Republic of Texas
County of Nacogdoches } Know all Men by these presents that I Joseph G. Cook Sr. of said County have constituted and appointed and by these presents do constitute and appoint Lemuel A. Cook my true and Lawful Attorney for me and in my name and in my behalf to make application to the proper officer at the City of Houston in the Republic of Texas wherever they be in Land pay or otherwise and also in my name to execute the necessary receipts for the same hereby ratifying and confirming all and singular his acts and doings of him my said Attorney in the premises

Signed & Sealed
in presence of
Jesse C. Hinman
Jas. G. Dickson

his
Joseph G. Cook
mark

Republic of Texas
County of Nacogdoches } Before me a justice of the peace for said County came the above written Joseph G. Cook Sr. and acknowledged that he signed and executed the above power of Attorney for the purposes therein set forth witness my hand and seal this 28th day of January A.D. 1839.

Wm Rowan J.P.

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Republic of Texas
County of Nacogdoches } Before me a justice of the peace for said County came Joseph G. Cook Sr. and says that the foregoing discharge and accounts annexed for provisions furnished the Government are just and true