STATE OF ALABAMA)

JEFFERSON COUNTY)

DURABLE POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, which are intended to constitute a Durable Power of Attorney, that I, THEODORE C. BOWLING do hereby constitute and appoint SUSANA BOWLING, my true and lawful attorney-in-fact to act in, manage, and conduct all our affairs, and for that purpose in our name and on our behalf to do and execute all or any of the following acts, deeds and things, that is to say:

- 1. To ask, demand, sue for, recover, and receive all sums of money, debts, dues, goods, wares, merchandise, chattels, effects, and things of whatsoever nature or description which are now or hereafter shall be or become due, owing, payable, or belonging to me in or by any right, title, or means howsoever, and upon receipt thereof to make, sign execute, and deliver such receipts, releases, or other discharges for the same respectively as she shall think fit or be advised.
- 2. To settle any account or reckoning whatsoever wherein I now am or at any time hereafter shall be in any wise interested or concerned with any person whomsoever, and to pay or receive the balance thereof as the case may require.
- 3. To defend, settle, adjust, compound, submit to arbitration and compromise all actions, suits, accounts, reckoning, claims, and demands whatsoever that now are, or hereafter shall be, pending between me and any person, firm, association or corporation, in such manner and in all respects as our said attorney-in-fact shall think fit.
- 4. To commence, prosecute, discontinue, or defend all actions or other legal proceedings touching our estate or any part thereof, or touching any matter in which I or our estate may be in any wise concerned.
- 5. To deposit any moneys which may come to his hands as such attorney with any bank or banker or any other concern in our name, and any of such money or any other money to which I am entitled which now is or shall be so deposited to withdraw, and either employ as she shall think fit in the payment of any debts, or interest, payable by me, or taxes, assessments, insurance, and expenses due and payable or to become due and payable on account of my real and personal estate, or in and about any of the purposes mentioned, or otherwise for my use and benefit.

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- 7. For me and in my name to grant, bargain, sell and convey all of my lands, tenements, and hereditaments, or any part thereof for such price and on such terms, as to she shall deem meet and proper, and for me, and in my name, to make, execute, acknowledge, and deliver, good and sufficient deeds and conveyance for the same, either with or without covenants and warranty.
- 8. For me and in my name to sell, mortgage, incumber or otherwise dispose of my personal property of any kind.
- 9. Without in any wise limiting the foregoing, generally to do, execute and perform any other act, deed, matter of thing whatsoever, that ought to be done, executed and performed, or that, in the opinion of our said attorney-in-fact ought to be done, executed or performed in and about the premises, of every name and kind whatsoever, as fully and effectually as I could do if personally present.
- 10. This Power of Attorney shall not be affected by disability, incompetency, or incapacity of the principal.
- 11. And I, THEODORE C. BOWLING do hereby ratify and confirm all whatsoever that our said attorney shall do, or cause to be done, in and about the premises, by virtue of this Durable Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hands and seal on this the _______ day of ________, 2000.

THEODORE C. BOWLING

STATE OF MADAMA)

Shell COUNTY)

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State and County, hereby certify that THEODORE C. BOWLING, whose name is signed to the foregoing Durable Power of Attorney, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of said Durable Power of Attorney, they have executed the contents of said Durable Power of Attorney, they have executed and delivered the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Witness my hand and seal, this ______ day of Fef, 2000.

My Commission Expires:

POTARY PUBLIC

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 26, 2003

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