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## **POWER OF ATTORNEY**

know all Men by these presents, That the undersigned, CECIL RICHARDSON has made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint with the profiler and lawful Attorney-in-Fact in fact for me in my name, place and stead and said Attorney-in-Fact is hereby authorized on my behalf to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to close out that certain real estate transaction wherein the undersigned is selling to Terry + Kristen Richardson, as Grantee, my entire ownership interests in and to that certain real estate (including all the improvements thereon) located in Lake. County, Indiana, more particularly described as follows: Lo + 241 Bhock 1 Hessuile Park Addition

Commonly known as: 5533 CALIFORNIA. HAMMOND IN 46323

This is a special Power of Attorney effective solely and exclusively for the purpose of processing and handling the purchase and the Closing of such sale of said real estate and to empower and authorize said Attorney-in-Fact to make, execute, and deliver any deed conveying to said Grantee all of the undersigned's interest in and to said real estate together with the improvements thereon and to execute, acknowledge, and deliver in my name such documents as such Attorney-in-Fact may deem proper, and at the closing of said sale to execute on behalf of the undersigned, any and all documents necessary to effectuate the outright sale of all of my ownership interest in and to said real estate including, but not limited to, financial settlement statements, agreement pro-rating real estate taxes, affidavits, escrow agreements and the like, it being my purpose to authorize the said Attorney-in-Fact to handle my entire ownership interests in the aforedescribed real estate as well as all matters in connection with the sale of said real estate, and said Attorney-in-Fact is authorized on my betalf to execute any all instruments to accomplish the outright sale of said real estate and to do and deform any and all acts necessary in and about the closing of said real estate transaction.

It is my intention in this Power of Attorney instrument that I am creating a Durable Power of Attorney appointment under the Indiana Durable Power of Attorney Act so that this Power of Attorney document shall not be terminated or affected by my later disability or incompetency.

Any act or thing lawfully done by my Attorney-in-Fact under this instrument shall be binding on the undersigned's heirs, assigns, legatees and devisees, and personal representatives. I hereby give and grant unto said Attorney-in-Fact full power to do every act necessary to be done about the premises as fully as I might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution and revocation, hereby ratifying and conforming all that said Attorney-in-Fact or his substitute shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue thereof.

In Witness Whereof, the undersigned has hereunto set his/her hand and seal this 10 7 H day of APRIL. 1994.

STATE OF TWO ASA SUSUND.

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