the forgoing instrument of power and authority to do and perform every and all things necessary to procure the settlement of any claim of my country upon the Government of the Republic of Texas, authorising my said agent and attorney in fact to sign my name to any documents to carry out the true intent and necessity of this my sole power of attorney hereby ratifying and confirming all his said acts as though they were done by me in my own proper person and my name signed with my own hand.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 12th day of July 1838

The words "said" "to" and "all things" on page first were interlined before the signing and sealing of this power of attorney

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