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STATE OF INDIANA
LAKE COUNTY
FOR RECORD
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Effective Date: February 28th, 2000

Western Surety Company

LICENSE AND PERMIT BOND

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

BOND No. 14391290

That we, Archibald Candy Corporation

of the Chicago of Chicago, 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 County, State of Indiana, Oblige, in the penal sum of Five Thousand and 00/100 DOLLARS (\$5,000.00), 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.

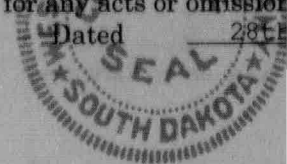
THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That whereas, the said Principal has been licensed General Contractor

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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 28th, 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 28th day of February, 2000



[Signature]
Principal

[Signature]
Principal

Countersigned

[Signature: John A. Hamilton]

By

Resident Agent

By

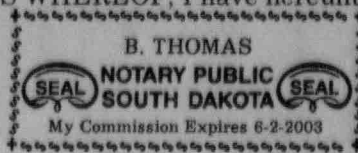
Stephen T. Pate, President

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SURETY (Corporate Officer)

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA } ss
County of Minnehaha

On this 28th day of February, 2000, before me, the undersigned officer, personally appeared Stephen T. Pate, who acknowledged himself to be the 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.



[Signature: B. Thomas]
Notary Public - South Dakota

12.00
E.P.
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ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRINCIPAL
(Individual or Partners)

STATE OF _____ }
County of _____ } s

On this _____ day of _____, _____, before me personally appeared

known to me to be the individual _____ described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and
acknowledged to me that _____ he _____ executed the same.

My commission expires _____

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRINCIPAL
(Corporate Officer)

STATE OF Illinois }
County of Cook } s

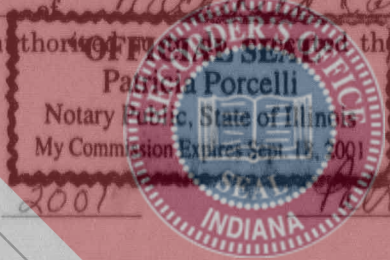
On this 28th day of February, 2000, before me

personally appeared Alon W. Petrik, who acknowledged himself to be the

V.P. of Archibald Candy Corp., a corporation,
and that he as such officer being authorized to sign the foregoing instrument for the purposes

My commission expires _____

Sept 18 2001
Pasica Porcelli
Notary Public



License or Permit No. 14391290

LICENSE AND PERMIT
BOND
As

of _____
State of _____
Name of Applicant _____
Address _____

Filed _____
Approved this _____
day of _____