The State of Texas
Harris County } Know all men by these Presents that I William Morris of the State and County aforesaid the Payee in the within Certificate of public debt for and in consideration of the sum of dollars to me cash in hand paid the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged have granted bargained sold released and do hereby grant bargain sell release assign and Transfer to Wm. A. Howard The within Certificate of debt No 3613 2d class together with all the rights & privileges to the same belonging. In testimony whereof I have hereunto signed my name & affixed my seal for seal this 30th day of August 1853

William Morris (Seal)

William, Morris

The State of Texas
Harris County } Before me Chas. A. Lawrence a Notary Public in and for said County, duly commissioned and qualified this day personally appeared Wm. Morris of said County to me known, and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing transfer as his act and deed for the purposes and consideration therein contained

Witness my hand & seal of my Office in Houston this 30th day of August AD 1853

Chas. A. Lawrence
Not. Pub. Harris Co