

**GTLT - \_\_\_\_15\_\_\_\_**

**Alex R. Masson, Inc.**

**10-21S-1W**

**Dona Ana County**

**Bonds**

## Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

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**From:** Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 04, 2012 10:49 AM  
**To:** 'James Witcher'  
**Cc:** Brooks, David K., EMNRD  
**Subject:** FW: Masson Nursery (GTLT-015) Geothermal Bond Inquiry

Jim:

FYI regarding the OCD quest for original or original duplicates of any Masson Bonds in our administrative records and/or files.

OCD is working to develop 2 letters (one w/ geothermal regulatory context and one with WQCC regulatory context). These letters should convey the OCD path forward for this facility.

OCD is currently awaiting the "Designated Agent" determination from the operator. Thank you.

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**From:** Phillips, Dorothy, EMNRD  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 04, 2012 10:20 AM  
**To:** Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD  
**Subject:** RE: Masson Nursery (GTLT-015) Geothermal Bond Inquiry

I do not see in ONGARD any bond for OGRID 208265 for Alex R. Masson, Inc. , however, I do have a card file showing that there was a \$10,000 geothermal bond - 68879398 with American Manufacturers Mutual. Since it was a geothermal bond, Roy Johnson must have had the file. Here is information on American Manufacturers Mutual:

American Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Company  
1 Kemper Drive  
Long Grove, IL 60049  
Phone: (847) 320-2000  
Toll Free: (800) 833-0355

Here is what I show on ONGARD:

CMD :	ONGARD	01/04/12 10:14:
OG7OGRD	MAINTAIN OGRID	OGODLP -TQ

OGRID:..... 208265	Comment :
OGRID Name:..... Agency:..SSON INC	
OMID:..... 84962 ALEX R MASSON INC	
OGRID Sort Name:.. ALEX R MASSON	History :
DFA Vendor Code:..	Last Modified: 09-13-2001
Issuing User:.... PHILLIPS,DOROTH BN78	

Issuing Agency:.. OCD  
Addressee:..... MICHAEL JUSTICE  
Mail Stop:..... Filing Medium..  
Address(1):..... PO BOX 170 Status:..... A ACTIVE  
Address(2):..... Effective:..... 09-13-2001  
City:..... LINWOOD Bankruptcy:  
State:..... KS Ever Filed?:... N  
Zip Code:..... 66052 Status date:..  
City/State/Zip:..  
Country:.....  
Phone:..... Fax:.....

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**From:** Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 04, 2012 9:39 AM  
**To:** Phillips, Dorothy, EMNRD  
**Cc:** Brooks, David K., EMNRD  
**Subject:** Masson Nursery (GTLT-015) Geothermal Bond Inquiry

Dorothy:

I think you indicated that there is no bond for this facility? Could you please confirm. Click [here](#) to see the copy of the bond in the OCD Administrative Record.

OCD is working to permit the facility and wells, so any info. you have would be appreciated. Thank you.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

March 28, 1986

Alex R. Masson, Inc.  
Drawer F  
Linwood, Kansas 66052

Re: \$10,000 Multiple-Well Geothermal Observation  
Well Bond; Alex R. Masson, Inc., Principal  
American Manufacturers Mutual Insurance, Surety  
Bond No. 585244

Gentlemen:

The Oil Conservation Division hereby approves the above-  
captioned Geothermal Bond effective March 25, 1986.

Sincerely,

R. L. STAMETS,  
Director

dr/

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Santa Fe

Form GB-LT-10  
Adopted 10-1-74  
Revised 10-1-78

**Note: File with Oil Conservation Division, P. O. Box 2088, Santa Fe, NM 87501**

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, That thirty (30) days after receipt by the Oil Conservation Division of New Mexico of written notice of cancellation from the surety, the obligation of the surety hereunder shall terminate as to property or wells acquired, drilled, or started after said thirty (30) day period but shall continue in effect, notwithstanding said notice, as to property or wells theretofore acquired, drilled, or started.

Alex R. Masson, Inc.

Drawer F PRINCIPAL  
Linwood, Kansas 66052

By

Signature

PRESIDENT

Title

SURETY

By

Attorney-in-Fact, Sue Camarillo

(Note: Principal, if corporation, affix corporate seal here.)

(Note: Corporate surety affix corporate seal here.)

(Note: If corporate surety executes this bond by an attorney-in-fact not in New Mexico, the resident New Mexico agent shall countersign here below.)

Countersigned by:

Not applicable

New Mexico Resident Agent

Address

ACKNOWLEDGMENT FORM FOR NATURAL PERSONS

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ ) ss.

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, before me personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, to me known to be the person (persons) described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he (they) executed the same as his (their) free act and deed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on the day and year in this certificate first above written.

Notary Public

My Commission expires

ACKNOWLEDGMENT FORM FOR CORPORATION

STATE OF KANSAS )  
COUNTY OF LEAVENWORTH ) ss.

On this 14<sup>th</sup> day of MARCH, 1986, before me personally appeared ALEXANDER MASSON, to me personally known who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is PRESIDENT of ALEXANDER MASSON, INC. and that the foregoing instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its board of directors, and acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on the day and year in this certificate first above written.

Notary Public

My Commission expires

ACKNOWLEDGMENT FORM FOR CORPORATE SURETY

STATE OF Missouri )  
COUNTY OF Platte ) ss.

