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ILLINOIS STATUTORY SHORT FORM POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PROPERTY

THE PURPOSE OF THIS POWER (NOTICE: OF ATTORNEY IS THE PERSON YOU DESIGNATE (YOUR "AGENT") BROAD POWERS GIVE HANDLE YOUR PROPERTY, WHICH MAY INCLUDE **POWERS** TO PLEDGE. OTHERWISE DISPOSE OF ANY REAL OR PERSONAL PROPERTY WITHOUT ADVANCE NOTICE TO YOU OR APPROVAL BY YOU. IMPOSE ON YOUR AGENT TO EXERCISE GRANTED A DUTY POWERS; BUT WHEN POWERS ARE EXERCISED, YOUR AGENT WILL CARE TO ACT FOR YOUR BENEFIT AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS FORM AND KEEP A RECORD OF RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND ACTIONS TAKEN AS AGENT. A COURT CAN TAKE AWAY THE SIGNIFICANT POWERS OF YOUR AGENT IF IT FINDS THE **AGENT** IS MAY NAME SUCCESSOR AGENTS UNDER THIS FORM BUT PROPERLY. YOU UNLESS YOU EXPRESSLY LIMIT CO-AGENTS. THE DURATION POWER IN THE MANNER PROVIDED BELOW, UNTIL YOU REVOKE THIS THIS COURT ACTING ON YOUR BEHALF TERMINATES YOUR AGENT MAY EXERCISE THE POWERS GIVEN HERE THROUGHOUT YOUR **AFTER** YOU BECOME DISABLED. LIFETIME, EVEN THE **POWERS** GIVE YOUR AGENT ARE EXPLAINED MORE FULLY IN SECTION 3-4 OF THE ILLINOIS "STATUTORY SHORT FORM POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PROPERTY LAW" OF WHICH THIS FORM IS A PART (SEE FIE BACK OF THIS FORM). THE USE OF ANY DIFFERENT THAT LAW EXPRESSLY PERMITS POWER OF ATTORNEY YOU MAY DESIRE. IF THERE JS ANYTHING FORM THAT YOU DO NOT UNDERSTAND, YOU SHOULD ASK A THIS LAWYER TO EXPLAIN IT TO YOU.)

1. I, JAME'S BURNS, of 306 N. Catherine, LaGrange Park, Illinois 60525, as principal, hereby appoint: CHARLES BURNS, of 416 S. 8th Avenue, LaGrange, Illinois 60525, as my attorney-infact (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 inserted in paragraph 2 or 3 below:

(YOU MUST STRIKE OUT ANY ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES OF POWERS YOU DO NOT WANT YOUR AGENT TO HAVE.

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FAILURE TO STRIKE THE TITLE OF ANY CATEGORY WILL CAUSE THE POWERS DESCRIBED IN THAT CATEGORY TO BE GRANTED TO THE AGENT. TO STRIKE OUT A CATEGORY YOU MUST DRAW A LINE THROUGH THE TITLE OF THAT CATEGORY.)

- (a) Real estate transactions.
- (b) -- Financial institution transactions -
- (e) -- Steek-and-bend-transactions.
- (d) -- Tangible-personal-property-transactions.
- (e) -- Safe-deposit-box-transactions.
- (f) -- Insurance and annuity transactions -
- (g) -- Rotirement-plan-transactions.
- (h) -- Social -- Security, -- employment -- and -- military service benefits.
- (i) -- Tax-meeters.
- (j) -- Claims and litigation.
- (k) -- Commodity and option-transactions.
- (1) -- Business-operations.
- (m) -- Berrewing trapsactions -
- (n) -- Estate transactions -
- (e) -- All-ether-property powers-and-transactions.

(LIMITATIONS ON AND ADDITIONS TO THE AGENT'S POWERS MAY BE INCLUDED IN THIS POWER OF ATTOPNEY IF THEY ARE SPECIFICALLY DESCRIBED BELOW.)

2. The powers granted above shall not include the following powers or shall be modified or limited in the following particulars (here you may include any specific limitations you deem appropriate, such as a prohibition or conditions on the sale of particular stock or real estate or special rules on borrowing by the agent):

This power of attorney is limited to any and all matters pertaining to the purchase of the real estate commonly known as 2100 W. 16th Street, Broadview, Illinois.

