RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 198 (HB 121) 2017 Regular Session Gr

Gregory Miller

Existing law requires the independent administrator to file a verified inventory or sworn descriptive list prior to closing a succession.

New law retains existing law and requires that the list be "detailed".

<u>Prior law</u> prohibited a successor from being placed in possession of property without this filing.

<u>New law</u> deletes <u>prior law</u> and provides that the detailed descriptive list shall be sealed upon request.

<u>New law</u> further provides that if the detailed descriptive list is sealed, a copy shall be provided to universal successors and the surviving spouse, and a court may furnish relevant information to any successor, spouse, or creditor of the estate.

Effective August 1, 2017.

(Amends C.C.P. Art. 3396.18)