

Lawyers Surety Corporation

1221 RIVER BEND DRIVE, 1936 DALLAS, TEXAS 75247

BOND NO. ALB 110813 **NOTARY BOND**
KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

THAT WE, Ben E. Hickman
5017 Cameron Road
Birmingham, AL 35243

STATE OF ALABAMA, Jefferson
COUNTY OF _____

as Principal, and LAWYERS SURETY CORPORATION, Dallas, Texas, as Surety are held and firmly bound unto the State of Alabama in the sum of \$10,000 (Ten Thousand and no), 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.

WHEREAS, the above-named Principal has been duly appointed Notary Public State at Large (State at Large or County) beginning the 24 day of Oct. 1988 for a term of four years in Precinct No. _____ 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, this obligation shall become null and void; otherwise, it shall remain in full force and effect.
Signed and sealed this 24 day of Oct. 1988.

(sign here) X Ben E. Hickman Principal
Person appointed Notary Public.

LAWYERS SURETY CORPORATION, Surety

By [Signature] Attorney-in-Fact

Approved and filed the 28TH day of OCTOBER, A. D., 1988

[Signature]
Judge of Probate

By _____

STATE OF ALABAMA
Jefferson County

OATH OF OFFICE

Ben E. Hickman, 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 honestly and faithfully discharge the duties of the office upon which I am about to enter, to the best of my ability, so help me God.

(sign here) X Ben E. Hickman Person appointed Notary Public.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of October, A. D., 1988
To certify which witness my hand and seal of office.

[Signature]
Notary Public State of Alabama

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