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**POWER OF ATTORNEY
TO**

STEPHEN E. SHEVICK

I, **PAULA R. SHEVICK**, of P.O. Box 14215, Chicago, Illinois 60614-0215, hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my brother, **STEPHEN E. SHEVICK**, of 2453 S. State Road 2, Valparaiso, Indiana 46383, as my true and lawful attorney-in-fact to do and perform for me and in my name the following:

To do anything and everything necessary or desirable to sell or effect the sale of that certain real estate (including all the improvements thereon, if any) located in Lake County, Indiana, commonly known as 5010 E. State Road 8, Crown Point, Indiana 46307, more particularly described as follows:

Part of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 30, Township 34 North, Range 7 West of the 2nd Principal Meridian lying Southwesterly of State Road #53, described as follows: Commencing at the Southwest corner of said Section; thence East along the South line of the Southwest Quarter 936 feet to the West line of a tract of land deeded by James Bacon and wife, Ruth, to Frank Moran and Harry Moran, deed dated December 17, 1944, and recorded August 28, 1945, in Deed Record 728, Page 56; thence North on said West line of Moran tract to Southerly line of State Road #53; thence Northwesterly along the Southerly line of said State Road to the West line of the Southwest Quarter of said Section 30; thence South on the West line to the point of beginning, in Lake County, Indiana, (11) 10-26-15

for such price and on such terms and conditions as he shall deem proper.

To enter into any contract or agreement to complete such sale of said real estate, or any part thereof, with such persons and on such terms as he shall in his discretion elect; and to execute, acknowledge and deliver in my name such documents and instruments as he may deem proper or desirable, and at the closing of said sale to execute on behalf of the undersigned any and all documents necessary to effectuate or facilitate the sale of said real estate by **PAULA R. SHEVICK** and **STEPHEN E. SHEVICK**, as joint tenants with right of survivorship, and not as tenants in common.

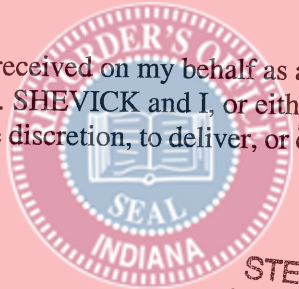
To execute, acknowledge and deliver in my name such deeds, documents, instruments, assignments, acknowledgments, verifications and receipts (including, but not limited to, any settlement or closing statement) as he may deem proper or desirable to effect or facilitate the sale of said real estate.

To accept and receipt for any and all sums of money in which I may have an interest and which are payable as a result of the sale of such real estate, provided all such sums shall be paid by check, in form and substance acceptable to my attorney-in-fact, payable to the order of **PAULA R. SHEVICK**, **STEPHEN E. SHEVICK**, or both **PAULA R. SHEVICK** and **STEPHEN E. SHEVICK**.

To authorize and effect payment of such sums as may be necessary or desirable in connection with the sale of such real estate.

To deposit any and all net sums received on my behalf as a result of the sale of such real estate to any bank account in which **STEPHEN E. SHEVICK** and I, or either of us, have an ownership interest or, in my attorney-in-fact's sole and absolute discretion, to deliver, or direct delivery of such to me in person,

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