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# ILLINOIS STATUTORY SHORT FORM POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PROPERTY

(NOTICE: THE PURPOSE OF THE POWER OF ATTORNEY IS TO GIVE THE PERSON YOU DESIGNATE [YOUR "AGENT"] BROAD POWERS TO HANDLE YOUR PROPERTY, WHICH MAY INCLUDE POWERS TO PLEDGE, SELL OR OTHERWISE DISPOSE OF ANY REAL OR PERSONAL PROPERTY WITHOUT ADVANCE NOTICE TO YOU OR APPROVAL. THIS FORM DOES NOT IMPOSE A DUTY ON YOUR AGENT TO EXERCISE GRANTED POWERS; BUT WHEN A POWER IS EXERCISED, YOUR AGENT WILL HAVE TO USE DUE CARE TO ACT FOR YOUR BENEFIT AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS FORM. A COURT CAN TAKE AWAY THE POWERS OF YOUR AGENT IF IT FINDS THE AGENT IS NOT ACTING PROPERLY. YOU MAY NAME SUCCESSOR AGENTS UNDER THIS FORM BUT NOT CO-AGENTS. UNLESS YOU EXPRESSLY LIMIT THE DURATION OF THIS POWER IN THE MANNER PROVIDED BELOW, UNTIL YOU REVOKE THIS POWER OR A COURT ACTING ON YOUR BEHALF TERMINATES IT, YOUR AGENT MAY EXERCISE THE POWERS GIVEN HERL THROUGHOUT YOUR LIFETIME, EVEN AFTER YOU BECOME DISABLED. THE POWERS YOU GIVE YOUR AGENT, YOUR RIGHT TO REVOKE THOSE POWERS AND THE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATING THE LAW ARE EXPLAINED MORE FULLY IN SECTIONS 3-4 OF THE ILLINOIS "STATUTORY SHORT FORM POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PROPERTY LAW" OF WHICH THIS FORM IS A PART (SEE PAGES 8-13 OF THIS FORM). THAT LAW EXPRESSLY PERMITS THE USE OF ANY DIFFERENT FORM OF POWER OF ATTORNEY YOUR MAY DESIRE. IF THERE IS ACTITING ABOUT THIS FORM THAT YOU DO NOT UNDERSTAND, YOU SHOULD ASK A LAWYER TO EXPLAIN IT TO YOU.)

POWER OF ATTORNEY, made this 4 day of June, 2001.

1. I, VICKIE A. MATHELS currently of Chesterfield, Missouri, hereby appoint my Husband, DENNIS MATHEIS, as my attorney-in-fact (my "agent") to act for me and in my name (in any way I could act in person) with respect to the following powers, as defined in Section 3-4 of the "Statutory Short Form Power of Attorney for Property Law" (including all amendments), but subject to any limitations on or additions to the specified powers below:

- (a) Real Estate Transactions.
- (b) Borrowing Transactions.

The powers granted below shall include the following powers: ONLY AS TO THE CLOSING OF PURCHASE OF PROPERTY AT 2701 NORTH GREENVIEW, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, 60622, UNIT #C, AND EXECUTION OF MORTGAGE DOCUMENTS.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

Lot 21 in Tamerlane Subdivision of part of the Southwest Quarter (1/4) of Section 29, Township 40 North, Range 14, East of the Third Principal Meridian, in Cook County, Illinois.

P.I.N. 14-29-302-292-0000

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3. In addition to the powers granted above, I grant my agent the following powers (here you may add any other delegable powers including, without limitation, power to make gifts, exercise powers of appointment, name or change beneficiaries or joint tenants or revoke or amend any trust specifically referred to below):

Execution of Documents. The agent is authorized to sign my name to, and to prepare, execute, verify, file and deliver in my behalf, all checks, drafts, contracts, transfers, assignments, agreements, receipts, releases, discharges, waivers, consents, claims, appearances, petitions, pleadings, certificates and any other papers, documents or writings or things that, in the opinion of my attorney in fact, may be necessary or desirable to be entered into, signed, executed, delivered, acknowledged or performed in connection with specific items shown above.

(THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY MAY BE AMENDED OR REVOKED BY YOU AT ANY TIME AND IN ANY MANNIR ABSENT AMENDMENT OR REVOCATION, THE AUTHORITY GRANTED IN TH'S POWER OF ATTORNEY WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE AT THE TIME THIS POWER IS SIGNED AND WILL CONTINUE UNTIL YOUR DEATH UNLESS A LIMITATICA ON THE BEGINNING DATE OR DURATION IS MADE BY INITIALING AND COMPLETING EITHER (OR BOTH) OF THE FOLLOWING:)

- 3. This power of attorney shall become effective on June 11, 2001, or on such date or dates when real estate transaction and mortgage loan are concluded.
- 4. This power of attorney shall terminate on June 15, 2001, or dates when real estate transaction and mortgage loan are concluded.
- 5. Ratification. I hereby ratify and confirm all that the attorney in fact named herein shall do or cause to be done by virtue hereof; and all documents signed, endorsed, drawn, accepted, made, executed or delivered by my attorney in fact which shall hereafter be received, shall bind me and my heirs, distributees, legal representatives, successors and assigns.
- 6. Survivorship. If any power or authority hereby sought to be conferred upon my attorney should be invalid or unexercisable

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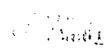
for any cause or not recognized by any person or organization dealing with my attorney, the remaining powers and authorities given to my attorney hereunder shall nevertheless continue in full force and effect.

- 7. Reliance, Revocation and Amendment. Each person, partnership, corporation or other legal entity relying or acting upon this power of attorney shall be entitled to presume conclusively that this power of attorney is in full force and effect unless written notice shall have been given by me to such person, partnership, corporation or other legal entity that this power has been revoked. Revocation or amendment of the appointment of my attorney shall not be effective until my actorney has received actual notice of its revocation or amendment in writing from me, and until receipt of such actual notice, my attorney shall not be liable to me for any action taken by my attorney. No person, partnership, corporation or legal entity relying upon this power of attorney shall be required to see to the application and disposition of any money, stocks, bonds, securities or other property paid to or delivered to my attorney or attorney's substitute, pursuant to the provisions hereof.
- 8. Inducement. For the purpose of inducing any bank, broker, custodian, insurer, lender, transfer agent, or other party to act in accordance with the powers granted in his power of attorney, I hereby represent, warrant and agree that if this power of attorney is terminated for any reason whatsoever, I and my heirs, distributees, legal representatives, successors and assigns will save such party or parties harmless from any loss suffered, or liability incurred, by such party or parties acting in accordance with this power of attorney prior to that party's receipt of written notice of any such termination.
- 9. I am fully informed as to all the contents of this form and understand the full import of this grant of powers to my agent.

Signed

TORTE A MATHEIS

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(YOU MAY, BUT ARE NOT REQUIRED TO, REQUEST YOUR ASEN'S AND SUCCESSOR AGENTS TO PROVIDE SPECIMEN SIGNATURES BELOW. IF YOU INCLUDE SPECIMEN SIGNATURES IN THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY, YOU MUST COMPLETE THE CERTIFICATION OPPOSITE THE SIGNATURES OF THE AGENTS.)

Certified:

DENNIS MATHEIS

(THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY WILL NOT BE EFFECTIVE UNLESS IT IS NOTARIZED, USING THE FORM BELOW.)

STATE OF ILLINOIS
) ss.
COUNTY OF COOK
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The unacreigned, a notary public in and for the above named county and state, certifies that VICKIE A. MATHEIS known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed as principal to the foregoing power of atterney, appeared before me in person and acknowledged signing and delivering the instrument as the free and voluntary act of the principal, for the uses and purposes therein set forth, and certified to the correctness of the signature of the agent.

Dated: The 9,2001

Notary Public

My commission expires:

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(THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON PREPARING THIS FORM SHOULD BE INSERTED IF THE AGENT WILL HAVE POWER TO CONVEY ANY INTEREST IN RUAL ESTATE.)



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STREET ADDRESS: 2701 NORTH OR ENVIEW AVENUE AL COPY

CITY: CHICAGO

COUNTY: COOK

TAX NUMBER:

#### **LEGAL DESCRIPTION:**

LOT 21 IN TAMERLANE SUBDIVISION OF PART OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 29, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 14, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

PIN 14-29-302-292-000

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