I hereby constitute, authorize and empower Charles Nelson and W. D. Miller, my agents and attorneys in fact, for me and in my name to present, prosecute and adjust before the Auditor and Comptroller my claims of every description against the late Republic of Texas, and to receive and receipt for the proper certificates or other evidence of said adjustment.

Given under my hand at San Antonio this third day of July 1848

Thos. J. Bailey

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