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LICENSE OR PERMIT BOND	1			
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KNOW ALL BY THESE PRES	ENTS, That we, Tom	Allen Construction Company		
		as Principal, of 6218 Miller	Drive (Caraca and Mumbas)	`
Edwardsville	IL 62025	and the Federal I	(Street and Number) Insurance Company	
(City)	(State) Indiana	ocument is	corporation as S	Surety, are held and
bound unto City of Schererville, 833 West Lincoln Highway, Sch	Indiana, in description in the second in the	COFFICIA		igee, in the sum of
FIVE THOUSAND & NO/100		ment is the prop	ert Dollars (\$ 5.0)00.00
for which sum, well and truly jointly and severally, firmly by		urselves, our heirs, executors,	administrators, succ	essors and assigns,
Sealed with our seals, and	dated this 2771	day of March		, 2000 .
THE CONDITION OF THIS (a license or permit to do busine			cipal has been or is	about to be granted
by the Obligee.				
NOW, THEREFORE, if the F conformity therewith, then this PROVIDED, HOWEVER: 1. This bond shall continue in fa	obligation to be void; of orce; orce; orce; or until the orce of the second or control or contro	therwise to remain in full force	e and effect. y Continuation Certification	ificate executed by
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		Tom Allen Cons	struction Company	
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		DiLynn G	407/ ()	Attorney-in-Fact

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OF **ATTORNEY**

Federal Insurance Company **Vigilant Insurance Company Pacific Indemnity Company**

Attn.: Surety Department 15 Mountain View Road Warren, NJ 07059

Know All by These Presents, That FEDERAL INSURANCE COMPANY, an Indiana corporation, VIGILANT INSURANCE COMPANY, a New York corporation, and PACIFIC INDEMNITY COMPANY, a Wisconsin corporation, do each hereby constitute and appoint Frank C. Penn. Kathryn K. Coulson, DiLynn Guern, Amy Augustyn, Don R. Broyles, Pamela J. Hansen, Lisa M. Loeffler, Sheryl E. Meurer, Donald E. Appleby and Kevin W. McMahon of

each as their true and lawful Attorney-in-Fact to execute under such designation in their names and to affix their corporate seals to and deliver for and on their behalf as surety thereon or otherwise, bonds on behalf of contractors in connection with bids, proposals or contracts to or with the Department of Transportation, and any and all consents required by the Department of Transportation of Florida incident to the release of retained percentages and or final estimates on engineering and construction contracts.

In Witness Whereof, said FEDERAL INSURANCE COMPANY, VIGILANT INSURANCE COMPANY, and PACIFIC INDEMNITY COMPANY have each executed and attested these presents and affixed their corporate seals on this 3rd day of March, 2000

STATE OF NEW JERSEY **County of Somerset**

On this 3rd day of March, 2000, before me, a Notary Public of New Jersey, personally came Kenneth C. Wendel, to me known to be Assistant Secretary of FEDERAL INSURANCE COMPANY, VIGILANT INSURANCE COMPANY, and PACIFIC INDEMNITY COMPANY, the companies which executed the foregoing Power of Attorney, and the said Kenneth C. Wendel being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he is Assistant Secretary of FEDERAL INSURANCE COMPANY, VIGILANT INSURANCE COMPANY, and PACIFIC INDEMNITY COMPANY and knows the corporate seals thereof, that the seals affixed to the foregoing Power of Attorney are such corporate seals and were thereto affixed by authority of the By-Laws of said Companies; and that he signed said Power of Attorney as Assistant Secretary of said Companies by like authority; and that he is acquainted with Frank E. Robertson, and knows him to be Vice President of said Companies; and that the signature of Frank E. Robertson, subscribed to said Power of Attorney is in the genuine handwriting of Frank E. Robertson, and was thereto subscribed by authority of said By-Laws and in deponant's presence.

Notarial Seal

MARIA D. SCARDIGNO **NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF NEW JERSEY** NO. 2229781 COMMISSION EXPIRES SEPT. 25, 2004

Extract from the By-Laws of FEDERAL INSURANCE COMPANY, VIGILANT INSURANCE COMPANY, and PACIFIC INDEMNITY COMPANY:

"All powers of attorney for and on behalf of the Company may and shall be executed in the name and on behalf of the Company, either by the Chairman or the President or a Vice President or an Assistant Vice President, jointly with the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary, under their respective designations. The signature of such officers may be engraved, printed or lithographed. The signature of each of the following officers: Chairman, President, any Vice President, any Assistant Vice President, any Secretary, any Assistant Secretary and the seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile to any power of attorney or to any certificate relating thereto appointing Assistant Secretaries or Attorneys-in-Fact for purposes only of executing and attesting bonds and undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, and any such power of attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signature or facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company and any such power so executed and certified by such facsimile signature and facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company with respect to any bond or undertaking to which it is attached."

I, Kenneth C. Wendel, Assistant Secretary of FEDERAL INSURANCE COMPANY, VIGILANT INSURANCE COMPANY, and PACIFIC INDEMNITY COMPANY (the "Companies") do hereby certify that

(i) the foregoing extract of the By-Laws of the Companies is true and correct,

(ii) the Companies are duly licensed and authorized to transact surety business in all 50 of the United States of America and the District of Columbia and are authorized by the U. S. Treasury Department; further, Federal and Vigilant are licensed in Puerto Rico and the U. S. Virgin Islands, and Federal is licensed in American Samoa, Guarn, and each of the Provinces of Canada except Prince Edward Island; and

(iii) the foregoing Power of Attorney is true, correct and in full force and effect.

Given under my hand and seals of said Companies at Warren, NJ this 27th day of March.







C. Wendel, Assistant Secretary

IN THE EVENT YOU WISH TO NOTIFY US OF A CLAIM, VERIFY THE AUTHENTICITY OF THIS BOND OR NOTIFY US OF ANY OTHER MATTER, PLEASE CONTACT US AT ADDRESS LISTED ABOVE, OR BY Telephone (908) 903-3485 Fax (908) 903-3656 e-mail: surety@chubb.com

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