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And we hereby represent and warrant that we have not granted any rights inconsistent with the rights granted herein.

Date: 8/14, 2000

Frank G. Neubrand
FRANK G. NEUBRAND

Date: 8/14, 2000

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SIEGBERT MATTER

STATE OF Michigan,
COUNTY OF Oakland) ss.

On this 14 day of August, 2000, personally appeared before me Frank G. Neubrand, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

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STATE OF Michigan,
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On this 14 day of August, 2000, personally appeared before me Siegbert Matter, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

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