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POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, CRESCENCIO and CONCEPCION MELENDEZ of the City of Hammond
County of Lake, State of Indiana, hereby appoint
RUTH BARBOSA of Lake County, State of
Indiana, my true and lawful attorney in fact for me and
in my name, place and stead.

To exercise, do, or perform any act, right, power, duty or
obligation whatsoever that I now have or may acquire the legal
right, power or capacity to exercise, do, or perform in
connection with, arising out of or relating to any person, item,
thing, transaction, business property, real or personal, tangible
or intangible, or matter whatsoever;

To ask, demand, sue for, recover, collect, receive and hold
and possess all such sums of money, debts, dues, bonds, notes,
checks, drafts, deposits, legacies, devises,
interests, dividends, stock certificates, certificates of deposit,
annuities, pension and retirement benefits, insurance benefits
and proceeds, documents of title, choses in action, personal and
real property, intangible and tangible property and property
rights and demands whatsoever, liquidated and unliquidated, as are
now, or shall hereafter become due, owing, payable, owned, or
belonging to me in which I have or may acquire an interest, and
to have, use, and take all lawful ways and means and legal and
equitable remedies, procedures, and writs in my name for the
collection and recovery thereof, and to compromise, settle and
agree for the same, and to make, execute, and deliver for us
and in our names all indorsements, acquittances, releases, receipts
or other sufficient discharges for the same;

To lease, purchase, exchange and acquire, and to bargain,
contract, and agree for the lease, purchase, exchange and
acquisition of, and to take, receive, and possess any real or
personal property whatsoever, intangible or tangible or interest
therein on such terms and conditions, and under such covenants,
as said attorney in fact shall deem proper;

To improve, repair, maintain, manage, insure, rent, lease,
sell, release, convey, subject to liens, mortgage and hypothecate,
and in any way or manner deal with all or any part of any
real or personal property, intangible or tangible, or interest
therein, which we now own or may hereafter acquire, for me and in
our names, and under such terms, and conditions, and under such
covenants as said attorney shall deem proper;

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To authorize any and all medical procedures and/or treatment and/or operations for us .

To engage in and transact any and all lawful business of whatsoever nature or kind for me and in my name;

To sign, endorse, execute, acknowledge, deliver, receive, and possess such applications, contracts, agreements, options, covenants, deeds, conveyances, trust deeds, security agreements, bills of sale, leases, mortgages, assignments, insurance policies documents of title, bills, bonds, debentures, checks, drafts, bills of exchange, notes, stock certificates, proxies, warrants, commercial paper, receipts, withdrawal receipts and deposit instruments relating to accounts or deposits in, or certificates of deposit of, banks, savings and loan or other institutions or associations, proofs of loss, evidences of debts, releases and satisfaction of mortgages, judgments, liens, security agreements and other debts and obligations, and such other instruments in writing of whatever kind and nature as may be necessary or proper in the exercise of the rights and powers herein granted.

To have access to our safety deposit boxes wherever situated.

And in the event I become incapacitated for any reason whatsoever and it becomes necessary to have a guardian appointed for me, I hereby authorize and direct that my attorney in fact, RUTH BARBOSA, be appointed my guardian.

We grant to our said attorney in fact full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, and proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as we might or could do if personally present, with full power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted.

This instrument is to be construed and interpreted as a general power of attorney. The enumeration of specific items, acts, rights or powers herein does not limit or restrict, and is not to be construed or interpreted as limiting or restricting the general powers herein granted to said attorney in fact.

The rights, powers and authority of said attorney in fact to exercise any and all of the rights and powers herein granted shall commence and be in full force and effect from date of execution of this Power of Attorney, and such rights, powers and authority shall remain in full force and effect thereafter until we revoke same by written notice.

DATED this 31 day of July, 19 84.


CRESCENCIO MELENDEZ


CONCEPCION MELENDEZ