3. In addition to the powers granted above, I great 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):

The power to sign any and all documents on my behalf, and the power to take any and all actions on my behalf, pertaining to the purchase of the real estate commonly known as 2100 W. 16th Street, Broadview, Illinois, including, but not limited to, the power to execute any documents necessary to effectuate said purchase, which shall include, but not be

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limited to, loan documents, promissory notes, mortgages, assignments of rent, closing statements, RESPA statements, disbursement statements, transfer or other tax statements; and to make, execute, deliver and acknowledge such documentation as my agent shall deem necessary.

(YOUR AGENT WILL HAVE AUTHORITY TO EMPLOY OTHER PERSONS AS NECESSARY TO ENABLE THE AGENT TO PROPERLY EXERCISE THE POWERS GRANTED IN THIS FORM, BUT YOUR AGENT WILL HAVE TO MAKE ALL DISCRETIONARY DECISIONS. IF YOU WANT TO GIVE YOUR AGENT THE RIGHT TO DELEGATE DISCRETIONARY DECISION-MAKING POWERS TO OTHERS, YOU SHOULD KEEP THE NEXT SENTENCE, OTHERWISE IT SHOULD BE STRUCK OUT.)

4. My agent shall have the right by written instrument to delegate any or all of the foregoing powers involving discretionary decision-making to any person or persons whom my agent may select, but such delegation may be amended or revoked by any agent (including any successor) named by me who is acting under this power of attorney at the time of reference.

 $\mathtt{ENTI}^{ au}$ LED WILL ΒE TO REIMBURSEMENT (YOUR AGENT FOR REASONABLE EXPENSES INCURRED IN ACTING UNDER THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY. STRIKE OUT THE NEXT SENTENCE IF YOU DO NOT WANT YOUR AGENT TO ALSO BE ENTITLED TO REASONABLE COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES AS AGENT.)

5. My agent shall be entitled to reasonable compensation for services rendered as agent under this power of attorney.

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

6.	() Th	is power	of	attorney	shall	become	effective	On
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(insert a future date or event during your lifetime, such as court determination of your disability, when you want this power to first take effect)

7.	()	This	power	of	attorney	shall	terminate	on
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(insert a future date or event, such as court determination of

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your disability, when you want this power to terminate prior to your death)

(IF YOU WISH TO NAME SUCCESSOR AGENTS, INSERT THE NAME(S) AND ADDRESS(ES) OF SUCH SUCCESSOR(S) IN THE FOLLOWING PARAGRAPH.)

8. If any agent named by me shall die, become incompetent, resign or refuse to accept the office of agent, I name the following (each to act alone and successively, in the order named) as successor(s) to such agent:

None

For purposes of this paragraph 8, a person shall be considered to be incompetent if and while the person is a minor or an adjudicated incompetent or disabled person or the person is unable to give prompt and intelligent consideration to business matters, as certified by a licensed physician.

(IF YOU WISH TO NAME YOUR AGENT AS GUARDIAN OF EVENT A COURT DECIDES THAT ONE SHOULD BE APPOINTED, YOU THE MAY, BUT ARE NOT REQUIRED TO, DO SO BY RETAINING THE COURT WILL APPOINT YOUR AGENT IF THE FOLLOWING PARAGRAPH. COURT FINDS THAT SUCH APPOINMENT WILL SERVE YOUR BEST INTERESTS AND WELFARE. STRIKE OUT PARAGRAPH 9 IF YOU DO NOT WANT YOUR AGENT TO ACT AS GUARDIAN.)

- 9. If a guardian of my estate (my property) is to be appointed, I nominate the agent acting under this power of attorney as such guardian, to serve without bond or security.
- 10. 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 James Burns (principal)

(YOU MAY, BUT ARE NOT REQUIRED TO, REQUEST YOUR AGENT AND SUCCESSOR AGENTS TO PROVIDE SPECIMEN SIGNATURES BELOW. 1. YOU INCLUDE SPECIMEN SIGNATURES IN THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY, YOU MUST COMPLETE THE CERTIFICATION OPPOSITE THE SIGNATURES OF THE AGENTS.)

Specimen signatures of I certify that the signatures of my agent (and successors) are correct.

