

UNITED STATES FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY  
11490 WESTHEIMER RD, SUITE 300, HOUSTON TX 77077

PUBLIC OFFICIAL BOND  
FOR DEFINITE TERM  
MADE A MATTER OF PUBLIC RECORD  
THIS 17th DAY OF Oct 20 17

BOND NO. 615983500

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we MICHAEL A. BROWN  
Of 3981 LINCOLN STREET, GARY IN 46408, as Principal, and  
UNITED STATES FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation of DELAWARE, as Surety  
and firmly bound unto STATE OF INDIANA  
in the  
penal sum of THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND AND 00/100S\*\*\*\*\* ( \$300,000.00\*\* ) Dollars, lawful money  
of the United States of America, for the payment of which well and truly to be made, said principal binds  
himself/herself, his/her heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, and said Surety binds itself, its  
successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

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SEALED and dated this 27TH day of SEPTEMBER 2017

WHEREAS, the said principal has been  elected, or  appointed to the office of:  
LAKE COUNTY CLERK for a definite term beginning OCTOBER 1, 2017  
and ending DECEMBER 31, 2018 and is required to furnish a bond for the faithful performance of  
the duties of the said office or position.

NOW, THEREFORE THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION is such that if the above named  
Principal shall (except as hereinafter provided) faithfully perform the duties of his/her said office or  
position during the said term, and shall pay over to the persons authorized by law to receive the same  
all moneys that may come into his/her hands during the said term without fraud or delay; and at the  
expiration of said term, or in case of his/her resignation or removal from office, shall turn over to  
his/her successor all records and property which have come into his/her hands, then this obligation to  
be null and void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that the above named Surety shall not be liable hereunder for any loss of  
any public fund resulting from the insolvency of any bank or banks in which said funds are deposited;  
and, if this provision shall be held void, this entire bond shall be void.

AND PROVIDED FURTHER, that the Surety may cancel bond at any time during the said term by  
giving to the obligee a written notice of its desire so to cancel and at the expiration of thirty (30) days  
from the receipt of such notice by the obligee the surety shall be completely released as to all liability  
thereafter accruing. If this provision shall be held void, this entire bond shall be void.

WITNESS:

MICHAEL A. BROWN

Sylvia Brown

Michael A. Brown

(Seal)

(Principal)

UNITED STATES FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

By:

