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STATE OF INDIANA
LAKE COUNTY
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Auto-Owners Insurance

MICHAEL A. LEVANN
RECORDER

LICENSE AND PERMIT BOND

For County, City, Town or Village Only - Not Valid for Bonds Required by the State. Not Valid for Contract, Performance, Maintenance, Subdivision, Agent to Sell Hunting and Fishing Licenses or Utility Guarantee Bond.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

BOND No.

That we, Studio Flooring & Blinds, INC
of the City of Highland, State of Indiana, as Principal,
and the Auto Owners Insurance 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, State
(Valid only when a County, City, Town or Village is named as Obligee)
of Indiana, Obligee, in the amount of Five thousand and no/100 ---
(NOT VALID IF FILLED IN FOR MORE THAN \$25,000)

(\$ 5,000.00) DOLLARS, lawful money of the United States, to be paid to said Obligee, for which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves and our legal representatives, jointly and severally.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That whereas, the Principal has been licensed _____
Flooring Installation Contractor by the Obligee.

NOW THEREFORE, if the Principal shall faithfully perform the duties and comply with the laws and ordinances (including all amendments), pertaining to the license or permit, then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and offers for a period commencing on the 7th day of January, 2005, and ending on the 7th day of January, 2006, unless renewed by continuation certificate.

This bond may be terminated at any time by the Surety upon sending notice in writing to the Obligee and to the Principal, in care of the Obligee or at such other address as the Surety deems reasonable, and at the expiration of thirty-five (35) days from the mailing of notice or as soon thereafter as permitted by applicable law, whichever is later, this bond shall terminate and the Surety shall be relieved from any liability for any subsequent acts, or omissions of the Principal.

Dated this 7th day of January, 2005

**Obligee: The Board of Commissioners of the County of Lake, State of Indiana, and any cities & towns therein

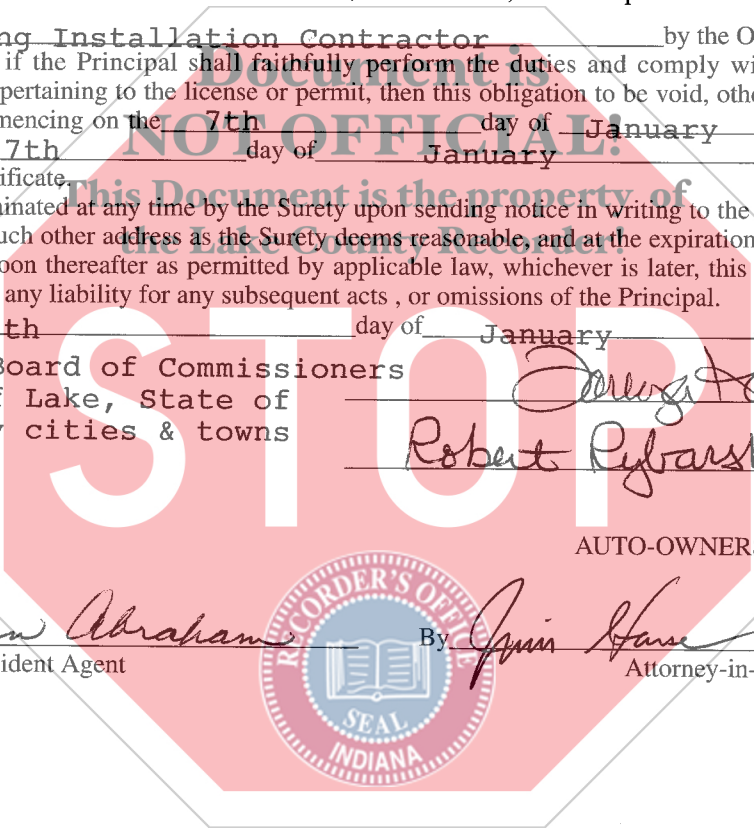
[Signature] Principal
Robert Rybarski Principal

AUTO-OWNERS INSURANCE COMPANY

Countersigned

By Mary Ann Abraham
Resident Agent

By [Signature]
Attorney-in-Fact



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AUTO-OWNERS INSURANCE COMPANY

AT LANSING, MICHIGAN

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That the AUTO-OWNERS INSURANCE COMPANY AT LANSING, MICHIGAN, a Michigan Corporation, having its principal office at Lansing, County of Eaton, State of Michigan, pursuant to the following Resolution adopted by the directors of said Company on January 27, 1971, to wit:

