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December 19, 2011

Mr. Jeff Derouen
Executive Director
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Blvd
Frankfort, KY 40601

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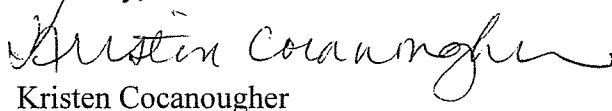
Re: Case No. 2011-00448

Enclosed please find for filing the newspaper notices and affidavits attesting to the publications of notice of the hearing date set in the referenced case. The notices were published as follows:

Boone County Recorder	November 24, December 1 and 8
Campbell County Recorder	November 24, December 1 and 8
Falmouth Outlook	November 22, 29 and December 6
Gallatin County News	November 23, 30 and December 7
Grant County News	November 24, December 1 and 8
Kenton County Recorder	November 24, December 1 and 8
Kentucky Enquirer	November 17, 24 and December 1

Please date-stamp the extra two copies of this letter and return to me in the enclosed envelope.

Sincerely,


Kristen Cocanougher

cc: Dennis Howard II (w/o enclosures)
Richard Raff (w/o enclosures)
Florence W. Tandy (w/o enclosures)
Carl Melcher (w/o enclosures)

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210 Main Street
Falmouth, KY 41040


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That The Falmouth Outlook is a newspaper printed and published in the State of Kentucky, and of general circulation in the County or Counties of Pendleton.

That the attached Legal Notice was Duly Published in The Falmouth Outlook on November 22, 20 11.

Done at Falmouth, Kentucky, this 9 day of December, 20 11.


Publisher or Proprietor

STATE OF KENTUCKY
COUNTY OF PENDLETON

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Deborrah A. Dennie, this 9 day of December, 20 11, at Falmouth, Pendleton County, Kentucky.


Notary Public

Notary ID No. 444991
My Commission expires My Commission Expires 6/15/2015

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Falmouth, KY 41040

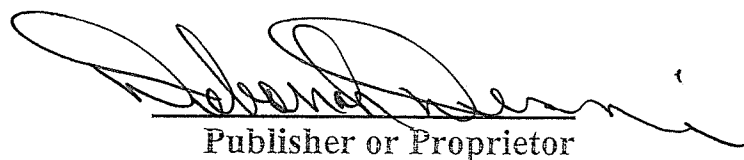
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Done at Falmouth, Kentucky, this 9 day of December, 20 11.


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STATE OF KENTUCKY
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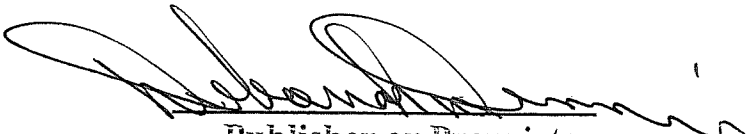
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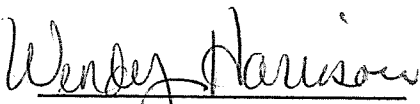
That the attached Legal Notice was Duly Published in The Falmouth Outlook on December 6, 20 11.

Done at Falmouth, Kentucky, this 9 day of December, 20 11.


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**Gallatin County News
P.O. Box 435
Warsaw, Kentucky**

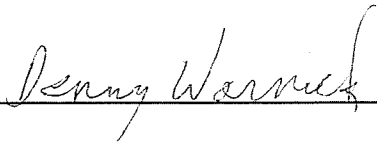
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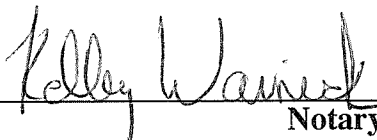
That the attached Legal Notice was duly published in the Gallatin County News on Nov. 23, Nov. 30 and Dec. 7, 2011.

Done at Warsaw, Kentucky, this 8th day of Dec., 2011.



STATE OF KENTUCKY
COUNTY OF GALLATIN

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Denny Warnick, this 8th day of Dec., 2011, at Warsaw, Gallatin County, Kentucky.


_____ Notary Public

My commission expires
September 8th, 2014

Grant County News
129 S. Main Street, Dry Ridge, Kentucky 41035
P.O. Box 247, Williamstown, Kentucky 41097

The affiant, Ken Stone, publisher or proprietor of the Grant County News, Dry Ridge, Kentucky, after being duly sworn and cautioned does depose and states the following:

That the Grant County News is a newspaper printed and published in the State of Kentucky, and of general circulation in the County or Counties of Grant.

That the attached Legal Notice was duly published in the Grant County News on November 24, 2011.

Done at Dry Ridge, Kentucky, this 8 day of December, 2011.

Ken Stone

STATE OF KENTUCKY
COUNTY OF GRANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Ken Stone, this 8th day of December, 2011, at Dry Ridge, Grant County, Kentucky.

[Signature]
Notary Public

Notary ID 400532

My commission expires 13 Aug 13.

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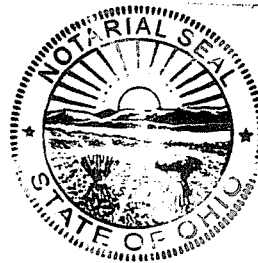
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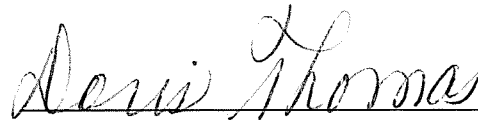
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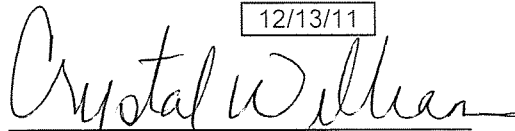
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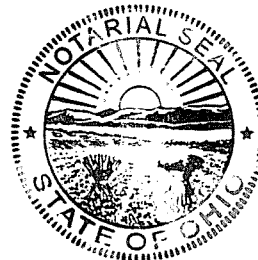
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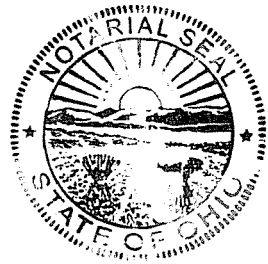
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