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**PUBLIC OFFICIAL  
SCHEDULE BOND  
FOR DEFINITE TERM**

**TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA**

**Hartford, Connecticut 06183**

Bond No. 100279177

1 KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA of Hartford,  
2 Connecticut, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Connecticut, hereinafter called the  
3 Surety is held and firmly bound unto State of Indiana as obligee for the benefit of Lake Ridge School System,  
4 Gary, Indiana

5 hereinafter called the Obligee, in the sums as set forth in the schedule forming part of this bond, or as hereafter added  
6 to said schedule as hereinafter provided, for the payment of which said sums the Surety binds itself, its successors and  
7 assigns, firmly by these presents.

8 WHEREAS, the Obligee desires to have the various officers, employees or other incumbents, all hereinafter called the  
9 Principals, as named in the schedule, or as hereafter added to said schedule as hereinafter provided, bonded for the faith-  
10 ful performance of their duties in the capacities and in the amounts set opposite their respective names in said schedule,  
11 and for the applicable period hereinafter provided,

12 NOW, THEREFORE, THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH that if each Principal named in the schedule  
13 of hereafter added to the schedule as hereinafter provided shall, during the period beginning on the 1<sup>st</sup>  
14 day of July 2003 or when such Principal is added to the schedule if added after said  
15 date, and ending on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 2004, or on the date this instrument is  
16 canceled as to that Principal or as an entirety, if so canceled prior to that date, faithfully perform the duties of his/her  
17 office or employment, as required by law, and at the expiration of the applicable period aforesaid shall pay over and de-  
18 liver all money, records, and property that may come into his/her possession, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to  
19 remain in full force and effect.

20 PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that this bond is executed and accepted subject to the following agreements and limitations:

21 **First:** As to Principals named in the attached schedule, the Surety shall not be liable for losses occurring prior to the  
22 date of this bond, and as to Principals hereafter added to the attached schedule, as hereinafter provided, the Surety shall  
23 not be liable for losses occurring prior to the effective dates of such additions to the schedule.

24 **Second:** The Obligee may, during the continuance of this bond, add other Principals to the schedule, by giving writ-  
25 ten notice to the Surety, and may likewise increase or decrease the amounts of suretyship as to any Principal or Princi-  
26 pals, by giving like written notice to the Surety. Such additions of Principals, and increases or decreases of the surety-  
27 ship on Principals, shall be effective on the date when the Surety shall receive written notice thereof from the Obligee.

28 **Third:** The aggregate liability of the Surety on account of any one Principal shall in no event exceed the largest  
29 single amount for which said Principal is at any time bonded hereunder, regardless of the number of years this bond, or  
30 the renewals thereof, shall continue in force; nor shall the Surety be liable for an amount in excess of the amount for  
31 which said Principal is bonded during the period when the loss occurred.

32 **Fourth:** Upon the payment of any loss on any Principal under this bond, the Obligee shall, to the extent of the pay-  
33 ment so made, assign to the Surety the claim of the Obligee against said Principal.

34 **Fifth:** Prior to the date when this bond expires by its own terms as hereinbefore stated, it may be canceled and ter-  
35 minated by either the Obligee or the Surety in the following manner:

36 (1) The Obligee may cancel and terminate this bond either in its entirety or as to any individual Principal  
37 or Principals by giving the Surety written notice, in which event the cancellation and termination shall  
38 be effective on the date when the Surety shall receive such notice.

39 (2) The Surety may cancel and terminate this bond either in its entirety or as to any individual Principal  
40 or Principals by giving written notice to the Obligee in which event the cancellation and termination  
41 shall be effective thirty days after the Obligee shall have received such notice.

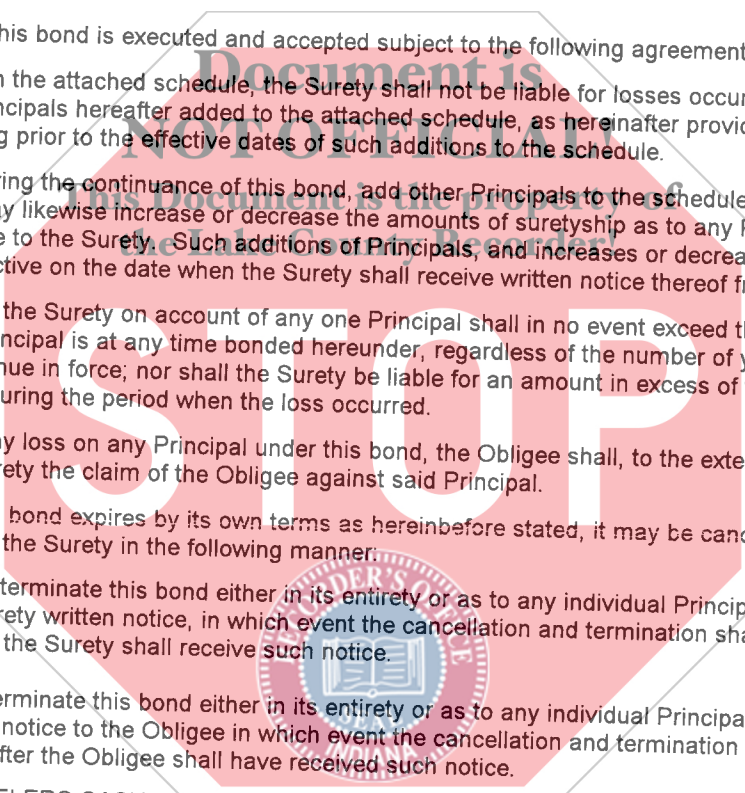
42 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA has caused this bond to be signed by  
43 its Attorney-in-Fact, and its Corporation Seal to be hereunto affixed this 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 2003

TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA

By Sandra M. Burge  
Sandra M. Burge Attorney-in-Fact

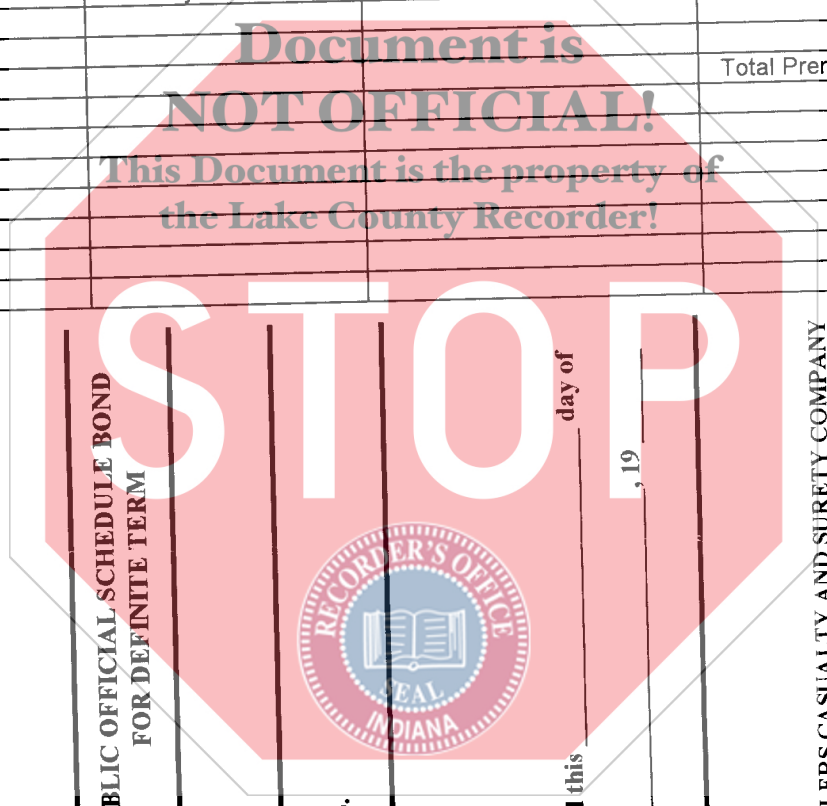
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Item No.	Name	Position	Employed at	Amount of Guarantee	Premium	
1	N/A	Treasurer	Black Oak School	7,500.00	30	00
2	N/A	Treasurer	Calumet High School	15,000.00	60	00
3	N/A	Treasurer	Grissom Elementary School	7,500.00	30	00
4	N/A	Treasurer	Lake Ridge Middle School	12,000.00	48	00
5	N/A	Treasurer	Longfellow	7,500.00	30	00
6	N/A	Business Office Secretary	Business Office	15,000.00	60	00
7	N/A	Treasurer	Hosford Park School	7,500.00	30	00
8	N/A	Business Mgr/Deputy Treasurer	Lake Ridge School	15,000.00	60	00
9	N/A	Secretary of Head Start Program	Gary, IN	1,000.00	4	00
10	N/A	(1) Assistant to Treasurer	Various within school system	15,000.00	60	00
11	N/A	Payroll Clerk	Business Office	15,000.00	60	00
				Total Premium	472	00



Principal \_\_\_\_\_

Obligee \_\_\_\_\_

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Bond No. \_\_\_\_\_

Approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

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**TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA  
TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY  
FARMINGTON CASUALTY COMPANY  
Hartford, Connecticut 06183-9062**

**POWER OF ATTORNEY AND CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY OF ATTORNEY(S)-IN-FACT**

**KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, THAT TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA, TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY and FARMINGTON CASUALTY COMPANY, corporations duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut, and having their principal offices in the City of Hartford, County of Hartford, State of Connecticut, (hereinafter the "Companies") hath made, constituted and appointed, and do by these presents make, constitute and appoint: Robert J. Baldwin, Sandra M. Burge, John J. Inderstrod, Katherine L. Carroll, Cynthia J. Kiger, Mark D. Swayze, of Indianapolis, Indiana, their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, with full power and authority hereby conferred to sign, execute and acknowledge, at any place within the United States, the following instrument(s): by his/her sole signature and act, any and all bonds, recognizances, contracts of indemnity, and other writings obligatory in the nature of a bond, recognizance, or conditional undertaking and any and all consents incident thereto and to bind the Companies, thereby as fully and to the same extent as if the same were signed by the duly authorized officers of the Companies, and all the acts of said Attorney(s)-in-Fact, pursuant to the authority herein given, are hereby ratified and confirmed.**

