

NORTH AMERICAN SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY

LICENSE AND/OR PERMIT BOND

2006 009753

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That John Vratsinas Commercial Builders, Inc. as principal, and

North American Specialty Insurance Company as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto

Board of Lake County Commissioners, all Cities, Towns, Municipalities of Lake County, IN as Obligee, in the full and just sum

of Five Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$ 5,000.00).
lawful money of the United States, to the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, the Principal and Surety bind themselves, their and each of their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

WHEREAS, the above bounden Principal has obtained or is about to obtain from the said Obligee a

General Contractor License or Permit

the term of which is as indicated opposite the block checked below:

Beginning _____ and ending _____

Continuous, beginning January 17, 2006

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That if the above bounden Principal as such licensee or permittee shall indemnify said Obligee against all loss, costs, expenses or damage to it caused by said Principal's non-compliance with or breach of any laws, statutes, ordinances, rules or regulations pertaining to such license or permit issued to the Principal, which said breach or non-compliance shall occur during the term of this bond, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

PROVIDED, that if this bond is for a fixed term it may be continued by Certificate executed by the Surety hereon; and

PROVIDED FURTHER, that regardless of the number of years this bond shall continue or be continued in force and of the number of premiums that shall be payable or paid, the Surety shall not be liable hereunder for a larger amount, in the aggregate, than the amount of this bond; and

PROVIDED FURTHER, that if this is a continuous bond and the Surety shall so elect, this bond may be cancelled by the Surety as to subsequent liability by giving thirty (30) days notice in writing to said Obligee.

Signed, sealed and dated January 17, 2006

[Signature]
(Witness)

John Vratsinas Commercial Builders, Inc.
(Principal) (Seal)

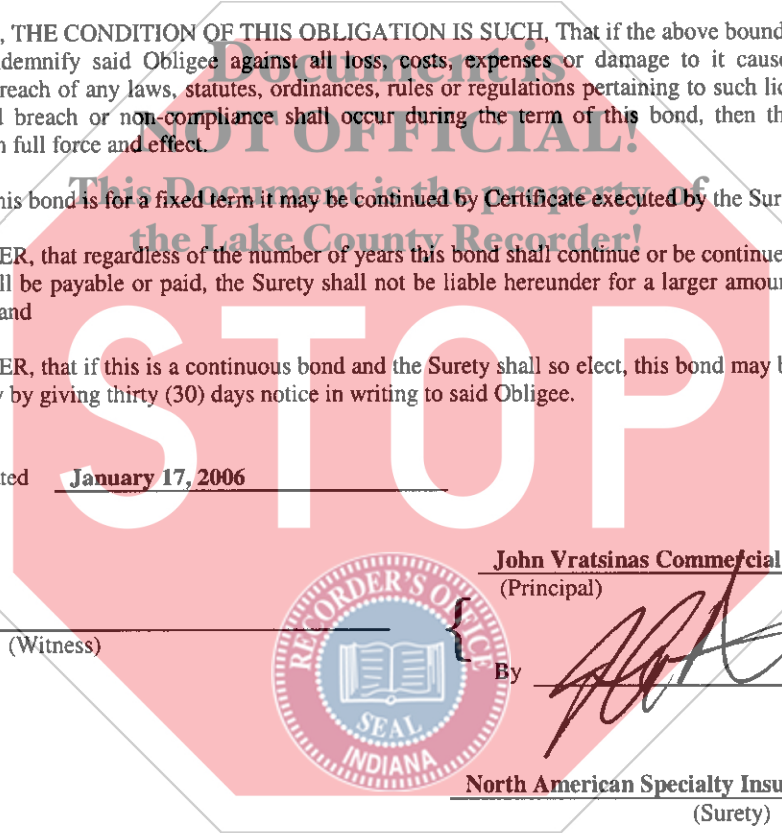
By [Signature]
(Title)

North American Specialty Insurance Company
(Surety)

Bond No. 2059031

By Cindy Bennett
Cindy Bennett, Attorney-in-fact

STATE OF INDIANA
LAKE COUNTY
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NORTH AMERICAN SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY
WASHINGTON INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY

