

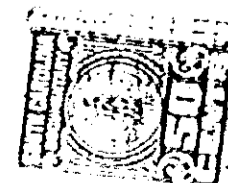
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )  
 COUNTY OF GREENVILLE )

POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all men by these presents: That I, Beulah Keener Bates, of the County of Greenville, State of South Carolina, have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute, and appoint my daughter, Yvonne K. Petersen, my true and lawful attorney for me and in my name, place and stead, and for my use and benefit, to ask, demand, sue for, recover, collect and receive all such sums of money, debts, dues, accounts, legacies, bequests, interests, dividends, annuities and demands whatsoever as are now, or shall hereafter become due, owing, payable or belonging to me, and have, use and take all lawful ways and means in my name or otherwise for the recovery thereof, by attachments, arrests, distress or otherwise, and to compromise and agree for the same, and acquittances, or other sufficient discharges for the same, for me, and in my name, to make, seal and deliver; to bargain, contract, agree for, purchase, receive, and take lands, tenements, hereditaments and accept the seizin and possession of all lands and all deeds and other assurances, in the law therefor, and to lease, let, demise, bargain, sell, remise, release, convey, mortgage, hypothecate lands, tenements and hereditaments, upon such terms and conditions, and under such covenants, as she shall think fit. Also, to bargain and agree for, buy, sell, mortgage, hypothecate and in any and every way and manner deal in and with goods, wares and merchandise, choses in action and other property in possession or in action, and to make, do and transact all and every kind of business of what nature or kind soever, and also for me and in my name, and as my act and deed, to sign, seal, execute, deliver and acknowledge such deeds, leases and assignment of leases, covenants, indentures, agreements, mortgages, hypothecations, bottomries, charter-parties, bills of lading, bonds, notes, receipts, evidence of debts, releases and satisfaction of mortgage, bills, judgments and other debts, and such other instruments in writing of

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