Republic of Texas
County of Harris

Know all men by these presents that I William H. Wilson of the county aforesaid have by these presents constituted and appointed Thomas M. Ward my attorney for me and in my name to ask for & receive from the Treasury Department of the Republic of Texas all demands due me as a commissioner for Harris county appointed by the Boundary Board to hear commissioners appointed to examine claims against the Republic given and to do all matters necessary to be done by testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this the 21 day of Sept A.D. 1841

Wm. H. Wilson (SEAL)

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County of Harris } Personally came and appeared before me Henry F. Fisher Notary Public in and for the County aforesaid duly commissioned and sworn - William H. Wilson to me well known, whose name is and was appended to the foregoing letter of Attorney and acknowledged the same to be his own act and deed and that he signed the same