

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to personal representatives; amending
 3 s. 733.304, F.S.; revising the types of nonresidents
 4 who qualify as a personal representative to include a
 5 member in good standing of The Florida Bar; providing
 6 an effective date.

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 8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 10 Section 1. Section 733.304, Florida Statutes, is amended
 11 to read:

12 733.304 Nonresidents.—A person who is not domiciled in the
 13 state cannot qualify as personal representative unless the
 14 person is:

15 (1) (a) A legally adopted child or adoptive parent of the
 16 decedent;

17 (b) ~~(2)~~ Related by lineal consanguinity to the decedent;

18 (c) ~~(3)~~ A spouse or a brother, sister, uncle, aunt, nephew,
 19 or niece of the decedent, or someone related by lineal
 20 consanguinity to any such person; or

21 (d) ~~(4)~~ The spouse of a person otherwise qualified under
 22 this subsection ~~section~~; or

23 (2) A member in good standing of The Florida Bar.

24 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2020.