

Sitting in the Family Court

Case number: 1654243512567881

3 March 2022

Applicant

Monica Thorpe

Respondent

Rox Thorpe

Final Order

Further to the conditional order granted on 21 February 2022, there has been no reason shown as to why the conditional order should not be made final. Therefore the conditional order is made final.

This certifies that the marriage on 20 February 2000 at London, UK between **Monica Thorpe** and **Rox Thorpe** has legally ended.

Notes:

1. Divorce affects inheritance under a will

Where a will has already been made by either party to the marriage then, by virtue of section 18A of the Wills Act 1837:

(a) any provisions of the will appointing the former spouse executor or trustee or conferring a power of appointment on the former spouse shall take effect as if the former spouse had died on the date on which the marriage is dissolved unless a contrary intention appears in the will.

(b) any property which, or an interest in which, is devised or bequeathed to the former spouse shall pass as if the former spouse had died on the date on which the marriage is dissolved unless a contrary intention appears in the will.

2. Divorce affects the appointment of a guardian

Unless a contrary intention is shown in the instrument of appointment, any appointment under section 5(3) or 5(4) of the Children Act 1989 by one spouse of his or her former spouse as guardian is, by virtue of section 6 of that Act, deemed to have been revoked at the date of the dissolution of the marriage.

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