**This appointment is made under and by authority of the following Standing Resolutions of said Companies, which Resolutions are now in full force and effect:**

**VOTED:** That the Chairman, the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, any Second Vice President, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Corporate Secretary or any Assistant Secretary may appoint Attorneys-in-Fact and Agents to act for and on behalf of the company and may give such appointee such authority as his or her certificate of authority may prescribe to sign with the Company's name and seal with the Company's seal bonds, recognizances, contracts of indemnity, and other writings obligatory in the nature of a bond, recognizance, or conditional undertaking, and any of said officers or the Board of Directors at any time may remove any such appointee and revoke the power given him or her.

**VOTED:** That the Chairman, the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President or any Vice President may delegate all or any part of the foregoing authority to one or more officers or employees of this Company, provided that each such delegation is in writing and a copy thereof is filed in the office of the Secretary.

**VOTED:** That any bond, recognizance, contract of indemnity, or writing obligatory in the nature of a bond, recognizance, or conditional undertaking shall be valid and binding upon the Company when (a) signed by the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President or any Vice President, any Second Vice President, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Corporate Secretary or any Assistant Secretary and duly attested and sealed with the Company's seal by a Secretary or Assistant Secretary, or (b) duly executed (under seal, if required) by one or more Attorneys-in-Fact and Agents pursuant to the power prescribed in his or her certificate or their certificates of authority or by one or more Company officers pursuant to a written delegation of authority.

**This Power of Attorney and Certificate of Authority is signed and sealed by facsimile (mechanical or printed) under and by authority of the following Standing Resolution voted by the Boards of Directors of TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA, TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY and FARMINGTON CASUALTY COMPANY, which Resolution is now in full force and effect:**

**VOTED:** That the signature of each of the following officers: President, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice 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 Resident Vice Presidents, Resident 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 in the future with respect to any bond or undertaking to which it is attached.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA, TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY and FARMINGTON CASUALTY COMPANY have caused this instrument to be signed by their Senior Vice President and their corporate seals to be hereto affixed this 27th day of September 2001.

TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA  
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FARMINGTON CASUALTY COMPANY

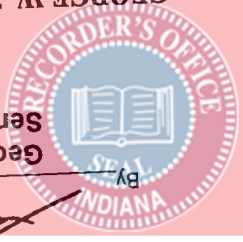
STATE OF CONNECTICUT

} SS. Hartford

COUNTY OF HARTFORD



*George W. Thompson*  
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George W. Thompson  
Senior Vice President



On this 27th day of September, 2001 before me personally came GEORGE W. THOMPSON to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he/she is Senior Vice President of TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA, TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY and FARMINGTON CASUALTY COMPANY, the corporations described in and which executed the above instrument; that he/she knows the seals of said corporations; that the seals affixed to the said instrument are such corporate seals; and that he/she executed the said instrument on behalf of the corporations by authority of his/her office under the Standing Resolutions thereof.

My commission expires June 30, 2006 Notary Public  
Marie C. Tetreault

*Marie C. Tetreault*



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CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary of TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA, TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY and FARMINGTON CASUALTY COMPANY, stock corporations of the State of Connecticut, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing and attached Power of Attorney and Certificate of Authority remains in full force and has not been revoked; and furthermore, that the Standing Resolutions of the Boards of Directors, as set forth in the Certificate of Authority, are now in force.

Signed and Sealed at the Home Office of the Company, in the City of Hartford, State of Connecticut. Dated this *1st* day of *July*, 2003.



*Tom M. Johanson*  
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Tom M. Johanson  
Assistant Secretary, Bond



## IMPORTANT DISCLOSURE NOTICE OF TERRORISM INSURANCE COVERAGE

On November 26, 2002, President Bush signed into law the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act of 2002 (the "Act"). The Act establishes a short-term program under which the Federal Government will share in the payment of covered losses caused by certain acts of international terrorism. We are providing you with this notice to inform you of the key features of the Act, and to let you know what effect, if any, the Act will have on your premium.

Under the Act, insurers are required to provide coverage for certain losses caused by international acts of terrorism as defined in the Act. The Act further provides that the Federal Government will pay a share of such losses. Specifically, the Federal Government will pay 90% of the amount of covered losses caused by certain acts of terrorism which is in excess of Travelers' statutorily established deductible for that year. The Act also caps the amount of terrorism-related losses for which the Federal Government or an insurer can be responsible at \$100,000,000,000.00, provided that the insurer has met its deductible.

Please note that passage of the Act does not result in any change in coverage under the attached policy or bond (or the policy or bond being quoted). Please also note that no separate additional premium charge has been made for the terrorism coverage required by the Act. The premium charge that is allocable to such coverage is inseparable from and imbedded in your overall premium, and is no more than one percent of your premium.