

MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) P.O. BOX 14498, DES MOINES, IA 50306-3498 PHONE: (800) 876-6827 FAX: (800) 833-1211

## NOTARY PUBLIC BOND STATE OF ALABAMA

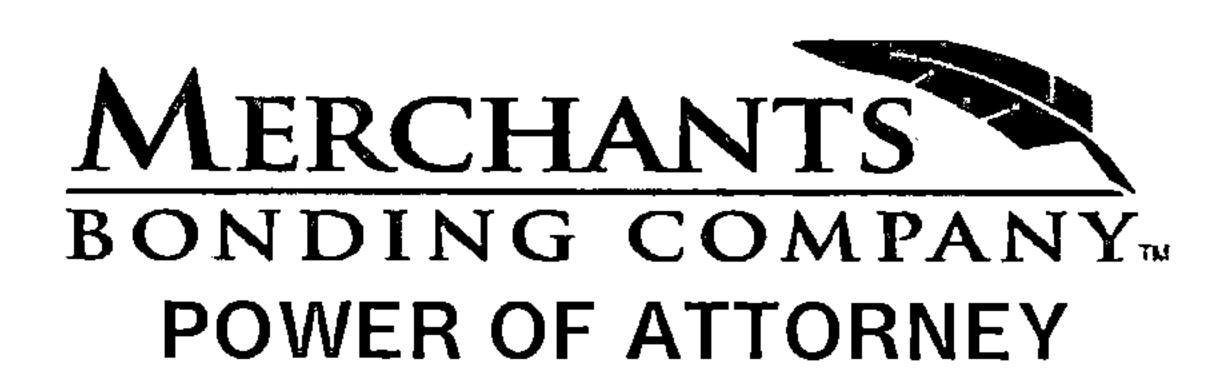
THE STATE OF ALABAMA		BOND No	AL5454419	
County ofSHELBY		,		
KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:				
ThatLUZ DIAN	A CASTANO			as Principal,
and MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL), a	corporation duly licens	sed to do busin	ess in the State	of Alabama,
as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto	the Sta	ate of Alabama		
in the sum of \$25,000.00, for the payment of which well a	and truly to be made a	nd done, we bii	nd ourselves, ou	r heirs,
executors, administrators and assigns, firmly by these pr	esents.			
WHEREAS, the above-named Principal has been dul	y appointed Notary Pu	ıblic for the tern	n of four (4) year	s from the
WHEREAS, the above-named Principal has been duly date of Notary Commission.	2021	1.	· · · · ·	
NOW, THEREFORE, the condition of this bond is that if t	the named Principal ch	a all faithfully dic	sharaa tha dutic	o of the
office of Notary Public during his/her continuance therein				
remain in full force and effect.	i, then this obligation si	nan be nun and	volu, ou lei wise	it Sijaij
Sealed with our seals and dated this	day of		1	
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SO CORPO A	Merchants	Bonding Com	pany (Mutual)	
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	By: William A	Anderson		Attorney-in-Fact
Approved and filed this	day of	February	, <u>2</u>	021
	By:	100		

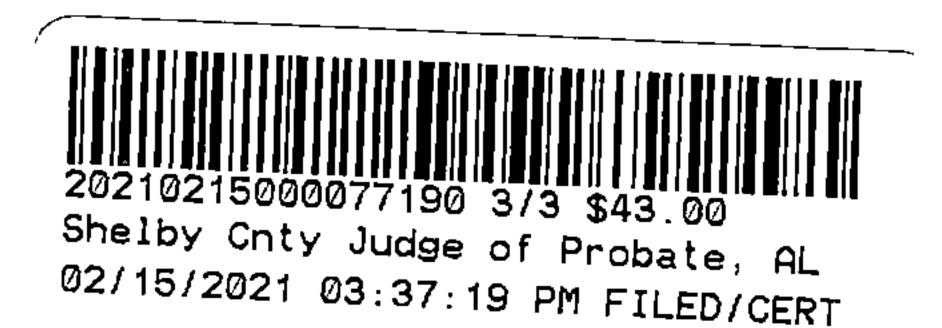
THE STATE OF ALABAMA		OATH OF OFFICE		
County ofSHELBY				
I, LUZ DIANA CAS	<u>ΓΑΝΟ</u> , do so	elemnly swear that I will support the C	Constitution of the	
United States and the Constitution	of the State of Alabama, so	o long as I continue to be a citizen	thereof, and that	
I will faithfully and honestly discharge	the duties of the office upon	which I am about to enter, to the bes	t of my ability.	
Subscribed and sworn to before meday of february	e this	WWW. DLUWW. WILLIAM CASTANO	Principal	
Edgar Castro Notary Public My Commission Expires				