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(successor agent)	(principal)
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county and state, certifies that be the same person whose name is sufforegoing power of attorney, appearance.	bscribed as principal to the ared before me and the dacknowledged signing and free and voluntary act of purposes therein set forth
Dated: 12405 , 2005 (SELL) MY COMMISSION # DD 078674	EL Coff
EXPIRES: December 16, 2005 Bonded Thru Notary Public Underwriters My commission expires 12/16/85	Notary Public
The undersigned witness contains to me to be the same person principal to the foregoing power of and the notary public and delivering the instrument as the free principal, for the uses and purp believe him or her to be of sound minuted: Dated: ()//2//, 2005	attorney, appeared before me acknowledged signing and e and voluntary act of the oses therein set forth. I

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

This document was prepared by:
William H. Rosen, Esq., 19 S. LaSalle Street, Suite 1300,
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Section 3-4 of the Illinois Statutory Short Form Power of Attorney for Property Law

Sec. 3-4. Explanation of powers granted in the statutory short form power of attorney for property. This Section defines each category of powers listed in the statutory short form power of attorney for property and the effect of granting powers to an agent. When the title of any of the following categories is retained (not struck out) in a statutory property power form, the effect will be to grant the agent all of the principal's rights, powers and discretions with respect to the types of property and transactions covered by the retained category, subject to any limitations on the granted powers that appear on the face of the form. The agent will have authority to exercise each granted power for and in the name of the principal with respect to all of the principal's interests in every type of property or transaction covered by the granted power at the time of exercise, whether the principal's interests are direct or indirect, whole or fractional, legal, equitable or contractual, as a joint tenant or tenant in common or held in any other form; but the agent will not have power under any of the statutory categories (a) the agent will not have gifts of the principal's property, to exercise powers to appoint to others or to change any beneficiary whom the principal has designated to take the principal's interests at death under any will, trust, joint tenancy, beneficiary form or contractual arrangement. The agent will be under no duty to exercise for attempting to assume control of or responsibility for the principal's property or affairs; but when granted powers are exercised, the agent will be required to use due care to act for the benefit of the principal in accordance with the terms of the statutory property power and will be liable for negligent exercise. The gent may act in person or through others reasonably employed by the agent for that purpose and will have authority to sign and deliver all instruments, negotine at determination and only other acts reasonably necessary to implement the exercise of the po

- (a) Real estate transactions. The agent is a inforized to: buy, sell, exchange, rent and lease real estate (which term includes, without limitation, real estate subject to a land trust and all beneficial interest in an I powers of direction under any land trust); collect all rent, sale proceeds and earnings from real estate; convey, assign and accept title to real estate; casements, create conditions and release rights of homestead with respect to real estate; create land trusts and exercise all powers under land trusts; hold, rossess, maintain, repair, improve, subdivide, manage, operate and insure real estate; pay, contest, protest and compromise real estate taxes and assessments; and, in general, exercise all powers with respect to real estate which the principal could if present and under no disability.
- (b) Financial institution transactions. The agent is authorized to: open, lose, continue and control all accounts and deposits in any type of financial institution (which term includes, without limitation, banks, trust companies, saving and building and loan associations, credit unions and brokerage firms); deposit in and withdraw from and write checks on any financial institution account or disposit; and, in general, exercise all powers with respect to financial institution transactions which the principal could if present and under no disability.
- (c) Stock and bond transactions. The agent is authorized to: buy and sell all types of seccritic (which term includes, without limitation, stocks, bonds, mutual funds and all other types of investment securities and financial instruments); collect had and safekeep all dividends, interest, earnings, proceeds of sale, distributions, shares, certificates and other evidences of ownership paid or distributed with respect to securities; exercise all voting rights with respect to securities in person or by proxy, enter into voting trusts and consent to limitations on the right to vote; and, in general, exercise all powers with respect to securities which the principal could if present and under no disability.
- (d) Tangible personal property transactions. The agent is authorized to: buy and sell, lease, exchange, collect, possess and take title to all tangible personal property; move, store, ship, restore, maintain, repair, improve, manage, preserve, insure and safekeep tangible personal property; and, in general, exercise all powers with respect to tangible personal property which the principal could if present and under no disability.
- (e) Safe deposit box transactions. The agent is authorized to: open, continue and have access to all safe deposit boxes; sign, renew, release or terminate any safe deposit contract; drill or surrender any safe deposit box; and, in general, exercise all powers with respect to safe deposit matters which the principal could if present and under no disability.
- (f) Insurance and annuity transactions. The agent is authorized to: procure, acquire, continue, renew, terminate or otherwise deal with any type of insurance or annuity contract (which terms include, without limitation, life, accident, health, disability, automobile casualty, property or liability insurance); pay premiums or assessments on or surrender and collect all distributions, proceeds or benefits payable under any insurance or annuity contract; and, in general, exercise all powers with respect to insurance and annuity contracts which the principal could if present and under no disability.
 - (g) Retirement plan transactions. The agent is authorized to: contribute to, withdraw from and deposit funds in any type of retirement plan

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(which term includes, without limitation, any tax qualified or nonqualified pension, profit sharing, stock bonus, employee savings and other retirement plan, individual retirement account, deferred compensation plan and any other type of employee benefit plan); select and change payment options for the principal under any retirement plan; make rollover contributions from any retirement plan to other retirement plans or individual retirement accounts; exercise all investment powers available under any type of self-directed retirement plan; and, in general, exercise all powers with respect to retirement plans and retirement plan account balances which the principal could if present and under no disability.

