

AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE COMPANY
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA
LICENSE OR PERMIT BOND

Bond # EX963994

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we BEACON SIGN AND LIGHTING COMPANY
7024 BELMONT CHICAGO IL 60634

as Principal, and the AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE COMPANY, with its principal office at Indianapolis, Indiana, as Surety, are held firmly bound unto ALL CITIES, TOWNS AND MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA, hereinafter called Obligee, in the penal sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$ 5,000) Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made we do hereby bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

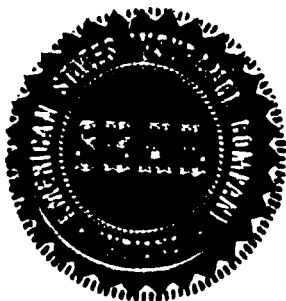
Signed and sealed this 1st day of OCTOBER 19 97

WHEREAS, the said Obligee has granted or is about to grant to the said Principal license or Permit to engage in the business of SIGN AND LIGHTING

NOW THEREFORE, if the said Principal shall indemnify the Obligee against any loss directly arising by reason of the failure to comply with the laws, ordinances, resolutions, rules, and regulations governing said business, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and effect.

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that the Surety shall have the right to terminate its liability hereunder by serving written notice upon the Obligee thirty (30) days in advance of its intention to do so

Term of Bond: 10-1, 1997, to 10-1, 1998



A Garofalo Principal

AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE COMPANY
By Margaret J. Maher Attorney-in-Fact
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