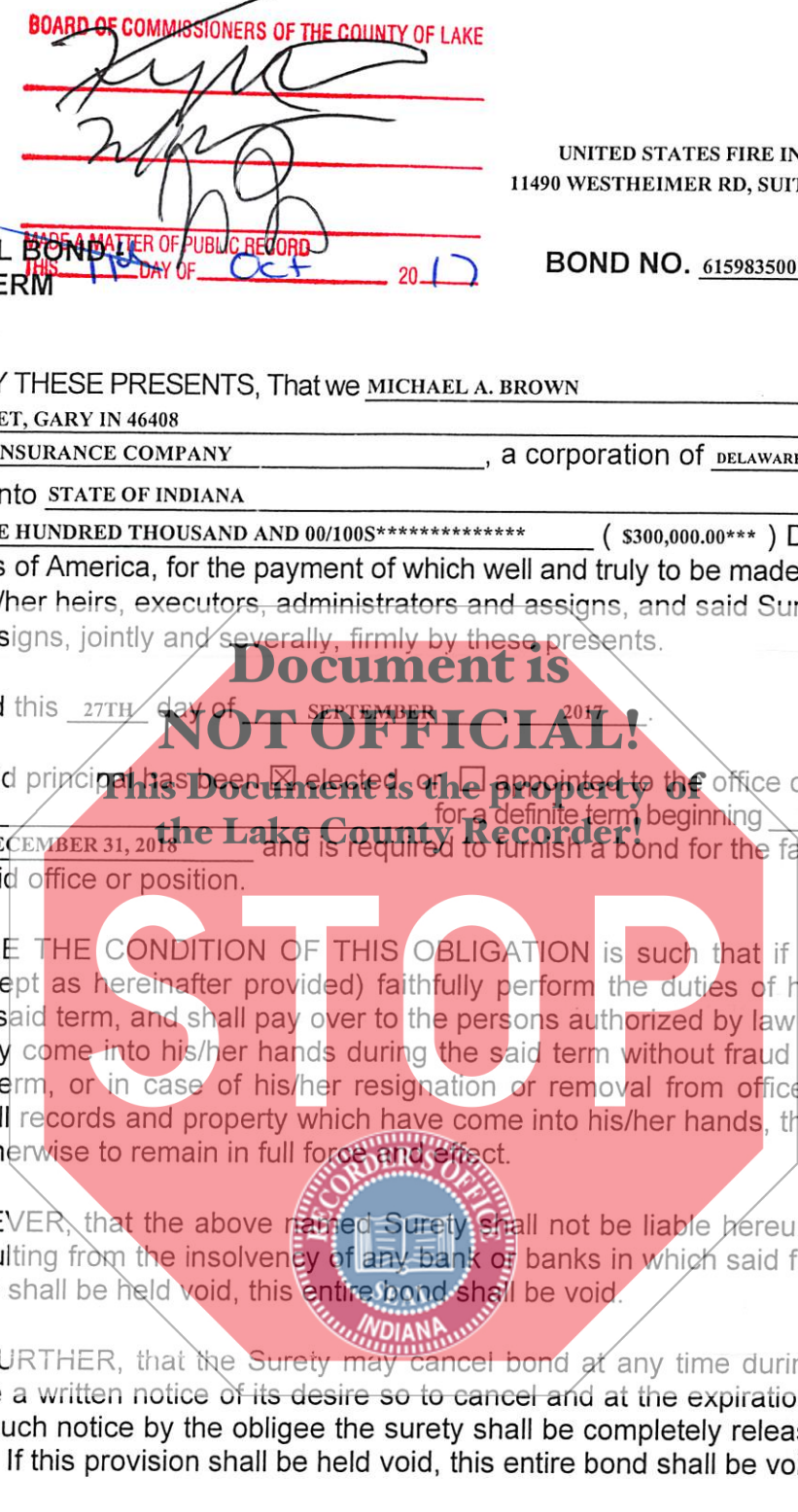
C. POINDEXTER

Attorney-in-Fact

C. POINDEXTER/SURETY ONE, INC.

Producer Name  
(Required in Arizona Only)

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STATE OF INDIANA  
LAKE COUNTY  
FILED FOR RECORD  
MICHAEL A. BROWN  
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UNITED STATES FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY  
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Bond # 615983500

**SPECIAL POWER OF ATTORNEY**

Know All Men By These Presents:

That United States Fire Insurance Company, hereinafter referred to as the Company, in pursuance of authority granted by Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors, does hereby nominate, constitute and appoint Carllyle Taylor Poindexter, Maria de los Angeles Reynoso & Danny Quarella, its true and lawful agent and Attorney-In-Fact to make, execute, seal and deliver, for and on its behalf and as its act and deed, as surety, bonds and contracts of suretyship to be given to all obligees provided that no bond or contract of suretyship executed under this authority shall exceed the sum of: Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00)

Certificate of Resolution:

This power of attorney is granted and is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by the authority of the following By-laws adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company by an unanimous written consent dated as of the 10th day of December 2003.

Except as the Board of Directors may authorize by resolution, the Chairman of the Board, President, any Vice-President, any Assistant Vice President, the Secretary, or any Assistant Secretary shall have power on behalf of the Corporation: (a) to execute, affix the corporate seal manually or by facsimile to, acknowledge, verify and deliver any contracts, obligations, instruments and documents whatsoever in connection with its business including, without limiting the foregoing, any bonds, guarantees, undertakings, recognizances, powers of attorney or revocations of any powers of attorney, stipulations, policies of insurance, deeds, leases, mortgages, releases, satisfactions and agency agreements; (b) to appoint, in writing, one or more persons for any or all of the purposes mentioned in the preceding paragraph (a), including affixing the seal of the Corporation.

In Witness Whereof the Company has caused its official seal to be hereunto affixed, and these presents to be signed by its Vice President and attested by its Assistant Vice President this 19th day of May, 2017.

*Kiki Brown*

ATTEST:

Kiki Brown  
(Assistant Vice President)

By:

*Michael P. Ziemer*  
Michael P. Ziemer  
(Vice President)

STATE OF TEXAS,  
SS.:  
COUNTY OF HARRIS

On this 19th day of May, 2017, before me personally came Michael P. Ziemer to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in Cypress, in the County of Harris, State of Texas; that he is Vice President of United States Fire Insurance Company, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of the said corporation, that the seal affixed to the said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said corporation and that he signed his name thereto by like order, and in his capacity as Vice President.



*Daniel Kaminski*

County of Harris, State of Texas  
My Commission Expires June 04, 2019

I, the undersigned, an Assistant Secretary of United States Fire Insurance Company, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing and attached Power of Attorney remains in full force and has not been revoked, and furthermore that the Resolution of the Board of Directors, set forth in the said Power of Attorney, is now in force.

Signed and sealed this 20th day of September, 2017



*Kiki Brown*  
(Assistant Vice President)