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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
) POWER OF ATTORNEY
COUNTY OF GREENVILLE)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that, I,
Irene G. Avants, of Greenville County, South Carolina, have
made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make,
constitute and appoint *Catoy A. Pickett* of Greenville County,
South Carolina, (hereinafter referred to as "my Attorney")
my true and lawful Attorney for me and in my name, place and
stead to do the following acts and to exercise the following
powers, and I intend that, subject to the definitions hereinafter
contained, the same be construed in the broadest possible
manner:

(1) To endorse any and all checks, drafts or vouchers,
and to cash the same or deposit their proceeds; to sign and
issue checks on any bank account in my name; and to make,
execute and deliver, cancel, modify, buy, sell, exchange,
pledge, or otherwise acquire or dispose of any tangible or
intangible property of mine by means of any type instrument
necessary or advisable to accomplish the same.

(2) To manage, operate, protect and conserve all
securities, properties, interests and investments owned by me;
to collect, hold or pay out or otherwise deal with the income
therefrom or the principal thereof; and from time to time make
investments for me without any restrictions whatsoever as to
the kind of investment.

(3) To assign and transfer upon the books of any
municipality, corporation, association or company any stocks,
bonds or other securities which are now or may hereafter be
registered in my name.

(4) To vote in person or by proxy at court and
other meetings and to effect, participate in or consent to
any reorganization, merger, voting trust or other
affecting any securities which I own or may own.

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