certificates &c. due me from the state for services rendered the Republic, also to collect such amounts when due — or to otherwise dispose of the same at his pleasure —

Witness my hand and seal this fourteenth day of February — A.D. 1857

Oliver H. Stafford

The State of Texas
County of Victoria } Personally appeared before me, O. H. Stafford whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Power of Attorney, and acknowledged his signature thereto, and stated that he had executed the same for the uses and purposes therein expressed and set forth.

I certify which I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Victoria this 10th day of February A.D. 1857. —

A B Hollcroft
Notary Public
Victoria County

O. H. Stafford
Power of Atty
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