

note, or trade acceptance made, executed, endorsed, accepted and delivered by me or for me, and in my name by said attorney;

(7) To sell any and all shares of stocks, bonds, or other securities now or hereafter belonging to me that may be issued by any association, trust, or corporation whether private or public, and to make, execute, and deliver any assignment, or assignments, or any such shares of stocks, bonds, or other securities;

(8) To defend, settle, adjust, compound, submit to arbitration and compromise all actions, suits, accounts, reckonings, claims and demands, whatsoever, that now are or hereafter shall be pending between me and any person, firm or corporation, in such manner and in all respects as my said attorney shall think fit;

(9) To hire accountants, attorneys-at-law, clerks, workmen, and others, and to remove them, and appoint others in their place, and to pay and allow to the persons to be so employed such salaries, wages, or other remuneration as my said attorney shall think fit;

(10) To enter into, make, sign, execute and deliver, acknowledge, and perform any contract, agreement, writing, or thing that may in the opinion of my said attorney be necessary or proper to be entered into, made or signed, sealed, executed, delivered, acknowledged or performed;

(11) To constitute and appoint, in my attorney's place and stead, and as my attorney's substitute, one attorney or more for me, with full power of revocation;

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