

## Business Law

### *LAP 40 – Wills and Intestacy*



Name \_\_\_\_\_

Period \_\_\_\_\_

Date Started \_\_\_\_\_

Date Completed \_\_\_\_\_

**DoDEA Standards**

- ◆PT2a Engage in higher order thinking and will apply problem-solving strategies in purposeful ways, both in situations where the problem and desirable solutions are clearly evident and in situations requiring a creative approach to achieve an outcome.
- ◆PT3a Communicate ideas to justify position, persuade and convince others, and responsibly challenge existing procedures and policies.
- ◆PT3c Incorporate appropriate leadership and supervision techniques, customer-service strategies, and standards of personal ethics to communicate effectively.
- ◆PT5e Abide by and apply the principles of law as a citizen of a global community.
- ◆PT5j Demonstrate and advocate for legal and ethical behaviors among peers, family, and community regarding the use of technology and information.

**Objectives**

- ◆ Explain who may make a will.
- ◆ List the formal requirements of a will.
- ◆ Describe how a will may be changed or revoked.
- ◆ Outline the passing of property when someone dies intestate.
- ◆ Recognize the rights of surviving spouses and omitted children.

**Text** - Understanding Business and Personal Law**Resource** - Chapter 40

**Time Frame** - 3 hours (suggested) for textbook assignment  
 - 1 hour (suggested) for People's Court Video 2

**Introduction** - A will may be the MOST important document you ever sign. In Chapter 40 you will find out why.

Turn in completed activities as directed by instructor.

- \_\_\_\_\_ Read Chapter 40, Wills and Intestacy, pages 598-607
- \_\_\_\_\_ Read Review Summary, page 608
- \_\_\_\_\_ View Video: People's Court, Videotape 2 – Case 5, “Memories Are Made of This”
- \_\_\_\_\_ Complete Video Guide Sheet for “Memories Are Made of This”
- \_\_\_\_\_ Complete Workbook pages 131-132
- \_\_\_\_\_ Complete Applying Critical Thinking Skills, page 609, questions 1, 3, and 4
- \_\_\_\_\_ Complete Cases in Point – Choose 3
- \_\_\_\_\_ Complete Cases to Judge -- #2

- \_\_\_\_\_ Complete Chapter 40 Test
- \_\_\_\_\_ Complete Unit 8 Case and Questions for Discussion, page 611
- \_\_\_\_\_ Complete Unit 8 Review, workbook pages 133-134
- \_\_\_\_\_ Complete Unit 8 Test

**Self Assessment – “I /I can...”**

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