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POWER OF ATTORNEY

This date September 17, 1999 I Stephen R. Watson, of the city of Hammond, County of Lake, State of Indiana; hereby appoint Christopher R. Watson of the city of Highland, County of Lake, State of Indiana, as my true and lawful Attorney, for me and in my place and stead, With full power of substitution. My true and lawful Attorney shall have the power to sign all documents, deeds, agreements, closing statements, assignments, and authorizations, In connection with the sale of the property located at 9026 Richard St. Highland, Indiana, legally described as Hooks 2nd addition to the town of Highland, Lot # 6 and #7 Block 3.

And I do hereby ratify and confirm all that Christopher R. Watson shall do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney.

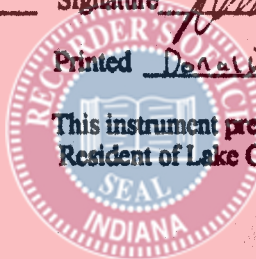
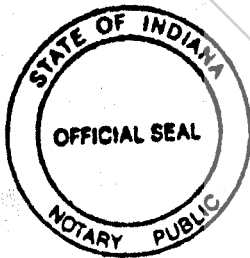
Signature [Handwritten Signature]
State of Indiana, County of Lake,

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County this date Sept 16th, 1999 came, STEPHEN R. WATSON, and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal, Signature [Handwritten Signature], Notary Public

My commission expires Mar. 31, 2000 Printed Donald R. Watson

This instrument prepared by Nancy A. Richter
Resident of Lake County



Donald R. Watson
Notary Public, State of Indiana
Lake County
My Commission Expires 03/31/00

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LAKE COUNTY
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MORRIS W. CARTER
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