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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1	AN ACT

- 2 relating to documents required to be submitted by a guardian of the
- 3 estate.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Sec. 1163.003(a), Estates Code, is amended to
- 6 read as follows:
- 7 Sec. 1163.003. SUPPORTING VOUCHERS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS
- 8 ATTACHED TO ACCOUNT. (a) The guardian of the estate shall attach
- 9 to each annual account:
- 10 (1) a voucher for each item of credit claimed in the account
- 11 or, to support the item in the absence of the voucher, other
- 12 evidence satisfactory to the court;
- 13 (2) an official letter from the bank or other depository
- 14 where the money on hand of the estate or ward is deposited that
- 15 shows the amounts in general or special deposits; and
- 16 (3) proof of the existence and possession of:
- 17 (A) securities owned by the estate or shown by the
- 18 account; and
- 19 (B) other assets held by a depository subject to court
- 20 order.
- 21 (4) complete bank or investment/security statements, dated
- 22 as of the end of the accounting period;
- 23 (5) receipts for all purchases and expenditures;
- 24 (6) documentation, including receipts and invoices, to

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- 1 substantiate all expenses paid from the guardianship estate,
- 2 <u>including debit card purchases and ATM withdrawals; and</u>
- 3 (7) a bill of sale from the purchaser for any personal
- 4 property sold during the accounting period.
- 5 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.