

Rule 12. Notice of petition for administration.

Upon the filing of a petition for letters of administration, the Court may direct the issuance of a citation to any heir at law and next of kin, if within the District of Columbia, to appear on a day named and show cause why such letters should not be granted, and if it appears that any heir at law and next of kin cannot be found within the District of Columbia, or is unknown, the Court may direct notice to said person by publication as provided in these Rules, or otherwise.