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## Section 3-4 of the Illinois Statutory Short Form Power of Attorney for Property Law

Section 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) through (o) to make 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 granted powers or 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 agent 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, negotiate and enter into all agreements and do all other acts reasonably necessary to implement the exercise of the powers granted to the agent.

(a) **Real estate transactions.** The agent is authorized to: buy, sell, exchange, rent and lease real estate (which term includes, without limitation, real estate subject to a land trust and all beneficial interests in and 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, grant easements, create conditions and release rights of homestead with respect to real estate, create land trusts and exercise all powers under land trusts; hold, possess, 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, close, continue and control all accounts and deposits in any type of financial institution (which term includes, without limitation, banks, trust companies, savings and building and loan associations, credit unions and brokerage firms); deposit in and withdraw from and write checks on any financial institution account or deposit; 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 securities (which term includes, without limitation, stocks, bonds, mutual funds and all other types of investment securities and financial instruments); collect, hold 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.

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(c) All other proprietary powers and immaterial rights, the origin is undesignated, because no possible powers of the participant with respect to all possible types of property and interests in property, except to the extent the general principle limits the generality of this category (d) by striking out one or more of categories (a) through (n) or by specifying other limitations in the statutory property power form.

(1) **Estate transactions.** The agent, as authorized to accept, receive, exercise, release, reexecute, renounce, assent, 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 property subject to or includable trust; satisfy for the benefit of the principal that terminates at the death of the principal and is then distributable to the legal representative 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, provide for; the agent may not make or change a will and may not revoke or amend a trust revocable 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.

[in] Borrowing transactions, the debtor is authorized to borrow money; mortgage or pledge any real estate or tangible 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 which a party to a borrowing which the principal could, if present, and under no disability, exercise.

(ii) **Businesses operations.** The agent is authorized to organize or continue and conduct any businesses (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;

(4) **Commodity and option transactions.** The agent is authorized to: buy, sell, exchange, assign, agree, settle and exercise commodities futures contracts and option options on stocks and stock indexes traded on a regulated options exchange and call and put options on stocks and stock indexes or futures brokers; and, in general, exercise all powers which respect to commodities and options which the principal could present and under no disability.

(ii) **Claims and Litigation.** The agent is authorized to institute, prosecute, defend, abandon, compromise, arbitrate, settle and dispose of any claim in favor of or against the principal or to compromise any claim or cause of action which the principal could at present and under no disability

(ii) **Tax matters.** The subject is authorized to sign, verify and file all tax documents, including joint returns and declarations of estimated tax, pay-as-you-go, taxes, claim, sue for and receive all tax refunds, examine and copy all the principal's tax returns and other tax returns, including those of the principal before any federal, state or local revenue agency or taxing body and sign and deliver all tax documents, except as otherwise provided by law.

(n) **Social Security / Unemployment and military service benefits.** The agent is authorized to: prepare, sign and file any claim of application for Social Security, unemployment or wage benefits, sue for settle of abandonment any claims to any benefit or assistance under any federal, state, local or foreign statute or regulation, or any other statute or regulation, exercise all powers with respect to Social Security, unemployment, military service and governmental benefits which the principal could at present and could, in disability

(g) **Retirement plan contributions.** The agent is authorized to contribute to, withdraw from and deposit funds in any type of retirement plan (which term includes, without limitation, any type of nonqualified pension, profit sharing, stock bonus, employee savings and other retirement plan, individual retirement accounts, deferred compensation plan and any other type of employee benefit plan), select and change plan options for the principal under any retirement plan, determine the amount of contribution or withdrawal, and exercise all powers with respect to retirement plans and certain other types of plans as may be required by law.

(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 of assessments and ordinary contracts 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, signs, 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 boxes which the principal could if present and under no disability.

(d) **rangleble personal property transacti<sup>n</sup>ons.** The agent is authorized to buy and sell, lease, exchange, collect, possess and take title to all tangible personal property;

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Illinois Power of Attorney Act Statutory Form  
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## ILLINOIS STATUTORY SHORT FORM POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PROPERTY

(NOTICE: THE PURPOSE OF THIS 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 BY YOU. THIS FORM DOES NOT IMPOSE A DUTY ON YOUR AGENT TO EXERCISE GRANTED POWERS, BUT WHEN POWERS ARE EXERCISED, YOUR AGENT WILL HAVE TO USE DUE CARE TO ACT FOR YOUR BENEFIT AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS FORM AND KEEP A RECORD OF RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND SIGNIFICANT ACTIONS TAKEN AS AGENT. 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 HERE THROUGHOUT YOUR LIFETIME, EVEN AFTER YOU BECOME DISABLED. THE POWERS YOU 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 THE BACK OF THIS FORM). THAT LAW EXPRESSLY PERMITS THE USE OF ANY DIFFERENT FORM OF POWER OF ATTORNEY YOU MAY DESIRE. IF THERE IS ANYTHING ABOUT THIS FORM THAT YOU DO NOT UNDERSTAND, YOU SHOULD ASK A LAWYER TO EXPLAIN IT TO YOU.)

