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NOTARY BOND  
- Alabama -

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

County of Shelby

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we Carol W. Rickles, 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 26th day of October, 1998.

WHEREAS, the above-named Principal has been duly appointed Notary Public \_\_\_\_\_  
(State at Large or county) beginning the 26th day of October, 1998; for the term  
of four years in Precinct No. State At Large 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 Dasher  
Alabama Resident Agent  
P O Box 885 Columbiana AL 35051  
Address

RLI Insurance Company

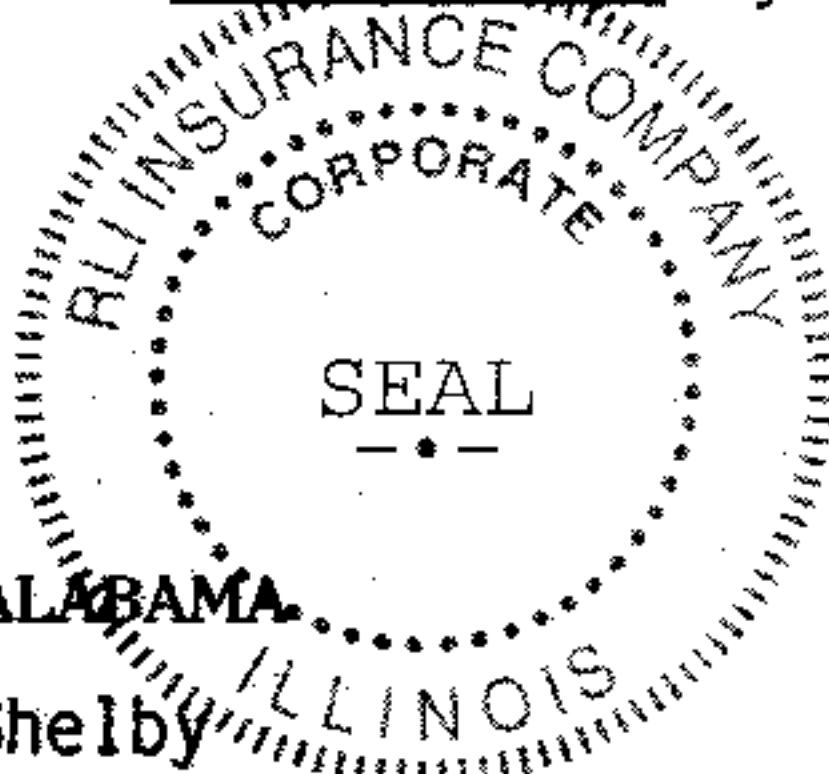
By

Joseph E. Michael (L.S.)  
President

Approved and filed this

13 day of October

1998



Patricia L. Schmeider  
Judge of Probate

By

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

County of

Shelby

OATH OF OFFICE

I, Carol W. Rickles, 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 13th  
day of October, 1998

Rebecca Dasher  
Notary Public

Carol W. Rickles  
Principal

RLI Insurance Company  
1-309-692-1000