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NOTARY BOND  
- Alabama -

Bond No. NOC- 934829

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }

County of Shelby }

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we Carla Pate, as Principal, and RLI Insurance Company, a corporation duly licensed to do business in the State of Alabama, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Alabama in the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000), for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, firmly by these presents, and we hereby waive our right to claim personal property exempt under the laws of Alabama.

Sealed with our seals, and dated this 15th day of October, 2001.

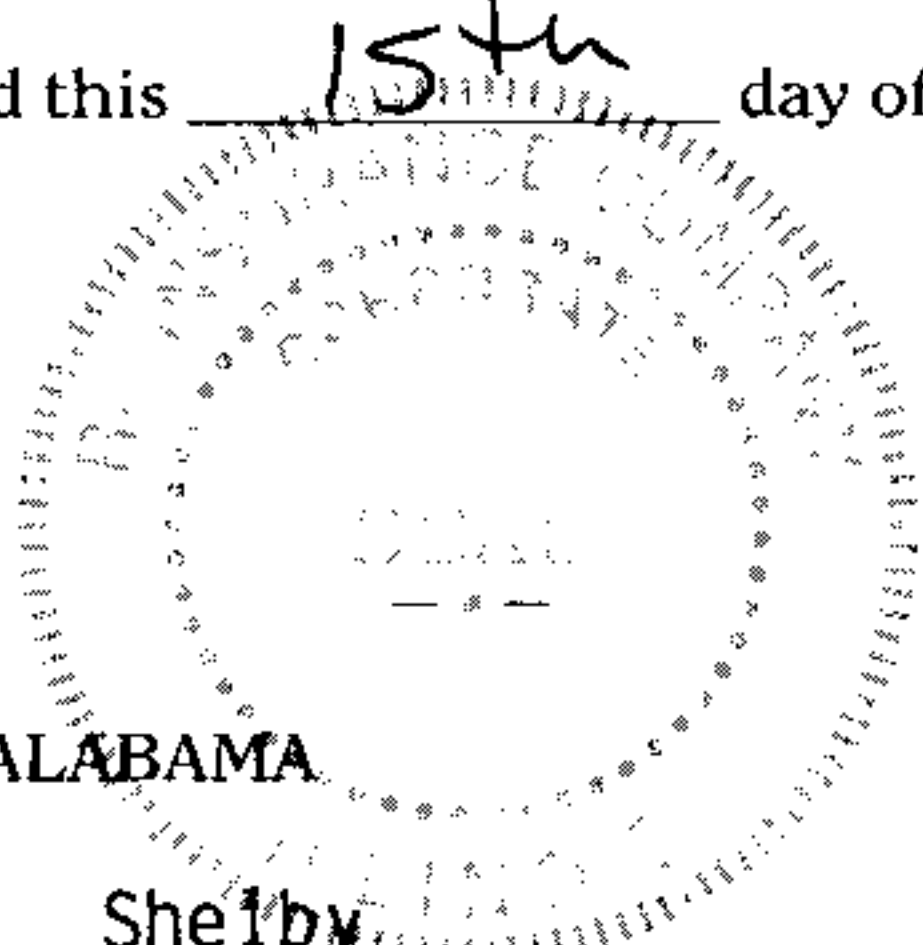
WHEREAS, the above-named Principal has been duly appointed Notary Public \_\_\_\_\_  
(State at Large) beginning the 15th day of October, 2001; for the term of four years  
in and for said County.

NOW, THEREFORE, the condition of this bond is that if the named Principal shall faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Notary Public during his/her continuance therein, then this obligation shall be null and void; otherwise, it shall remain in full force and effect.

Countersigned  
By Rebecca Brasher  
Alabama Resident Agent  
P O Box 885 Columbiana AL 35051  
Address

Carla Pate (L.S.)  
Principal  
RLI Insurance Company  
By Joseph E. Michael (L.S.)  
President

Approved and filed this 15th day of October, 2001.



Patricia G. [Signature]  
10/15/2001  
03:38 PM CERTIFIED  
SHELBY COUNTY JUDGE OF PROBATE  
001 CH 23.00

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }

County of Shelby }

OATH OF OFFICE

I, Carla Pate, do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Alabama, so long as I continue a citizen thereof; and that I will faithfully and honestly discharge the duties of the office upon which I am about to enter, to the best of my ability, so help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th  
day of October, 2001.

Rebecca Brasher  
Notary Public }

Carla Pate  
Principal

RLI Insurance Company  
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