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NOTARY BOND - Alabama -

Bond No. NOC- 935504

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }

County of Shelby }

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we Mikul R. Smitherman, 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 30th day of September, 2003.

WHEREAS, the above-named Principal has been duly appointed Notary Public _____
(State at Large) beginning the 30th day of September, 2003, _____; 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

Mikul R. Smitherman (L.S.)
Principal

RLI Insurance Company

By

Donath E. Michael (L.S.)
President

Approved and filed this

30th

day of

September

2003

Patricia Yeager Johnson
Judge of Probate

Judge of Probate

By

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }

County of Shelby }

OATH OF OFFICE

I, Mikul R. Smitherman, 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 30th
day of September, 2003

Rebecca Brasher
Notary Public

Mikul R. Smitherman
Principal

RLI Insurance Company
1-309-692-1000