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DURABLE POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that I, **BILLY RAY PANTER**, Principal, a citizen of the United States, have made, constituted and appointed, and by these present do make, constitute and appoint **SHERRY PANTER MATTHEWS**, citizen of the United States, my true lawful attorney, for me separately and severally and in my name, place and stead to ask, demand, sue for, collect and receive all sums of money, dividends, interest, payments on account of debts and legacies and all property now due or which may hereafter become due and owing to me, and give good and valid receipts and discharges for such payments; to sell, assign and transfer stocks and bonds and securities standing in my name or belonging to me; to buy and sell securities of all kinds in my name and for my account and at such prices as shall seem good to her to sign, execute, acknowledge and deliver in my name all transfers and assignments of securities; to borrow money and to pledge securities for such loans if in the judgment of my attorney such action should be necessary; to consent in my name to reorganizations and mergers, and to the exchange of securities; to manage real property, to sell, convey and mortgage realty, to foreclose mortgages and to take title to property in my name if she thinks proper, and to execute, acknowledge and deliver deeds of real property, mortgages, releases, satisfactions and other instruments relating to realty which she considers necessary; to place and effect insurance; to do business with banks, and particularly to endorse all checks and drafts made payable to my order and collect the proceeds; to sign in my name checks on all accounts standing in my name, and to withdraw funds from said accounts, to open accounts in my name or in her name as my attorney-in-fact; to make payments and expenditures as may be necessary in connection with any of the foregoing matters or with the administration of my affairs; to retain counsel and attorneys on my behalf, to appear for me in all actions and proceedings to which I may be a party

in the courts of Alabama or any other state in the United States, or in the United States courts, to commence actions and proceedings in my name if necessary, to sign and verify in my name all complaints, petitions, answers, and other pleadings of every description; to make and verify income tax returns, and to represent me in all income tax matters before any office of the Internal Revenue Service, within the limitations of the applicable Revenue Rulings and Procedures; I hereby give and grant to my said attorney full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever necessary to be done in the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution and revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said attorney may do pursuant to this power.

This Power of Attorney shall not be affected by disability, incompetency or incapacity of the Principal.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 24 day of June, 2023.

Billy Ray Panter
BILLY RAY PANTER, Principal

STATE OF ALABAMA)

JEFFERSON COUNTY)

Before me, the undersigned Notary Public in and for said county and said state, personally appeared BILLY RAY PANTER, being known to me upon oath administered, deposes and said that the matters and things alleged above are true and correct.

[Signature] (SEAL)
Notary Public
My Commission Expires: _____
My Commission Expires: April 27, 2025
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