Shelby Cnty Judge of Probate, AL

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Know All Persons By These Presents, that MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) and MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC., both being corporations of the State of Iowa (herein collectively called the "Companies") do hereby make, constitute and appoint, individually,

## William A Anderson

their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, to sign its name as surety(ies) and to execute, seal and acknowledge any and all bonds, undertakings, contracts and other written instruments in the nature thereof, on behalf of the Companies in their business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons, guaranteeing the performance of contracts and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in any actions or proceedings allowed by law.

This Power-of-Attorney is granted and is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by authority of the following By-Laws adopted by the Board of Directors of Merchants Bonding Company (Mutual) on April 23, 2011 and amended August 14, 2015 and adopted by the Board of Directors of Merchants National Bonding, Inc., on October 16, 2015.

"The President, Secretary, Treasurer, or any Assistant Treasurer or any Assistant Secretary or any Vice President-shall have power and authority to appoint Attorneys-in-Fact, and to authorize them to execute on behalf of the Company, and attach the seal of the Company thereto, bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof."

"The signature of any authorized officer and the seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile or electronic transmission to any Power of Attorney or Certification thereof authorizing the execution and delivery of any bond, undertaking, recognizance, or other suretyship obligations of the Company, and such signature and seal when so used shall have the same force and effect as though manually fixed."

In connection with obligations in favor of the Florida Department of Transportation only, it is agreed that the power and aut hority hereby given to the Attorney-in-Fact includes any and all consents for the release of retained percentages and/or final estimates on engineering and construction contracts required by the State of Florida Department of Transportation. It is fully understood that consenting to the State of Florida Department of Transportation making payment of the final estimate to the Contractor and/or its assignee, shall not relieve this surety company of any of its obligations under its bond.

In connection with obligations in favor of the Kentucky Department of Highways only, it is agreed that the power and authority hereby given to the Attorney-in-Fact cannot be modified or revoked unless prior written personal notice of such intent has been given to the Commissioner-Department of Highways of the Commonwealth of Kentucky at least thirty (30) days prior to the modification or revocation.

In Witness Whereof, the Companies have caused this instrument to be signed and sealed this 3rd day of February , 2021

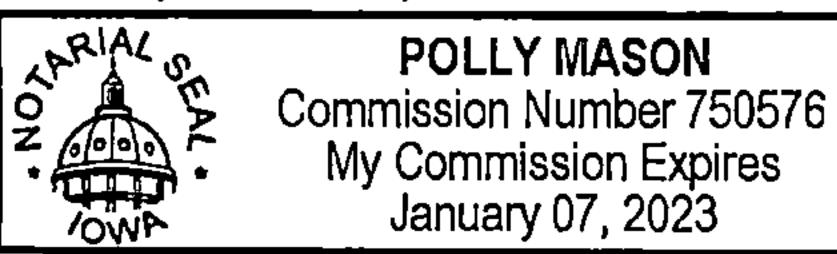
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MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL)
MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC.

President

STATE OF IOWA COUNTY OF DALLAS ss.

On this 3rd day of February , 2021 , before me appeared Larry Taylor, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn did say that he is President of MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) and MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC.; and that the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument are the Corporate Seals of the Companies; and that the said instrument was signed and sealed in behalf of the Companies by authority of their respective Boards of Directors.



Notary Public

(Expiration of notary's commission does not invalidate this instrument)

I, William Warner, Jr., Secretary of MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) and MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC., do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the POWER-OF-ATTORNEY executed by said Companies, which is still in full force and effect and has not been amended or revoked.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Companies on this 3rd day of February , 2021.

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