



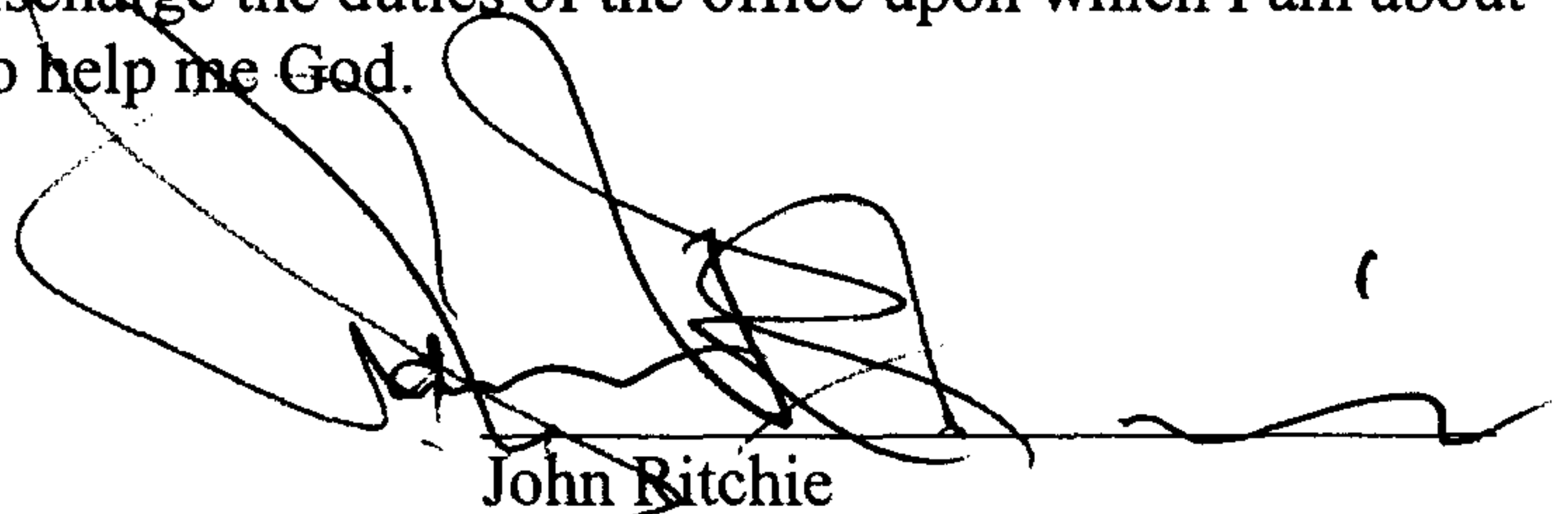
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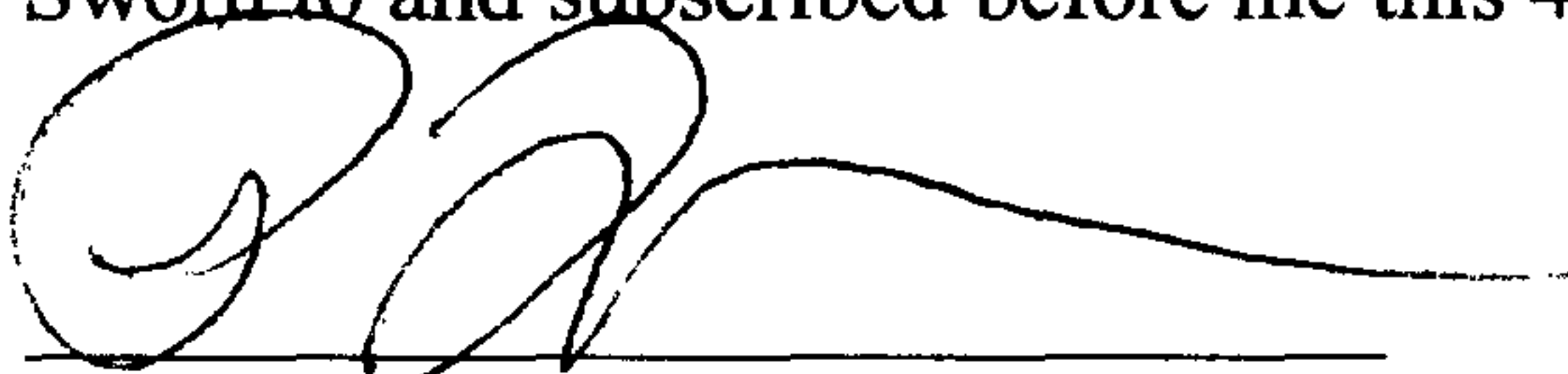
CITY OF CHELSEA

I, **John Ritchie**, 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.



John Ritchie

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of October 2004.



Patricia Fuhrmeister
Probate Judge of Shelby County

