The State of Texas,
County of Galveston.

I, Thomas Barnett, of said County and State, do hereby constitute and appoint Alfred F. James my agent and Attorney in fact, to present, prosecute and adjust before the Auditor and Comptroller of the State of Texas, my claims of every description against the late Republic of Texas, and to receive and receipt for the proper Certificate, or other evidence of such adjustment.

I also appoint him my agent, or Attorney in fact, to receive from the Treasurer of the State of Texas the amount due me by virtue of such Certificate or other evidence of such adjustment, and in my name to receipt for the same.

Given under my hand and Scrawl for a seal this twenty fourth day of January A.D. 1854.

his
Thomas + Barnett (Seal)
mark.

In presence of,
J. M. Edwards
J. W. Moore

The State of Texas }
County of Galveston } Before me Oscar Fauch Clerk of the County Court of Galveston County this day appeared Thomas Barnett to me known, who acknowledged the above Instrument of writing to be his act and deed for the Consideration and purposes therein stated

Given under my hand and seal of said County Court January 24th 1854. Oscar Fauch Clk

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