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GENERAL POWER OF ATTORNEY

PETER BENJAMIN LAKE COUNTY AUDITOR

	I,Magdalene Labik						
, the prin	cipal, c	f	Lake	County	, <u>Indiana</u>		
designate				f Lake	County,	Indiana	
my attorne	y in fac	t and	agent	(subsequen	tly called	agent) in	my
name and f	or my be	enefit	:				

- 1. General Grant of Power. To exercise or perform any act, power, duty, right or obligation whatsoever that I now have or may hereafter acquire, relating to any person, matter, transaction or property, real or personal, tangible or intangible, now owned or hereafter acquired by me, including without limitation, the following specifically enumerated powers. I grant to my agent full power and authority to do everything necessary in exercising any of the powers herein granted as fully as I might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my agent shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the powers herein granted.
- request, demand, sue for recover, collect, receive, hold all such sums of money, debts, dues, commercial paper, checks, drafts, accounts, deposits, legacies, bequests, devises, notes, interests, stock certificates, bonds, dividends, certificates of deposit, U.S. Treasury Bills and Notes, annuities, pension, profit sharing, retirement, social security, insurance and other contractual benefits and proceeds, all documents of title, all property, real or personal, intangible or tangible property and property rights, and demands whatsoever, liquidated and unliquidated, now or hereafter owned by, or due, owing, payable or belonging to, me or in which I have or may hereafter acquire an interest; to have, use and take all lawful means and equitable and legal remedies and proceedings in my name for the collection and recovery thereof,

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and to adjust, sell, compromise, and agree for the same and to execute and deliver for me, on my behalf, and in my name, all endorsements, releases, receipts or other sufficient discharges for the same;

- (b) <u>Power to Acquire and Sell</u>. To acquire, purchase, exchange, grant options to sell, and sell and convey real or personal property, tangible or intangible, or interests therein, on such terms and conditions as my agent shall deem proper;
- improve, invest, manage, insure, rent, lease, encumber, and in any manner deal with any real or personal property, tangible or intangible, or any interest therein, that I now own or may hereafter acquire, in my name and for my benefit, upon such terms and conditions as my agent shall deem proper, ecorder.
- checks and drafts, deposit and withdraw funds, acquire and redeem certificates of deposit or U.S. Treasury Bills, Notes or Bonds, in banks, savings and loan associations and other institutions, execute or release such deeds of trust or other security agreements as may be necessary or proper in the exercise of the rights and powers herein granted;
- (e) Tax Powers. To prepare, sign and file joint or separate income tax returns or declarations of estimated tax for any year or years; to prepare, sign and file gift tax returns with respect to gifts made by me for any year or years; to consent to any gift and to utilize any gift-splitting provision or other tax election; and to prepare, sign and file any claims for refund of any tax;
- (f) <u>Safe Deposit Boxes</u>. To have access at any time or times to any safe deposit box rented by me, wheresoever located and to remove all or any part of the contents thereof,

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and to surrender or relinquish said safe deposit box, and any institution in which any such safe deposit box may be located shall not incur any liability to me or my estate as a result of permitting my agent to exercise this power.

- 2. Interpretation and Governing Law. This instrument is to be construed and interpreted as a general power of attorney. The enumeration of specific powers herein is not intended to, nor does it, limit or restrict the general powers herein granted to my agent. This instrument is executed and delivered in the State of Indiana, and the laws of the State of Indiana shall govern all questions as to the validity of this power and the construction of its provisions.
- Third-Party Reliance. Third parties may rely upon the representations of my agent as to all matters relating to any power granted to my agent, and no person who may act in reliance upon the representations of my agent or the authority granted to my agent shall incur any liability to me or my estate as a result of permitting my agent to exercise any power.
- 4. <u>Disability of Principal</u>. This General Power of Attorney shall not be affected by my disability.

of Attorney this State day of July , 1987, at

Lake , County, Indiana .

Magdalene Labik

Magdalene Labik

STATE OF INDIANA)
)SS
COUNTY OF LAKE)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me day of ______, 19_87, by Magdalene Labik

Dolores Crabb, Notary Public

My Commission Expires: August 12, 1987

SPECIMEN SIGNATURE OF AGENT:

ROSE J. PARLOCK

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