Republic of Texas
County of Bastrop } Know all men by these presents
that I Charles Wilson have this day nominated constituted ~~John~~ and appointed John Hotto my true and lawful attorney in fact and for me and in my stead to receive all the bounties in money land to which I am now or may hereafter be entitled from the proper officer or officers of this the Government and present the orders and discharge given to me by Mr. A. Moore Capt. Rangers dated Austin April 30 1838 for services rendered the Government and demand of said officer or officers the full pay due me by the Government for services as per discharge and authorize said officer or officers of Government to pay over to my said Attorney the full amount due me on said discharge and I hereby empower my said Attorney to do any thing necessary to be done so as to obtain said pay and I hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said Attorney shall or may do touching this Matter in a legal manner in as full and ample manner as I could do were I personally present at the doing of the same given under my hand this 15th May 1838

Attest.

Charles Wilson

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Proved and acknowledged before me this 15th May 1838

W. B. Walters J. P.

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