10A NCAC 13G .1102 AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

(a) In situations where the facility determines a resident of a family care home is unable to manage their monetary funds the administrator shall contact a family member, responsible person, or the county department of social services regarding the need for an authorized representative. For the purposes of this Section, an "authorized representative" shall mean a person who is legally authorized or designated in writing by the resident to act on his or her behalf in the management of their funds.

(b) The administrator and other staff of the facility shall not serve as a resident's authorized representative, payee, or executor of a will, except in the case of funds administered by the Social Security Administration, the Veteran's Administration or other federal government agencies. The administrator of the facility may serve as a payee when so authorized as a legally constituted authority by the respective federal agencies.

(c) The administrator shall give the resident's authorized representative receipts for any monies received on behalf of the resident.

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