On this 3rd day of March, 1986, before me appeared Sue Camarillo, to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is Attorney in fact of American Manufacturers Mutual Ins. Co. and that the foregoing instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its board of directors, and acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have written my hand and seal on the day and year in this certificate first above written.

March 14, 1989

My Commission expires

(Note: Corporate surety attach power of attorney.)

BRENDA LINZE

Notary Public - State of Missouri

Commissioned in Platte County

Notary Public Commission Expires March 14, 1990

APPROVED BY:

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO

By

# AMERICAN MANUFACTURERS MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY

Home Office: Long Grove, IL 60049



## POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know All Men By These Presents:

That the American Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Illinois, and having its principal office in Long Grove, Illinois, does hereby appoint \*\*\*\*\*  
Vernon M. Jones, Brenda Linze and Sue Camarillo of Kansas City, Missouri;  
Dale A. Gebauer of Raymore, Missouri (EACH)\*\*\*\*\*

its true and lawful agent(s) and attorney(s)-in-fact, to make, execute, seal, and deliver during the period beginning with the date of issuance of this power and ending December 31, 1986, unless sooner revoked for and on its behalf as surety, and as its act and deed: Any and all bonds and undertakings provided the amount of no one bond or undertaking exceeds ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$100,000.00)\*\*\*\*\*

EXCEPTION: NO AUTHORITY is granted to make, execute, seal and deliver any bond or undertaking which guarantees the payment or collection of any promissory note, check, draft or letter of credit.

This authority does not permit the same obligation to be split into two or more bonds in order to bring each such bond within the dollar limit of authority as set forth herein.

This appointment may be revoked at any time by the American Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Company.

The execution of such bonds and undertakings in pursuance of these presents shall be as binding upon the said American Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Company as fully and amply to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been duly executed and acknowledged by its regularly elected officers at its principal office in Long Grove, Illinois.

THIS APPOINTMENT SHALL CEASE AND TERMINATE WITHOUT NOTICE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1986.

This Power of Attorney is executed by authority of a resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of said American Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Company on May 20, 1981 at Long Grove, Illinois, a true and accurate copy of which is hereinafter set forth and is hereby certified to by the undersigned Secretary as being in full force and effect:

"VOTED, That the Chairman of the Board, the Chairman, the President, or any Vice President, or their appointees designated in writing and filed with the Secretary, or the Secretary shall have the power and authority to appoint agents and attorneys-in-fact, and to authorize them to execute on behalf of the Company, and attach the seal of the Company thereto, bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other writings, obligatory in the nature thereof, and any such officers of the Company may appoint agents for acceptance of process."

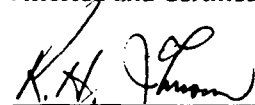
This Power of Attorney is signed, sealed and certified by facsimile under and by authority of the following resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company at a meeting duly called and held on the 20th day of May, 1981:

"VOTED, That the signature of the Chairman of the Board, the Chairman, the President, any Vice President, or their appointees designated in writing and filed with the Secretary, and the signature of the Secretary, the seal of the Company, and certifications by the Secretary, may be affixed by facsimile on any power of attorney or bond executed pursuant to resolution adopted by the Board of Directors on May 19, 1981 and any such power so executed, sealed and certified with respect to any bond or undertaking to which it is attached, shall continue to be valid and binding upon the Company."

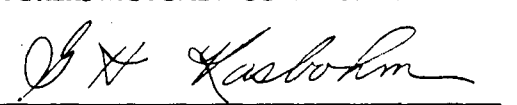
In Testimony Whereof, the American Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Company has caused this instrument to be signed and its corporate seal to be affixed by its authorized officers, this 22nd day of October, 19 84.

Attested and Certified:

AMERICAN MANUFACTURERS MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY

  
R. H. Johnson, Secretary



By   
G. H. Kasbohm, Vice President

STATE OF ILLINOIS  
COUNTY OF LAKE SS

I, Margaret Redmore, a Notary Public, do hereby certify that G. H. Kasbohm and R. H. Johnson personally known to me to be the same persons whose names are respectively as Vice President and Secretary of the American Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Company, a Corporation of the State of Illinois, subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and severally acknowledged that they being thereunto duly authorized signed, sealed with the corporate seal and delivered the said instrument as the free and voluntary act of said corporation and as their own free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



My commission expires: July 6, 1988

FN 836-3 7-84 1M

Power of Attorney—Term

  
Margaret Redmore, Notary Public

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**CERTIFICATION**

I, Sven L. Johanson, Secretary of the American Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Company, do hereby certify that the attached Power of Attorney dated October 22, 1984 on behalf of persons as listed on reverse side\*\*\*\*\* is a true and correct copy and that that same has been in full force and effect since the date thereof and is in full force and effect on the date of this certificate; and I do further certify that the said G. H. Kasbohm and R. H. Johnson who executed the Power of Attorney as Vice President and Secretary respectively were on the date of the execution of the attached Power of Attorney the duly elected Vice President and Secretary of the American Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Company.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the corporate seal of the American Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Company on this 3rd day of March, 19 86.



*Sven L. Johanson*

Sven L. Johanson, Secretary

This Power of Attorney limits the acts of those named therein to the bonds and undertakings specifically named therein, and they have no authority to bind the Company except in the manner and to the extent herein stated.

FOR INFORMATION CONCERNING THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY, CALL (312) 540-2000, CONTRACT BOND DEPARTMENT; OR WRITE, CONTRACT BOND DEPARTMENT, KEMPER GROUP, LONG GROVE, ILLINOIS 60049.