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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

THAT I, GERTRUDE A. BULLARD, of 3333 Commonwealth Avenue, Charlotte, North Carolina, do hereby revoke all Powers of Attorney heretofore made by me; and in accordance with Section 115.1 of Chapter 47 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, have hereby made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint my son, JACK E. BULLARD, of 2004 Brookbank Road, Rockingham, North Carolina, 28379, my true and lawful attorney in fact for me and in my name and stead, notwithstanding my subsequent incapacity or mental incompetence which may occur after the date of the execution and acknowledgment of this Power of Attorney, to do and perform the following matters and things:

A. To make deposits or investments in, or withdrawals from any account, holding or interest which I may now or hereafter have, or be entitled to, in any banking, trust or investment institution, including postal savings, depository offices, credit unions, savings and loan associations, and similar institutions; to exercise any right, option or privilege pertaining thereto; and to open or establish accounts, holdings or interests of whatever kind or nature, with any such institution, in my name or in my attorney in fact's name; and to enter any safe deposit box in my name at any time and from time to time.

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JAMES E. MARTIN, JR. ATTORNEY AT LAW 707 CAMERON BROWN BUILDING 301 S. McDOWELL STREET CHARLOTTE, N. C. 28204

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