

Save time and draft wills that clients can understand!



Drafting Will Provisions: Gift Clauses & Basic Trusts

with Lynne Butler

Thursday, June 16, 2022 Live webinar with chat includes 60 day replay*

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WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Lawyers new to the practice of wills, estates and trusts should attend this program. The course may also be of interest to experienced estates lawyers who want a refresher on drafting key will provisions.

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Do you have the knowledge and skills to draft wills that your clients can understand? Precedent clauses, carefully considered and customized, can save countless questions and hours of searching when you're starting out or building an estates practice. This presentation will help you take the first steps toward building a wills precedent library and developing drafting habits that result in clearer, more readable wills. Experienced estates and trusts lawyer Lynne Butler will share time-tested clauses for executor and guardian appointments and compensation, specific and residuary gift clauses, and basic trust provisions. Along the way, she'll discuss key considerations to help you adapt sample language, so it better expresses your client's wishes. By the end of the program, you will have new tools to help you:

- Phrase fiduciary and beneficiary designations to avoid misinterpretation
- Give gift provisions full power with precise word choices
- Understand the functions and mechanics of basic trust clauses
- Speed up your will drafting process in the future

Don't miss this fundamental how-to guide to drafting essential fiduciary, gift and trust clauses, step-by-step with sample language.

SCHEDULE (Eastern)

12:00 pm - 1:30 pm
Welcome and Introduction
Using forms and precedents
Drafting for clarity
Fiduciary appointment clauses
Specific gift clauses
General gift clauses
Residuary gift clauses
Basic trust provisions

Program Wrap-up and Evaluation

PRAISE FOR LYNNE BUTLER

- "Fantastic job breaking difficult information down into digestible chunks that are very easy to absorb."
- "A great help in an estate case that I am involved in. Thank you for the terrific information."
- "Excellent insights with a no-nonsense approach."
- "Wonderful. Lynne's light tone makes serious and often scary issues seem non-threatening and possible to work through."
- "Great presentation. Lynne's expertise, integrity and experience were clearly evident."
- "Information provided was superb and helped to answer a lot of questions that I have!"

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MEET YOUR PRESENTER



Lynne Butler is a lawyer, mediator, and writer. graduated from UBC Law School and was called to the Bar in Alberta in 1986. After more than 20 years, thousands of wills drawn and hundreds of estates probated, Lynne joined

the estates department of a leading trust company for a further seven years. She now practises law in her home province of Newfoundland and Labrador, working exclusively in wills, estates, probate, elder law, and trusts. Lynne has been interviewed by Global TV, BNN, CBC Radio, the Wall Street Journal, the Globe and Mail, the Vancouver Province, the Edmonton Journal, the Toronto Star, the Montreal Gazette, Canadian Lawyer and Maclean's Magazine, among other media. She is the former co-host of The Law Show and is the author of ten books about estate planning. She has chaired the Wills and Estates Section of the Newfoundland and Labrador Bar Admissions Course since 2019.

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