"RESOLVED. That the President or any Vice President or Secretary or Assistant Secretary of the Company shall have power and authority to appoint Attorneys-in-Fact, and to authorize them to execute on behalf of the Company, and attach the seal of the Company thereto, bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity, and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof. Signatures of officers and seal of Company, imprinted on such powers of attorney by facsimile shall have same force and effect as if manually affixed. Said officers may at any time remove and revoke the authority of any such appointee."

does hereby constitute and appoint Jim House, Lansing, Michigan

its true and lawful attorney(s)-in-fact, to execute, seal and deliver for and on its behalf as surety, any and all bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, provided, however, that the penal sum of any one such instrument executed hereunder shall not exceed Twenty Five Thousand and no/100 (\$25,000.00) Dollars

and the execution of such instrument(s) in pursuance of these presents, shall be as binding upon the said AUTO-OWNERS INSURANCE COMPANY AT LANSING, MICHIGAN, as fully and amply, to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been duly executed and acknowledged by its regularly elected officers at its principal office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the AUTO-OWNERS INSURANCE COMPANY AT LANSING, MICHIGAN, has caused these presents to be signed and its corporate seal to be affixed by its authorized officer this 1st day of February, 1997.

Attest

T.J. Buda, Jr.
T.J. Buda, Jr., Secretary

John W. Fisher
John W. Fisher, President

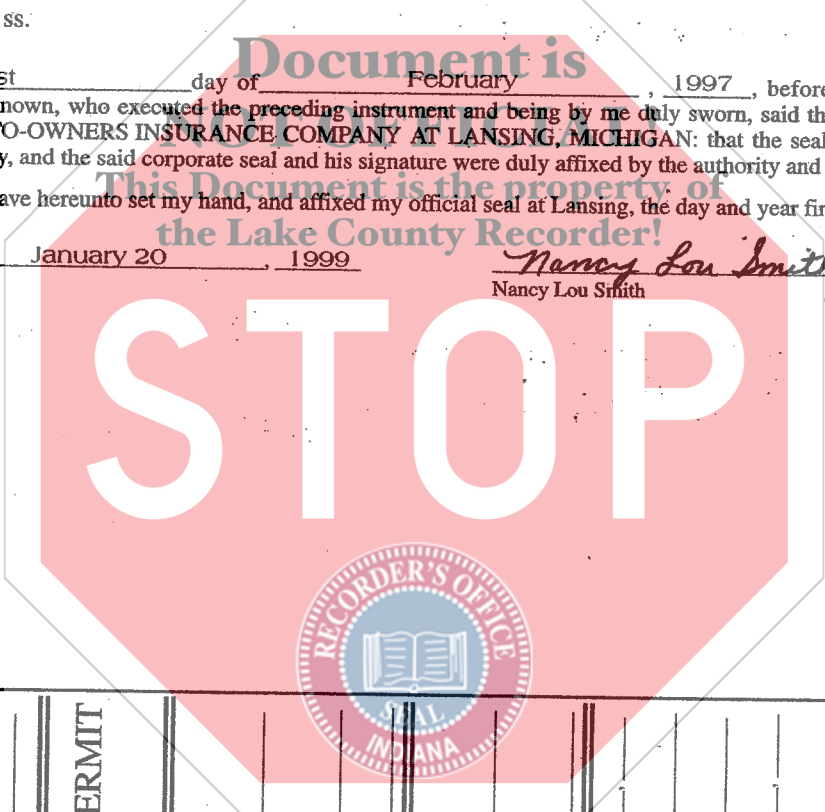
STATE OF MICHIGAN } ss.
COUNTY OF EATON }


On this 1st day of February, 1997, before me, a notary public, came the individual, to me personally known, who executed the preceding instrument and being by me duly sworn, said that he is the therein described and authorized officer of the AUTO-OWNERS INSURANCE COMPANY AT LANSING, MICHIGAN; that the seal affixed to said instrument is the corporate seal of said Company, and the said corporate seal and his signature were duly affixed by the authority and direction of the said Corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed my official seal at Lansing, the day and year first above written.

My commission expires January 20, 1999

Nancy Lou Smith
Nancy Lou Smith
Notary Public



	License or Permit No. _____
LICENSE AND PERMIT BOND	
As _____	_____
of _____	_____
State of _____	_____
Name of Applicant _____	_____
Address _____	_____
Filed _____	_____
Approved this _____	_____
day of _____	_____