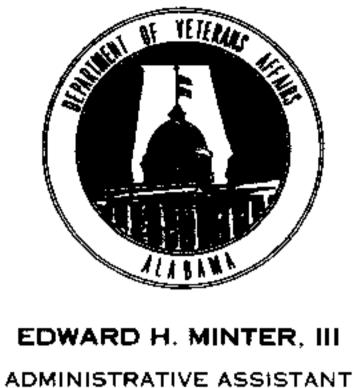


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July 15, 1997



EDWARD H. MINTER

Honorable Patricia Furmister, Judge of Probate Shelby County Probate Office Main Street Columbiana, AL 35051

RE: Application for Notary Public State at Large

Dear Judge Furmister:

Enclosed you will find State warrant to cover the filing fee for Mr. Michael E. Northcutt, who is an employee of our department and therefore covered under the blanket bond for notaries the State has with The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, policy #CCP 002 5 335 through J. Smith Lanier Insurance of Huntsville.

Please commission as a notary in accordance with the guidelines set forth by the State Finance Department.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Frank D. Wilkes

Director

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