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1. WESLEY V. BRANSTITER		
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ABBREVIATED LEGAL DESCRIPTION:		
Ptn. Tract 2, SKAGIT COUNTY SHORT PLAT #130-79, being a ptn.		
of SE SW, Sec. 18, T36N, R5E W.M.		
Complete legal description is on page 4 of the document		
ASSESSOR'S PROPERTY TAX PARCEL ACCOUNT NUMBER(s):		
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SPECIAL POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS: That JAMES A. BRANSTITER as has made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents does make, constitute and appoint WESLEY V. BRANSTITER, a person not interested in this transaction, his true and lawful attorney for the purposes as set out hereinafter:

1. To be a fiduciary Power of Attorney to have all powers as are necessary for purposes of signing all documents and conveyances in conjunction with the purchase and encumbrance of the real property commonly known as 24307 Hathaway Road, Sedro-Woolley, Washington, legally described as set forth in attached Exhibit A.

GIVING AND GRANTING unto his said attorney full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to the execution of the powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as he might or could do if personally present, JAMES A. BRANSTITER hereby ratifies and confirms all that his said attorney WESLEY V. BRANSTITER shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of these presents.

This Power of Attorney shall not be affected by disability of the principal.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, he hereunto sets his hand the 13 day of June, 2006.

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STATE OF WASHINGTON)) ss. COUNTY OF WHATCOM)

THIS CERTIFIES that on the /3th day of June, 2006, before me, the undersigned Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, duly commissioned and qualified, personally appeared JAMES A. BRANSTITER to me known to be the principal described in and who executed the foregoing Special Power of Attorney and acknowledged to me that she signed the same as her free and voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal the day and year first above written.



NOTARY PUBLIC in and for the State of Washington My commission expires: 05 - 07

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EXHIBIT "A"

Tract 2, SKAGIT COUNTY SHORT PLAT NO. 130-79, approved April 23, 1980, and recorded April 25, 1980, in Volume 4 of Short Plats, page 72, under Auditor's File No. 8004250001, records of Skagit County, Washington; being a portion of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 18, Township 36 North, Range 5 East of the Willamette Meridian;

EXCEPT the East 30 feet thereof;

AND ALSO EXCEPT that portion thereof lying Northerly of the following described line:

Beginning at the Southwest corner of Section 18, Township 36 North, Range 5 East of the Willamette Meridian;

thence South 89°36'30" East along the South line of said section a distance of 1,137.25 feet to the intersection of said section line and the Southerly projection of the West line of said Lot 1 of Skagit County Short Plat No. 130-79;

thence North 03°53'52" West along the West line of said short plat a distance of 405.31 feet to an existing fence corner and the point of beginning of said line;

thence South 87°25'22" East along said fence line a distance of 646.00 feet, more or less, to the existing power line road and terminal point of said line.

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