

A Prenuptial Agreement

(1) In concurrence with his children's wishes, an 82-year-old oil company president decided to request his lawyer to scribe a prenuptial agreement before marrying his fiancé.

(2) His children are apprehensive that his fiancé is blinded by his wealth and will try to seize everything after he passes.

(3) They want to protect their family's fortune from this gold digging woman.

(4) His fiancé happens to be the same age as one of his 10 grandchildren.

(5) The prenuptial agreement states all money, property, and assets earned prior to their marriage will remain in their family.

(6) Therefore, any money, property, and assets earned during their married life can be inherited by her in the case of his death.

(7) His fiancé was distressed by this agreement but reluctantly signed it.

(8) By signing, she hoped to prove to his children that she sincerely loves their father.

語注

(1) concurrence 一致、同意 prenuptial agreement 結婚前の同意書

(2) apprehensive 危惧して、恐れて

(3) gold digging woman < gold digger 金目当てに異性と交際する人

(4) property 地所、土地建物 asset 財産、資産

(6) inherit 相続する

(7) distress 苦悩させる