- (h) Social Security, unemployment and military service benefits. The agent is authorized to: prepare, sign and file any claim or application for Social Security, unemployment or military service benefits; sue for, settle or abandon any claims to any benefit or assistance under any federal, state, local or foreign statute or regulation; control, deposit to any account, collect, receipt for, and take title to and hold all benefits under any Social Security, unemployment, military service or other state, federal, local or foreign statute or regulation; and, in general, exercise all powers with respect to Social Security, unemployment, military service and governmental benefits which the principal could if present and under no disability.
- (i) Tax matters. The gent is authorized to: sign, verify and file all the principal's federal, state and local income, gift, estate, property and other tax returns, including joint returns and declarations of estimated tax; pay all taxes; claim, sue for and receive all tax returns; examine and copy all the principal's tax returns and records; and estate the principal before any federal, state or local revenue agency or taxing body and sign and deliver all tax powers of attorney on behalf of the principal at the atmosphere to settle, pay and determine all tax liabilities, and in general, exercise all powers with respect to tax matters which the principal could if present and under no disability.
- (j) Claims and litigation. The agent is authorized to: in titute, prosecute, defend, abandon, compromise, arbitrate, settle and dispose of any claim in favor of or against the principal or any property interests of the principal; collect and receipt for any claim or settlement proceeds and waive or release all rights of the principal; employ attorneys and others and enter into country gency agreements and other contracts as necessary in connection with litigation; and, in general, exercise all powers with respect to claims and litigation you'de the principal could if present and under no disability.
- (k) Commodity and option transactions. The agent is authorized to buy, sell, exchange, assign, convey, settle and exercise commodities futures contracts and call and put options on stocks and stock indices traded on a regulated options exchange and collect and receipt for all proceeds of any such transactions; establish or continue option accounts for the principal with any securities or fate res broker; and, in general, exercise all powers with respect to commodities and options which the principal could if present and under no disability.
- (I) Business operations. The agent is authorized to: organize or continue and conduct any busin ss (which term includes, without limitation, any farming, manufacturing, service, mining, retailing or other type of business operation) in any form, whether as a proprietorship, joint venture, partnership, corporation, trust or other legal entity; operate, buy, sell, expand, contract, terminate or liquid at any business; direct, control, supervise, manage or participate in the operation of any business and engage, compensate and discharge business managers, employees, egents, attorneys, accountants and consultants; and, in general, exercise all powers with respect to business interests and operations which the principal could if present and under no disability.
- (m) Borrowing transactions. The agent is authorized to: borrow money; mortgage or pledge any real estate or tangible printangible personal property as security for such purposes; sign, renew, extend, pay and satisfy any notes or other forms of obligation; and, in general, exercise all powers with respect to secured and unsecured borrowing which the principal could if present and under no disability.
- (n) Estate transactions. The agent is authorized to: accept, receipt for, exercise, release, reject, renounce, assign, disclaim, demand, sue for, claim and recover any legacy, bequest, devise, gift or other property interest or payment due or payable to or for the principal; assert any interest in and exercise any power over any trust, estate or property subject to fiduciary control; establish a revocable trust solely for the benefit of the principal that terminates at the death of the principal and is then distributable to the legal representative of the estate of the principal; and, in general, exercise all powers with respect to estates and trusts which the principal could if present and under no disability; provided, however, that the agent may not make or change a will and may not revoke or amend a trust revocable or amendable by the principal or require the trustee of any trust for the benefit of the principal to pay income or principal to the agent unless specific authority to that end is given, and specific reference to the trust is made, in the statutory property power form.
- (o) All other property powers and transactions. The agent is authorized to: exercise all possible powers of the principal with respect to all possible types of property and interests in property, except to the extent the principal limits the generality of this category (o) by striking out one or more of categories (a) through (n) or by specifying other limitations in the statutory property power form.

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Legal Description:

LOTS 1 AND 2 IN J.L. WILLIAMS SUBDIVISION NUMBER 2, BEING A SUBDIVISION IN THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 22, TOWNSHIP EAST OF 39 NORTH, RANGE 12, PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

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