



United States Department of the Interior
OFFICE OF SURFACE MINING RECLAMATION AND ENFORCEMENT

POWER OF ATTORNEY AND AGREEMENT FOR COLLATERAL BOND
(Corporation)

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that

(Name of Corporation – Permittee)

a corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the State of _____, in
pursuance of a resolution of the Board of Directors of said corporation, passed on the _____
day of _____, _____, does hereby constitute and appoint

_____ and his/her successors in office,
(Name and official title of Bond-Approving Officer)

and his/her successors in office, as attorney for said corporation to collect or to sell, assign and
transfer certain securities, certificates of deposit or other instruments described as follows:

such negotiable securities having been deposited by it, as security for the faithful performance of
any and all of the conditions or stipulations of a certain obligation entered into by it with the
United States, under date of _____, with respect to Permit No. _____,

(Date Collateral Bond Signed)

which is hereby made a part hereof, and the undersigned agrees that, in case of any default in the
performance of any of the conditions and stipulations of such undertaking, its said attorney shall
have full power to collect said securities or any part thereof, or to sell, assign, and transfer said
securities or any part thereof without notice, at public or private sale, free from any equity of
redemption and without appraisal or valuation, notice and right to redeem being waived, and
to apply the proceeds of such sale or collection, in whole or in part, to the satisfaction of any
damages, demands, or deficiency arising by reason of such default, as its said attorney may deem
best; and the undersigned further agrees that the authority herein granted is irrevocable.

And said corporation for itself, its successors and assigns, ratifies and confirms whatever its said
attorney shall do by virtue of these presents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Obligor has hereunto set its signature this _____ day of _____, _____.

(Corporation – Permittee)

By: _____
(Corporate Officer)

Title: _____

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

On this _____ day of _____, _____, before me, a Notary Public in and for the County of _____, in the State of _____, appeared _____ to me personally known who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he/she is _____ of _____, the corporation named in and which executed the within instrument, and that the seal affixed to said instrument is the corporation seal of said corporation, and that said instrument was signed, sealed, and delivered in behalf of said corporation by authority of the Board of Directors, and he/she, as such officer, acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation for the uses and purposes of said instrument as therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal on the day, month, and year aforesaid.

My Commission Expires: _____
(Notary Public in aforesaid County and State)

NOTE: Securities must be described by issuing institution, title, date of maturity, rate of interest, denomination, serial number, and whether coupon or registered.

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