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Western Surety Company

LICENSE AND PERMIT BOND

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

BOND No. 20477280

That we, KRAUS REMODELING

of the Village of MOMENCE, State of Illinois, as Principal, and WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, a corporation duly licensed to do business in the State of Indiana, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the

County of LAKE AND ALL CITIES AND TOWNS, State of Indiana, Oblige, in the penal

sum of Ten Thousand and 00/100 DOLLARS (\$10,000.00), lawful money of the United States, to be paid to the said Oblige, for which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves and our legal representatives, jointly and severally by these presents.

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That whereas, the said Principal has been licensed CARPENTRY CONTRACTOR

by the said Oblige.

NOW THEREFORE, if the said Principal shall faithfully perform the duties and in all things comply with the laws and ordinances, including all amendments thereto, pertaining to the license or permit applied for, then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect until February 15th, 2001, unless renewed by Continuation Certificate.

This bond may be terminated at any time by the Surety upon sending notice in writing, by certified mail, to the clerk of the Political Subdivision with whom this bond is filed and to the Principal, addressed to them at the Political Subdivision named herein, and at the expiration of thirty-five (35) days from the mailing of said notice, this bond shall ipso facto terminate and the Surety shall thereupon be relieved from any liability for any acts or omissions of the Principal subsequent to said date.

Dated this 15th day of February, 2000

KRAUS REMODELING

Principal

Joseph P. Kraus

Principal

WESTERN SURETY COMPANY



Co-Signed

By Indiana Kemp
Resident Agent

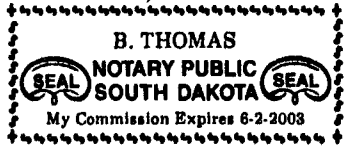
By Stephen T. Pate
Stephen T. Pate, President

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SURETY (Corporate Officer)

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA }
County of Minnehaha } ss

On this 15th day of February, 2000, before me, the undersigned officer, personally appeared Stephen T. Pate, who acknowledged himself to be the aforesaid officer of WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, a corporation, and that he as such officer, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained, by signing the name of the corporation by himself as such officer.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal.



B. Thomas
Notary Public - South Dakota

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