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In re the Estate of **MARK EUGENE DUXBURY,** **Deceased.**	No. 10-4-00634-9 **Motion to Appoint Guardian ad Litem for Minor**

This case was transferred from King County Superior Court by order entered April 1, 2010. The Court on November 2, 2010, appointed the decedent's spouse, Chinyelu Duxbury, as personal representative of this intestate estate with nonintervention powers. The decedent had one child, Sojourner T. Duxbury, now age 16 years, who resides with her mother, Renee Brooks. No inventory has been filed or provided to the decedent's daughter.

RCW 11.96A.160 provides in its subsection (1) "The court, upon its own motion or upon request of one or more of the parties, at any stage of a judicial proceeding ... may appoint a guardian ad litem to represent the interests of a minor ...." and in its subsection (3) "The court may appoint the guardian ad litem at an ex parte hearing ...."

Renee Brooks, as sole parent of Sojourner T. Brooks, moves for her appointment as guardian ad litem on behalf of her daughter in this probate proceeding.

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