

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, DONALD NIEMEYER
of Hobart, INDIANA, as Principal
AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE COMPANY

STATE OF INDIANA
LAKE COUNTY
FILED FOR RECORD

are held and firmly bound unto The State of Indiana, and for the benefit of persons concerned or aggrieved, in the penal sum of
FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$5,000) **2007 101282** Dollars, to the payment
of which well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our
seals, and dated this 10th day of December A.D. 2007. The condition of the above obligation is, as follows, viz.:

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MICHAEL A. BROWN
RECORDER

NOW THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH,

WHEREAS, the above named and bounden DONALD NIEMEYER
has been duly elected and commissioned or appointed POLICE COMMISSIONER
in and for LAKE County, in the State of Indiana, aforesaid, for the term beginning
from the 1st day of January A.D. 2008 and until his successor is duly qualified and ending 01/01/2009

Now, if the said DONALD NIEMEYER shall faithfully
perform and discharge his duties as such POLICE COMMISSIONER and pay over the demand to the persons
entitled or authorized to receive the same, all moneys that may come into his hands as such POLICE COMMISSIONER
during his continuance in office; and further, that the Legislature may change, modify or repeal any law now in force, and exact any and all laws during the existence of
the above obligation at the pleasure of the Legislature, without in any way or manner releasing the said officer or his said securities on said bond; then, and in the case,
the above obligation shall cease, be null and void, otherwise to be and to remain in full force and virtue in law.

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Donald Niemyer
DONALD NIEMEYER

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AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE COMPANY

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Mitchell Ketner
MITCHELL KETNER, Attorney-in-Fact

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Accepted and approved this _____ day of _____, A.D.

State of Indiana, *Lake*

County, ss:

Personally appeared before me, *Terri J. Reno*
in and for said County and State aforesaid, DONALD NIEMEYER
who being sworn, upon his oath says:



"I will support the Constitution of the United States and of the State of Indiana, and I will faithfully, honestly and impartially discharge the duties of the
office of *Police Commissioner* to the best of my skill and ability."

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this *20th* day of *December*, 2007.

Terri J. Reno

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRINCIPAL

STATE OF INDIANA, _____ COUNTY, SS:

Personally appeared before me, DONALD NIEMEYER

principal upon the bond appearing

on the reverse side hereof and acknowledges the execution of said bond this, 20th day of December, 2007

Shou H. Reno

Notary Public
Official capacity

12-31-07

Expiration date of commission, if Notary Public

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SURETY

STATE OF INDIANA _____ COUNTY OF MARION _____, SS:

Comes now AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE by MITCHELL KETNER

, its agent, surety upon the bond

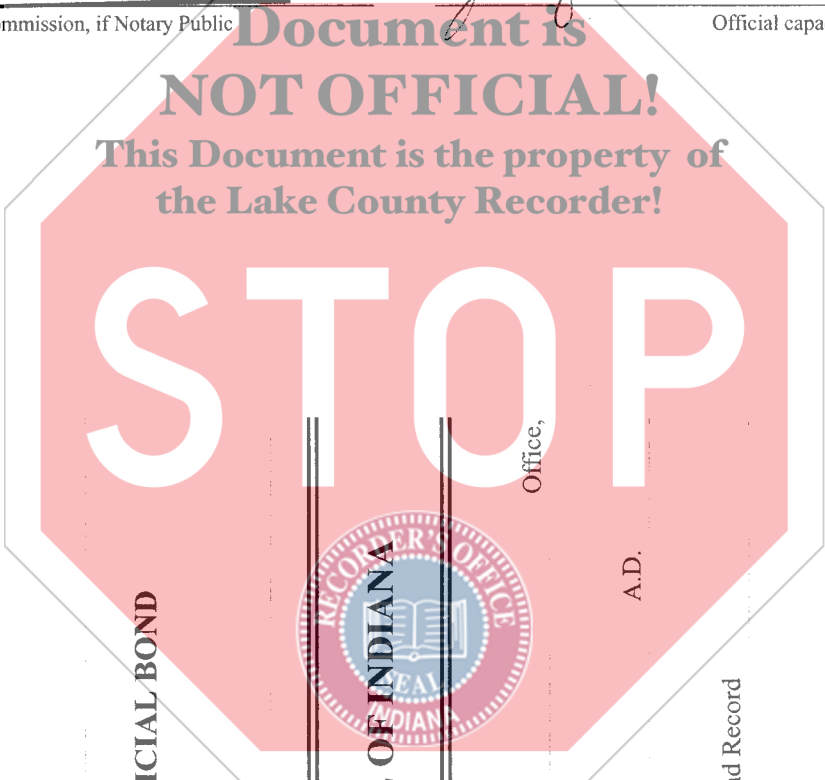
appearing on the reverse side hereof and acknowledges the execution of said bond this 10th day of December, 2007

JENNIFER R FORD, NOTARY PUBLIC
MARION COUNTY, STATE OF INDIANA
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: 12-18-2014

JENNIFER R FORD

Jennifer R Ford
Official capacity

Expiration date of commission, if Notary Public



OFFICIAL BOND

To _____ \$ _____

STATE OF INDIANA

Filed in the _____

and recorded in Bond Record _____

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

American States Insurance Company
Safeco Plaza
Seattle, WA 98185

No. 13286

KNOW ALL BY THESE PRESENTS:

That AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE COMPANY, a Indiana corporation, does hereby appoint

*****MITCHELL KETNER*****

its true and lawful attorney(s)-in-fact, with full authority to execute on behalf of the company fidelity and surety bonds or undertakings and other documents of a similar character issued by the company in the course of its business, and to bind AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE COMPANY thereby as fully as if such instruments had been duly executed by its regularly elected officers at its home office, in amounts or penalties not exceeding the sum of:

Five Hundred Thousand and 00/100-----
DOLLARS (\$ 500,000.00)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE COMPANY has executed and attested these presents

this 7th day of December, 2006

Stephanie Daley-Watson

STEPHANIE DALEY-WATSON, SECRETARY

Tim Mikolajewski

TIM MIKOLAJEWSKI, SENIOR VICE-PRESIDENT, SURETY

CERTIFICATE
Extract from the By-Laws of AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE COMPANY:

"Article 8, Section 8.1 1. - FIDELITY AND SURETY BONDS . . . the President, any Vice President, the Secretary, and any Assistant Vice President appointed for that purpose by the officer in charge of surety operations, shall each have authority to appoint individuals as attorneys-in-fact or under other appropriate titles with authority to execute on behalf of the corporation fidelity and surety bonds and other documents of similar character issued by the corporation in the course of its business . . . On any instrument making or evidencing such appointment, the signatures may be affixed by facsimile. On any instrument conferring such authority or on any bond or undertaking of the corporation, the seal, or a facsimile thereof, may be impressed or affixed or in any other manner reproduced; provided, however, that the seal shall not be necessary to the validity of any such instrument or undertaking."

I, Stephanie Daley-Watson, Secretary of AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE COMPANY, do hereby certify that the foregoing extracts of the By-Laws of this corporation, and of a Power of Attorney issued pursuant thereto, are true and correct, and that both the By-Laws and the Power of Attorney are still in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the facsimile seal of said corporation

this 7th day of December, 2007



Stephanie Daley-Watson

STEPHANIE DALEY-WATSON, SECRETARY