.
1.	Do you want to leave any specific items to specific persons?	Yes No
If ye	/es, please explain:	
2.	Do you want to make any charitable bequests? Yes	
3.	If you own a business, do you desire a particular distribution	

#### B. SPOUSE

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If a substantial part of your estate will be passing to your spouse, there is an option to have this pass outright or to place it in a Trust. The reasons some people use a Trust for a spouse are to ensure professional management of assets and to have someone "take care" of assets in the event of illness or disability. A Trust can also be used to ensure that assets pass to children on the surviving spouse's death. If there were no tax savings involved, would you be interested in establishing a Trust for your spouse? If so, please consider the following questions:

Nο

Should the income be paid automatically to your spouse? Yes

2.	Should your spouse have the power to withdraw assets from the Trust? Yes No
3.	Should such a power be limited in amount per year? Yes No
4.	Should your spouse have power to direct where the assets would go upon death? Yes No
C.	CHILDREN
Trus prop	bu have children, and if something should happen to both spouses, would you want to have a st established for your children? If a child is under age 21 and if no Trust is established, perty goes to a guardian to be distributed at age 18, or custodian for that child, to be ributed at age 21.
for t	rust can last beyond age 21. If a Trust is established, it is flexible, in that money is available the health, education, and support of the child during the Trust. If you would like such a st, please consider the following questions:
	Would you want each child to receive his or her share upon attaining a certain age (25, 30, or would you want distribution to wait until the youngest child reaches a certain age?
	At what age would you like the child to receive his or her share (at what age of the ngest child, if that is the option chose)?
	Would you want a multi-stage distribution of a child's share (½ at age 25, ½ at age 30, $^{\circ}$ ? Yes No
If ye	s, please explain:
	Would you want the Trustee to have discretion to make advancements of a child's ultimate re for a worthwhile purpose such as buying a home or starting a business?  Yes No

5. If a child should die during the Trust, leaving a spouse and/or children (your grandchildren), should the child's share of the Trust go:
To the grandchildren? Yes No
To the spouse? Yes No
To both? Yes No
To both? Yes No To others? Yes No Who?
D. GUARDIAN
If you have minor children, we recommend nominating a guardian for the children if both parents should die while the children are still minors. Who do you wish to nominate? (we recommend nominating a primary and a successor)
Name:
Address:
Name: Address:
E. PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE
The "Personal Representative" (executor) of your estate is responsible for collecting the assets of your estate, paying the debts, expenses and taxes, and distributing the assets according to your Will. This can be either an individual (your spouse or a child) or a Trust company.
Who is your first choice to serve?
Second Choice?
F. TRUSTEES
If you create one or more Trusts in your Will, it is necessary to name a Trustee to administer the Trusts. The Trustee can be an individual or a bank with a Trust department (which not all banks have).
Who is your first choice to serve?
Second Choice?

# V. <u>MISCELLANEOUS</u>

	If you have named a bank as Personal Representative or Trustee, may we send a copy of Will draft to that bank for review? Yes No
ls th	ere a particular Trust officer with whom you have worked?
	Is there anyone else who you would like to receive copies of correspondence regarding Wills?
used	Financial Power of Attorney: Wisconsin has a "durable" power of attorney, which can be d while the person giving the power of attorney is under a disability. Would you want to sider use of a durable power of attorney? Yes No
a h	Health Care Power of Attorney: Wisconsin also allows you to execute a document naming ealth care agent to make health care decisions on your behalf (including decisions cerning life-support). Would you want to consider the use of such a document?  No
5.	We would like copies (not originals) of the following documents:  a. your present Wills  b. any existing Trusts you or your spouse have created  c. any existing Trusts of which you, your spouse or your children are beneficiaries  d. any agreements restricting sale of Closely-Held Corporation stock or partnership interests  e. any gift tax returns  f. deeds to any real estate you own  g. any Marital or Pre-Marital Agreements  h. any unilateral statement regarding income
6.	Would you like a copy of this questionnaire for your records? Yes No