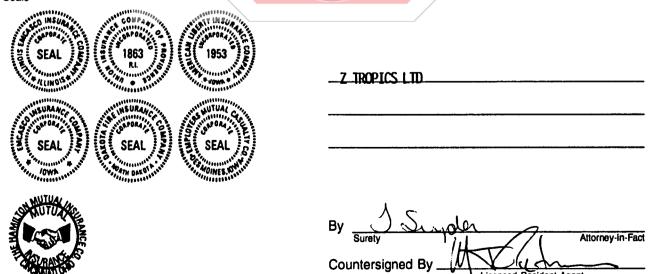
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IN WITNESS WI above written.	HEREOF, the parties hereto have signed, sea	led and delivered this bond t	the day and year first
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Licensed Resident Agent

## CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY INDIVIDUAL ATTORNEY-IN-FACT

KNOW AL	I MEN	BY THESE	PRESENTS.	that:

1. Employers Mutual Casualty Company, an Iowa Corporation

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 Union Insurance Company of Providence, a Rhode Island Corporation
 Hamilton Mutual Insurance Company, an Ohio Corporation
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4. Illinois EMCASCO Insurance Company, an Illinois Corporation

5. Dakota Fire Insurance Company, a North Dakota Corporation
6. American Liberty Insurance Company, an Iowa Corporation

hereinafter referred to severally as "Company" and collectively as "Companies", each does, by these presents, make, constitute and appoint:

D. L. Hixenbaugh, E. D. Beck, K. Kingery, J. Gross.

C. M. Conboy, J. Muldoon, T. Snyder, Chicago, IL J. K. Deer, M. Wagner, B. Herman, D. Halbur, Kansas City, MO

C. Dreiling, M. Foran, Wichita, KS

K. Cumpston, A. Petersen, Des Moines, IA M. A. Massey, K. Crawford, Birmingham, AL,

R. W. Pofahl, T. A. Good, M. Sweigart, Denver, CO

S. K. Smith, C. Gilpin, Cincinnati, OH

its true and lawful attorney-in-fact, with full power and authority conferred to sign, seal, and execute its lawful bonds, undertakings and other obligatory instruments of a similar nature and to bind each Company thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such instruments were signed by the duly authorized officers of each such Company, and all of the acts of said attorney pursuant to the authority hereby given are hereby ratified and confirmed.

## **AUTHORITY FOR POWER OF ATTORNEY**

This Power-of-Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by the authority of the following resolution of the Boards of Directors of each of the Companies at the first regularly scheduled meeting of each company duly called and held in 1997:

RESOLVED: The President and Chief Executive Officer, any Vice President, the Treasurer and the Secretary of Employers Mutual Casualty Company shall have power and authority to (1) appoint attorneys-in-fact and authorize them to execute on behalf of each Company and attach the seal of the Company thereto, bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof; and (2) to remove any such attorney-in-fact at any time and revoke the power and authority given to him or her. Attorneys-in-fact shall have power and authority, subject to the terms and limitations of the power-of-attorney issued to them, to execute and deliver on behalf of the Company, and to attach the seal of the Company thereto, bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, and any such instrument executed by any such attorney-in-fact shall be fully and in all respects binding upon the Company. Certification as to the validity of any power-of-attorney authorized herein made by an officer of Employers Mutual Casualty Company shall be fully and in all respects binding upon this Company. The facsimile or mechanically reproduced signature of such officer, whether made heretofore or hereafter, wherever appearing upon a certified copy of any power-of-attorney of the Company, shall be valid and binding upon the Company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

IN WITNE	SS THERE	<b>DF, the Comp</b> ani	ies have caused these	presents to be	signed for each by	their officers a	s shown, and	the Corporate	e seals to be heret	o affixed this
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In Testimony Whereof I have subscribed my name and affixed the facsimile seal of each Company this 11th

License or Permit NoLICENSE AND PERMIT BOND AS
City ofState
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