GENERAL POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, THAT North American Specialty Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized and existing under laws of the State of New Hampshire, and having its principal office in the City of Manchester, New Hampshire, and Washington International Insurance Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Arizona and having its principal office in the City of Itasca, Illinois, each does hereby make, constitute and appoint:

JANET ALESSIO, JAY D. FREIERMUTH, CRAIG E. HANSEN, CLIFFORD W. AUGSPURGER,

MARTHA LATHRUM, DIANNE S. RILEY, BRIAN M. DEIMERLY, CINDY BENNETT,

and ANNE CROWNER - JOINTLY OR SEVERALLY

Its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, to make, execute, seal and deliver, for and on its behalf and as its act and deed, bonds or other writings obligatory in the nature of a bond on behalf of each of said Companies, as surety, on contracts of suretyship as are or may be required or permitted by law, regulation, contract or otherwise, provided that no bond or undertaking or contract or suretyship executed under this authority shall exceed the amount of:

TEN MILLION (10,000,000.00) DOLLARS

This Power of Attorney is granted and is signed by facsimile under and by the authority of the following Resolutions adopted by the Boards of Directors of both North American Specialty Insurance Company and Washington International Insurance Company at meetings duly called and held on the 24th of March, 2000:

"RESOLVED, that any two of the President, any Executive Vice President, any Vice President, any Assistant Vice President, the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary be, and each or any of them hereby is authorized to execute a Power of Attorney qualifying the attorney named in the given Power of Attorney to execute on behalf of the Company bonds, undertakings and all contracts of surety, and that each or any of them hereby is authorized to attest to the execution of any such Power of Attorney and to attach therein the seal of the Company; and it is

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the signature of such officers and the seal of the Company may be affixed to any such Power of Attorney or to any certificate relating thereto by facsimile, and any such Power of Attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signatures or facsimile seal shall be binding upon the Company when so affixed and in the future with regard to any bond, undertaking or contract of surety to which it is attached."



By [Signature]
Steven P. Anderson, President & Chief Executive Officer of Washington International Insurance Company &
Vice President of North American Specialty Insurance Company

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This Document is the property of
the Lake County Recorder!

By [Signature]
David M. Layman, Vice President of Washington International Insurance Company &
Vice President of North American Specialty Insurance Company



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, North American Specialty Insurance Company and Washington International Insurance Company have caused their official seals to be hereunto affixed, and these presents to be signed by their authorized officers this 10th day of November, 2005.

North American Specialty Insurance Company
Washington International Insurance Company

State of Illinois ss:
County of Du Page

On this 10th day of November, 2005, before me, a Notary Public personally appeared Steven P. Anderson, President and CEO of Washington International Insurance Company and Vice President of North American Specialty Insurance Company and David M. Layman, Vice President of Washington International Insurance Company and Vice President of North American Specialty Insurance Company, personally known to me, who being by me duly sworn, acknowledged that they signed the above Power of Attorney as officers of and acknowledged said instrument to be the voluntary act and deed of their respective companies.



[Signature]
Susan Ansel, Notary Public

I, James A. Carpenter, the duly elected Assistant Secretary of North American Specialty Insurance Company and Washington International Insurance Company, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of a Power of Attorney given by said North American Specialty Insurance Company and Washington International Insurance Company, which is still in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and affixed the seals of the Companies this 17th day of January, 2006.

[Signature]

James A. Carpenter, Vice President & Assistant Secretary of Washington International Insurance Company & North American Specialty Insurance Company

Prescribed by the
State Board of Accounts
(2005)

County form 170

Declaration

This form is to be signed by the preparer of a document and recorded with each document in accordance with IC 36-2-7.5-5(a).

I, the undersigned preparer of the attached document, in accordance with IC 36-2-7.5, do hereby affirm under the penalties of perjury:

1. I have reviewed the attached document for the purpose of identifying and, to the extent permitted by law, redacting all Social Security number in attached document.
2. I have redacted, to the extent permitted by law, each Social Security number in the attached document.

I, undersigned, affirm under the penalties of perjury, that the foregoing declarations are true.




Signature of Declarant


Printed Name of Declarant