

**STATE OF ALABAMA )  
COUNTY OF SHELBY)**

**DURABLE POWER OF ATTORNEY**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that I **Edward Wayne Lucas**, of the City of Alabaster, Alabama, County of Shelby, State of Alabama have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint **Michael W. Lucas** of the City of Alabaster, Alabama as my true and lawful attorney for me and in my name, place and stead, and for my use and benefit, to ask, demand, sue for, recover, collect and receive all sums of money, debts, accounts, legacies, bequests, interests, dividends, annuities, and demands whatsoever as are now or shall hereafter become due, owing, payable or belonging to me, and have, use and take all lawful ways and means in my name or otherwise for the recovery thereof, by attachment, arrests, distress or otherwise and compromise and agree for the same, or other discharges for the same, for me, and in my name, to make, seal and deliver; to bargain, contract, agree for, purchase, receive, and take lands, tenements, hereditaments and accept the seizing and possession of all lands and all deeds and assurances, in the law therefore, and to lease, let, demise, bargain, sell, remise, release, convey, mortgage, and hypothecate lands, tenements, hereditaments, upon such terms and conditions, and under such covenants, as she shall think fit; also to bargain and agree for, buy, sell, mortgage, hypothecate, and in any manner deal in and with goods, wares, and merchandise, choices in action and other property in possession or in any action, and to make, do, and transact all and every kind of business of whatsoever nature or kind, and also for me in my name, and as my act and deed, to sign, seal, execute, deliver and acknowledge such deeds, leases and assignments of leases, covenants, indentures, agreements, mortgages, bills of lading, bills, bonds, notes, receipts, evidences of debt, releases and satisfactions of mortgages, judgments and other debts, and such instruments in writing of whatever kind as may become necessary or proper in the premises.

This Power of Attorney shall not be affected by disability, incompetence, or incapacity of the principal **Edward Wayne Lucas**.

Giving and granting unto my said attorney full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as I might do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming that my said attorney, or his/her substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by these presents.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in effect until revoked by me in writing and said revocations recorded in the office of the Probate Judge of Shelby County, Alabama. This document hereby expressly revokes any previous Power of Attorney executed by me,

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regardless of requirements of revocation contained therein.

WITNESS my hand this the 20 day of March, 2003.

Rodney C. Nighlander  
(Witness)

Edward Wayne Lucas  
Edward Wayne Lucas

#### VERIFICATION

STATE OF ALABAMA)  
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Personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State Edward Wayne Lucas, who being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says an oath that all of the allegations and averments contained in the foregoing Durable Power of Attorney to Michael W. Lucas is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Edward Wayne Lucas  
Edward Wayne Lucas

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 20th day of March, 2003.

Notary Public

Commission Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**My Commission Expires**  
**October 20, 2004**