

Petitioner along with counsel present. Argument heard and case file perused.

Perusal of case file reveals that the instant petition instituted by the petitioner for appointment as legal guardian for the persons and properties of the minors namely **Muhammad Sabir and Muhammad Asad**, mentioned in the petition on the grounds that the petitioner is the real cousin of the minors.

The respondent/general public was summoned through publication in newspaper "Daily Ausaf" dated: 19<sup>th</sup> Sept, 2021, however none turned up as legal guardian of the minors other than the petitioner. Therefore, the respondent proceeded ex-parte. Consequently, petitioner produced ex-parte evidence.

At this stage there seems to be no clash of interest between the minors and the petitioner, being a real cousin of the minors, in the light of statements of witnesses produced by the petitioner. It is evident that minors are residing presently with the petitioner, who is looking after them as their parents have died. As real relative, he is most likely to take care of the welfare of the minors. Therefore, the petition in hand is accepted under Section-07 of Guardian & Wards Act, 1890 and petitioner is appointed as guardian of the person of the above minors having generally the rights, duties and liabilities of a guardian mentioned in the Guardian & Wards Act, 1890 and subject to the following conditions especially in view of section-34 of the said Act.

- *That he will produce the minors in court as and when required by the court.*
- *That he will maintain and educate the minors in proper manner.*
- *That he will not take away the minors outside the jurisdiction of this court without prior permission.*
- *That he will not act in prejudice to the interest of minors.*
- *That he will not be entitled to dispose of the property of minors without prior permission of the court.*

Two original guardianship certificates be prepared; one original guardianship certificate be given to the petitioner subject to surety bonds of Rs.1000,000/-(ten lacs) with two local and reliable sureties, while one be retained and placed on judicial file for record. File be consigned to the record room after its necessary compilation and completion.

Announced  
28/09/2021

**FARMANULLAH**  
Senior Civil Judge  
Orakzai & Baber M.  
(Farman Ullah)  
SCJ/Succession & Guardian Judge,  
Orakzai (Baber Mela)