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**Form 56.04A**  
(rule 56.04)

In the Supreme Court of Newfoundland and  
Labrador General Division


**Notice of Application**

In the Estate of Bernice Matthews, (name of deceased) of the Town Grand Bank  
(city/town) of Grand Bank (city/town name) in the Province of  
Newfoundland & Labrador (Province) retired fishplant worker (occupation)  
widow (marital status), deceased, who died on or about the 30th (day of death)  
day of July, (month of death) 2025 (year)

FIVE DAYS after the date hereof, application will be made to one of the judges of the General  
Division of the Supreme Court of Newfoundland and Labrador, for Letters of  
Probate (type of letters) to be granted to April Stapleton  
(name of petitioner) of the Town of Fortune, in the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador (city/town, province)

Dated at the Town of Marystown, Newfoundland and Labrador, this 13th day of  
May, 2026

Address for Service:  
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Applicant or Solicitor for Applicant  
Telephone No. 709-279-2467

Note: This Notice of Application will lapse and be of no further force or effect 6 months from the  
date of its posting in the Registry of the Court unless within that time an application for letters of  
probate or administration, as the case may be, is filed with the Court, or unless, within that time, a  
Caveat opposing such application is filed with the Court.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above Notice of Application has been posted in the Registry of  
the Court from the date thereof to the present day, and that no caveat or other objection has been  
entered.

The \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_

Registrar

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