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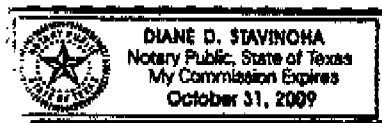
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(Signature) Thomas A. Jones Date 10/28/2005
Name: **Thomas A. Jones**

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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this 28 day of Oct, 2005 personally appeared **Thomas A. Jones**, the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

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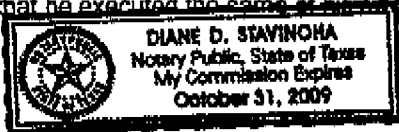


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(Signature) [Signature] Date 10/28/05
Name: David E. Clark

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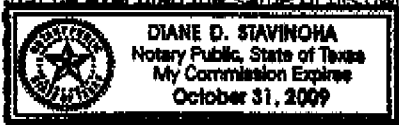


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(Signature) [Signature] Date 10/28/05
Name: Lirio Quintero

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(Signature) _____ Date _____
Name: Bruce Rae Ewen

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Witness

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Name: **Lirio Quintero**

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(Signature)  Date 1/4/05
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