to make such 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 party in the courts of South Carolina 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; hereby giving and granting to my said attorney full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever necessary to effectualize transactions taken on my behalf or in my interest, as full 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 of Attorney. I hereby revoke all powers of attorney previously granted by me. This Power of Attorney shall not be affected by physical disability or mental incompetence of the principal which renders the principal incapable of managing her own estate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this

Blanche S. Browning

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