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Citizenship: United States of America

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) ss.
COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

On this 24th day of April, 2001, before me personally appeared the above-named Robert G. Smith, 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.



Kathleen M. Goers

Notary Public

Silva K. Theiss

Silva K. Theiss
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Citizenship: United States of America

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COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

On this 24th day of April, 2001, before me personally appeared the above-named Silva K. Theiss, 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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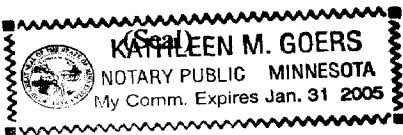
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Billy L. Weaver

Billy L. Weaver
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Citizenship: United States of America

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COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

On this 24th day of April, 2001, before me personally appeared the above-named Billy L. Weaver, 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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