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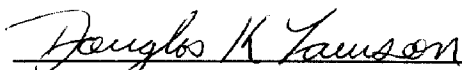
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 24<sup>th</sup> day of \_\_\_\_\_

July, 2003.

  
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Mr. Douglas K. Lawson