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Charles H. Barnes being duly sworn on oath says that he is the son of Charles H. Barnes and Mae B. Barnes, husband and wife, and who were the grantees in a certain deed dated November 6, 1942 and recorded November 12, 1942 in Deed Book 667 at page 301 thereof in the office of the Recorder of Lake County, Indiana.

That the said grantee Charles H. Barnes died December 29, 1948 survived by his said wife Mae B. Barnes and that they had continued to be husband and wife without interruption from the date of such deed until his said death.

Affiant further says that the said Mae B. Barnes died testate on July 18, 1969, and that her Last Will and Testament was duly admitted to probate by the Cass Circuit Court of Indiana on July 24, 1969 and appears of record in Will Record 24 at page 147 thereof in the office of the Clerk of the Cass Circuit Court of Indiana.

*Charles H. Barnes*

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of October, 1969.

*Leland L. Smith*

Leland L. Smith-Notary Public

My Commission Expires December 8, 1972

This Affidavit was prepared by

*Leland L. Smith*

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*Andrew J. Higenko*  
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