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The common conversational translation of Tile 20 PA C.S. §305.

Pennsylvania Statute, Title 20, Chapter 3, Section 305 Right to dispose of a decedent’s remains, gives you the right to make a "statement of contrary intent" naming a person to control the body disposition that will override the next-of-kin's usual authority. Without this, the right to control the disposition of the remains shall be in the following order: 1) spouse, 2) children, 3) parents, 4) brothers, sisters or their children, 5) grandparents, 6) uncles, aunts and their children, and grandchildren.

How to create a statement of contrary intent. You can simply fill out the document below

Designation of Agent for Body Disposition (“Statement of Contrary Intent,” pursuant to 20 PA C.S. §305)

“I, _____, the under signed, hereby appoint
PRINT YOUR NAME
_____, as my agent for body disposition. My agent
PRINT AGENT’S NAME

shall have the sole right to determine the disposition of my body at my death, including by
choose one _____ burial, _____ cremation, _____ anatomical donation or _____ any other legal
form of disposition. No other person, regardless of his or her kinship status to me, shall
override my agent’s authority.”

X _____
Your signature Date

It should be witnessed by two people:

X _____
Witness signature Witness Name

X _____
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