

hypothecations, checks, notes, bonds, vouchers, receipts, releases, and such other instruments in writing of whatever kind and nature as may be necessary, convenient or proper in the premises;

5. To make deposits or investments in, or withdrawals from, any account, holding or interest which I may now own 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 said attorney's name or in both names jointly, either with or without right of survivorship;

6. To contract loans and to borrow any sums of money in my name and upon such terms as my said attorney shall see fit, and to pledge or give as security herefor any or all of my said property;

7. To institute, prosecute, defend, compromise, arbitrate, and dispose of legal, equitable, or administrative hearings, actions, suits, attachments, arrests, distresses or other proceedings, or otherwise engage in litigation in connection with the premises;

8. To act as my attorney or proxy in respect to any stocks, shares, bonds or other investments, rights or interests, I may now or hereafter hold;

9. To engage and dismiss agents, counsel and employees and to appoint and remove at pleasure any substitute for, or agent of my said attorney, in respect to all or any of the matters or things herein mentioned and upon such terms as my attorney shall think fit;

10. To receive, indorse, and collect checks payable to the order of the undersigned;

11. To prepare, execute and file income or other tax returns whether Federal or State, and other governmental reports, applications, requests and documents, whether individual or joint;

12. To act as my attorney-in-fact or proxy in respect to any policy of insurance on my life and in that capacity to exercise

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