
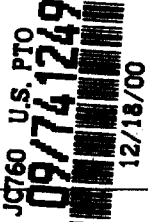



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On this 18 day of December, 2000, before me personally appeared the above-named John R. Cheney, personally known by me, and known by me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and who acknowledged that said person executed the same as said person's free act and deed, on the day and year aforesaid.

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