Republic of Texas
County of Brazoria } Ss

Know all men by these presents that I Josiah H. Bell of the County & Republic aforesaid have made constituted and appointed and by these presents do make constitute and appoint Geo W Pan of the County of Harrisburg my true and lawful attorney for the following special purposes — viz — To claim and obtain for me and in my name certain ~~pay~~ claims for pay for property lost ~~which the the Republic &c~~ which was in the service of the Republic as well as to secure certain land titles from the Commissioner General —

Hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said attorney may do in the premises I sign this at Columbia in presence of witnesses this Eighteenth day of February A.D. 1838.

Witnesses —
Byrd Lockhart
Joshua C Lowry

J H Bell (L.S.)

(TX)

County of Brazoria

I do hereby certify that the above power of Atty was acknowledged and assigned in my presence.
February 21th 1838

David P Holt (L.S.)
Acting in Beat 1 —
for the County aforesaid

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