



OLD REPUBLIC SURETY GROUP

445 S. Moorland Rd., Ste. 200, Brookfield, WI 53005

- Old Republic Surety Company
- Old Republic Insurance Company
- _____

Bond No. POB-2126304

Official Bond

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AT 8:38 O'CLOCK A M

JAN 03 2013
ARTURO GUJARDO, JR., COUNTY CLERK
HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS
BY _____ DEPUTY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we Sergio J. Valdez, of McAllen, Texas
as principal and Old Republic Surety Company, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto
Norma Garcia Hidalgo County Treasurer
and or his successors in penal sum of Ten Thousand And No/100

(\$ 10,000.00) Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs,
executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

SIGNED, SEALED and DATED this 3rd day of January, A.D. 2013

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That Whereas, the said Principal has been
elected or appointed to (or holds by operation of law) the office of Judge County Court at Law #7
for a term beginning on January 1, 2013 and ending on December 31, 2016

NOW, THEREFORE, If the said principal shall faithfully perform and discharge all the duties required of him by
law aforesaid, then this obligation shall be void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Witness our hands.

Principal Sergio J. Valdez

OATH OF OFFICE

"I _____, do solemnly swear
(or affirm), that I will faithfully execute the duties of the office of _____ of
this State, and will to the best of my ability preserve, protect, and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States and of this
State; and I furthermore solemnly swear (or affirm), that I have not directly nor indirectly paid, offered, or promised to pay,
contributed, nor promised to contribute any money, or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, as a reward
for the getting or withholding a vote at the election at which I was elected. So help me God."

(Seal) Sworn to and subscribed before me, at _____
this _____ day of _____, A.D. _____



Notary Public

Montalvo Insurance Agency

(Agency)

Old Republic Surety Company

(Surety)

By Rau

By Rau
Attorney-in-Fact



POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That OLD REPUBLIC SURETY COMPANY, a Wisconsin stock insurance corporation, does make, constitute and appoint:

RAMON MONTALVO, III, OF WESLACO, TX

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its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, with full power and authority, not exceeding \$10,000,000, for and on behalf of the company as solely to execute and deliver and affix the seal of the company thereto (if a seal is required), bonds, undertakings, recognizances or other written obligations...

ALL WRITTEN INSTRUMENTS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED AN AGGREGATE OF TWO HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$250,000) ----- FOR ANY SINGLE OBLIGATION, REGARDLESS OF THE NUMBER OF INSTRUMENTS ISSUED FOR THE OBLIGATION.

and to bind OLD REPUBLIC SURETY COMPANY thereby, and all of the acts of said Attorneys-in-Fact, pursuant to these presents, are ratified and confirmed. This document is not valid unless printed on colored background and is multi-colored.

RESOLVED that, the president, any vice-president, or assistant vice president in conjunction with the secretary or any assistant secretary, may appoint attorneys-in-fact or agents with authority as defined or limited in the instrument evidencing the appointment...

- RESOLVED FURTHER, that any bond, undertaking, recognizance, or suretyship obligation shall be valid and binding upon the Company (i) when signed by the president, any vice president or assistant vice president, and attested and sealed (if a seal be required) by any secretary or assistant secretary; or (ii) when signed by the president, any vice president or assistant vice president, secretary or assistant secretary, and countersigned and sealed (if a seal be required) by a duly authorized attorney-in-fact or agent; or (iii) when duly executed and sealed (if a seal be required) by one or more attorneys-in-fact or agents pursuant to and within the limits of the authority evidenced by the Power of Attorney issued by the company to such person or persons.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the signature of any authorized officer and the seal of the company may be affixed by facsimile to any Power of Attorney or certification thereof authorizing the execution and delivery of any bond, undertaking, recognizance, or other suretyship obligations of the company; and such signature and seal when so used shall have the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, OLD REPUBLIC SURETY COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its proper officer, and its corporate seal to be affixed this 22ND day of JUNE, 2010.

[Signature] Assistant Secretary STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY OF WAUKESHA - SS



OLD REPUBLIC SURETY COMPANY [Signature] President

On this 22ND day of JUNE, 2010, personally came before me, GERALD C. LEACH and RICK A. JOHNSON to me known to be the individuals and officers of the OLD REPUBLIC SURETY COMPANY who executed the above instrument, and they each acknowledged the execution of the same, and being by me duly sworn, did severally depose and say; that they are said officers of the corporation aforesaid, and that the seal affixed to the above instrument is the seal of the corporation, and that said corporate seal and their signatures as such officers were duly affixed and subscribed to the said instrument by the authority of the board of directors of said corporation.



[Signature] Notary Public My commission expires: 12/02/2012

CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned, assistant secretary of the OLD REPUBLIC SURETY COMPANY, a Wisconsin corporation, CERTIFY that the foregoing and attached Power of Attorney remains in full force and has not been revoked; and furthermore, that the Resolutions of the board of directors set forth in the Power of Attorney, are now in force.

89-5610 Signed and sealed at the City of Brookfield, WI this ___ day of ___ [Signature] Assistant Secretary



MONTALVO INSURANCE AGENCY

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SECRETARY OF STATE
Government Filings Section
P O Box 12887
Austin, TX 78711-2887
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STATEMENT OF OFFICER

FILED
AT 2:38 O'CLOCK AM
JAN 03 2013
ARTURO GUARDADO, JR., COUNTY CLERK
HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS
BY _____ DEPUTY

Statement

I, Sergio J. Valdez, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I have not directly or indirectly paid, offered, promised to pay, contributed, or promised to contribute any money or thing of value, or promised any public office or employment for the giving or withholding of a vote at the election at which I was elected or as a reward to secure my appointment or confirmation, whichever the case may be, so help me God.

Position to Which Elected/Appointed: County Court at Law # 7

City and/or County: Edinburg, Hidalgo County

Execution

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing statement and that the facts stated therein are true.

Date: 1-1-13

Sergio J. Valdez
Signature of Officer

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IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS,
I, Sergio J. Valdez, do solemnly swear (or affirm), that I will faithfully
execute the duties of the office of County Court at Law #7 of
the State of Texas, and will to the best of my ability preserve, protect, and defend the Constitution and laws
of the United States and of this State, so help me God.

Sergio J. Valdez
Signature of Officer

State of Texas)
County of Hidalgo)

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this

(seal)

1 day of January, 2013.

Bobby Flores
Signature of Notary Public or Other Officer
Administering Oath

J.R. "Bobby" Flores
Printed or Typed Name