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withstanding any such conflict of interest. I do hereby ratify and confirm all things so done by my said Attorney, within the scope of the authority herein given, as fully and to the same extent as if by me personally done and performed.

(24) This Power of Attorney shall not be affected by physical disability or mental incompetence of the principal which renders the principal incapable of managing his own estate. It is my intention that the authority conferred herein shall be exercisable notwithstanding my physical disability or mental incompetence.

(25) I do hereby make, constitute and appoint my sister, CORNELIA SIMPSON BRASKO, as standby attorney. If for any reason FRANCES BRASKO RIDGILL is incapable, either temporarily or permanently, of performing as my lawful attorney, then my sister, CORNELIA SIMPSON BRASKO, as standby attorney, shall so serve as my true and lawful attorney with all the powers herein granted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I Have hereunto set my hand and seal this 11th day of JULY, 1980.

William Brooker Simpson (LS)  
WILLIAM BROOKER SIMPSON

SIGNED, SEALED, PUBLISHED and DECLARED by WILLIAM BROOKER SIMPSON, as and for the granting of his Power of Attorney in the presence of us, who, in the presence of said principal, and at his request, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto set our names as attesting witnesses.

Thane W. Hester  
Elizabeth M. Allevine  
Shirley B. Ambler

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )  
COUNTY OF GREENVILLE ) PROBATE

PERSONALLY appeared before me the undersigned witness and made oath that (s)he saw the within named WILLIAM BROOKER SIMPSON, sign, seal and as his act and deed deliver the within written Power of Attorney, and that (s)he with the other witness subscribed above witnessed the execution thereof.

SWORN TO before me this 11th )  
day of July, 1980. )

) Thane W. Hester  
)  
) Elizabeth M. Allevine (LS)  
Notary Public for South Carolina  
My Commission Expires: 7/16/85)

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