Power of Attorney made this 17th day of December, 1991

I, Luz Maria Ramos, 3146 S. Komensky, Chicago, Illinois

(insert name and address of principal)

hereby appoint: Andrew M. Viola, 4114 W. 63rd Street Chicago, Illinois 60629

(insert name and address of agent)

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 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. 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.)

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| (a) Real estate transactions.                | (g) Retirement plan transactions.                              | (l) Business operations.                        |
| (b) Financial institution transactions       | (h) Social Security, employment and military service benefits. | (m) Borrowing transactions.                     |
| (c) Stock and bond transactions              | (i) Tax matters.   | (n) Estate transactions.                        |
| (d) Tangible personal property transactions. | (j) Claims and litigation.                                     | (o) All other property powers and transactions. |
| (e) Safe deposit box transactions.           | (k) Commodity and option transactions.                         |   |
| (f) Insurance and annuity transactions.      |  |   |

(LIMITATIONS ON AND ADDITIONS TO THE AGENT'S POWERS MAY BE INCLUDED IN THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY 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):

None

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):

None

(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.

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This document was prepared by Andrew M. Viole, 4114 West 63rd Street, Chicago, Illinois 60629

(THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON PREPARING THIS FORM SHOULD BE INSERED IF THE AGENT WILL HAVE POWER TO CONVEY AUTHORITY TO THE PERSON PREPARING THIS FORM)

My commission expires January 23rd 1995

My commission expires 1/23/95  
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF ILLINOIS  
"OFFICIAL SEAL"

Dated December 17, 1991

and delivering the instrument of the fee and authority of the principal for the said purposes hereinafter set forth (and certified to the undersigned), I, the subscriber, do acknowledge signing

The undersigned a notary public in and for the above county and state certifies that Luz Maria Ramos

County of Cook

State of Illinois

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of December, 1991.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of December, 1991.

Luz Maria Ramos

ANDREW M. VIOLE

Specimen signatures of agent (and successors) are correct.

SIGNATURES IN THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY YOU MUST COMPLETE THE CERTIFICATION OPPOSITE THE SIGNATURES OF THE AGENTS!

(YOU MAY, BUT ARE NOT REQUIRED TO REQUEST YOUR ACCOUNT AND SUCCESSOR AGENTS TO PROVIDE SPECIFIC SIGNATURES BELOW IF YOU INCLUDE SPECIFIC

Luz Maria Ramos

Signature

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.

9. If a guardian of my estate (my proxy) is to be appointed, nominate the agent acting under this power of attorney as such guardian, to serve without bond or security.

8. If you wish to name your agent as guardian of your estate, in the event a court decides that one should be appointed, you may, but are not required to do so by law.

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If you wish to name your agent as guardian to business matters, as certified by a licensed physician

for purposes of this power of attorney, a person shall be considered to be incompetent if and while the person is a minor or an adjudicated incompetent or disabled person or

in the order named as successor(s) to such agent.

7. If any agent named by me should die, become incompetent, resign or refuse to accept the office of agent; name the following (each to act alone and successively):

(if you wish to name successor agents, insert the name(s) and address(es) of such successors in the following paragraph.)

6. This power of attorney shall terminate on January 31, 1992

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7. The beginning date of this power of attorney is March 8, 1991 and terminates on January 31, 1992.

THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY MAY BE AMENDED OR REVOKED BY YOU AT ANY TIME AND IN ANY MANNER. ABSENT AMENDMENT OR REVOCATION, THE AUTHORITY

GRANTED IN THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY WILL EXIST UNTIL THE END OF THE FIFTH YEAR FROM THE DATE OF DRAFTING, WHICH IS MARCH 8, 1991.

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

YOUR AGENT WILL BE ENTITLED TO REIMBURSEMENT FOR ALL 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.