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**FUNERAL HOME NEXT-OF-KIN AUTHORIZATION**

**FOR BODY REMOVAL**

***PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY***

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| Date: |  | | | | | | | | CASE #: | |  | | | | |
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| **DECEDENT** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Name: | |  | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | | *First* | | | | | | *Middle* | | | | | *Last* | | |
| Date of Death: | | | |  | | | | |  | | | | | | |
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| **NEXT-OF-KIN** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Name: | |  | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | | *First* | | | | | | *MI* | | | | | *Last* | | |
| Phone ***(Required):*** | | | | | |  | | | | | | | |  | |
|  | | | | | | *Include Area Code* | | | | | | | |  | |
| **FUNERAL HOME** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Driver: | |  | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | | *First* | | | | | | *MI* | | | | | *Last* | | |
| Representing/Authorized By: | | | | | | |  | | | | | | | | |
|  | | | | | | | *Name of Entity Removing Decedent from IOSME* | | | | | | | | |
| Phone ***(Required):*** | | | | | |  | | | | | | | |  | |
|  | | | | | | *Include Area Code* | | | | | | | |  | |
| **CERTIFICATION** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | I certify that | | |  | | | | | | | has been selected by the legal next-of-kin to perform | | | | | |
|  | | | *Funeral Home / Entity* | | | | | | |  | | | | | |
| services for the above-named decedent. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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|  | I certify that | | |  | | | | | | | is doing a trade call and has permission to remove | | | | | |
|  | | | *Funeral Home / Other Entity* | | | | | | |  | | | | | |
| the body of the above-named decedent on behalf of | | | | | | | | | . | | | | | | |
|  | | | | | | | | | *Funeral Home / Entity* | | | | | | |
| **SIGNATURES** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ***REQUIRED***  **Funeral Home:** | | | | |  | | | | | | | **Date:** | | |  |
| ***OPTIONAL***  **Next of Kin:** | | | | |  | | | | | | | **Date:** | | |  |