**CUSTOMS** **POWER OF ATTORNEY**

 \_ Individual

\_ Partnership

**\_** Corporation

\_ Sole Proprietorship

\_ Limited Liability Company

2) X appropriate box:

FILL IN APPROPRIATE NUMBER

1. IRS# or SS# or Customs Assigned # \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:** That, 3)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ doing

business as a 4) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ under the laws of the state of 5) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

residing or having a principal place of business at 6)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, hereby constitutes and appoints **Bansard Anker International LLC**, its officers, employees, and/or specifically authorized agents, to act for and on its behalf as a true and lawful agent and attorney of the grantor for and in the name, place and stead of said grantor, from this date, in ALL Customs Districts, to make, endorse, sign, declare, or swear to any customs entry, withdrawal, declaration, certificate, bill of lading, carnet or any other documents required by law or regulation in connection with the importation, exportation, transportation, of any merchandise in or through the customs territory, shipped or consigned by or to said grantor; Sign, seal, and deliver for and as the act of said grantor any bond required by law or regulation in connection with the entry or withdrawal of imported merchandise or merchandise exported with or without benefit of drawback, or in connection with the entry, clearance, lading, unlading or navigation of any vessel or other means of conveyance owned or operated by said grantor, and any and all bonds which may be voluntarily given and accepted under applicable laws and regulations, consignee’s and owner’s declarations provide for in section 485, Tariff Act of 1930, as amended or affidavits in connection with the entry of merchandise;

Sign and swear to any document and to perform any act that may be necessary or required by law or regulation in connection with the entering, clearing, lading, unlading, or operation of any vessel or other means of conveyance owned or operated by said grantor; Authorize other Customs Brokers duly licensed within the territory to act as grantor’s agent; to receive, endorse and collect checks issued for Customs duty refunds in grantor’s name drawn on the Treasurer of the United States; if the grantor is a nonresident of the United States, to accept service of process on behalf of the grantor; And generally to transact customs business, including filing of claims or protests under section 514 of the Tariff Act of 1930, and to file Importer’s Security Filing information, or pursuant to other laws of the territories, in which said grantor is or may be concerned or interested and which may properly be transacted or performed by an agent and attorney; This power of attorney to remain full force and effect until revocation in writing is duly given to and received by grantee(if the donor of this power of attorney is a partnership or LLC, the said power shall in no case have any force of effect in the United States after the expiration 2 years from the dates of its execution); Appointment as Forwarding Agent: I understand that, as importer of record, I am responsible for insuring the timely and accurate filing of Importer’s Security Filing data, as required by 19 CFR 149. Bansard Anker International LLC will not be held liable for late, inaccurate, or non-filing of this data if the information is not provided in an accurate and timely manner.Grantor authorizes the above Grantee to act within the territory as lawful agent and sign or endorse export documents (i.e. commercial invoices, bill of lading, insurance certificates, drafts and any other document) necessary for the completion of an export on grantor’s behalf as may be required under law and regulation in the territory and to appoint forwarding agents on grantor’s behalf; If the Grantor is a Limited Liability Company, the signatory certifies that he/she has full authority to execute this power on behalf of the Grantor. By signature of this document, signer agrees and accepts our terms and conditions.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF: the said\_7)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 (Full name of company)

Caused these presents to be sealed and signed: (Signature) 8)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(Capacity)9)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: 10)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

If you are the importer of record, payment to the broker will not relieve you of liability for U.S. Customs and Border Protection charges (duties, taxes or other debts owed customs) in the event the charges are not paid by the broker. Therefore, if you pay by check, Customs charges may be paid with a separate check payable to “U.S. Customs and Border Protection” which shall be delivered to U.S. Customs by the broker. Importers who wish to utilize this procedure must contact our office in advance to arrange timely receipt of duty checks.

**INDIVIDUAL OR PARTNERSHIP CERTIFICATION**

 City\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 County\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ SS\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 State\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 on this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_, personally appeared before me,

 residing at\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, personally known or sufficiently identified to me, who

 certifies that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(is)(are) the individual(s) who executed

 the foregoing instrument and acknowledge it to be his/her/their free act and deed.

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 Notary Public

**CORPORATE CERTIFICATION (Required for Non-resident (Foreign) Corporation)**

(To be made by an officer of other than the one who executes the power of attorney)

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , certify that I am the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of

\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ organized under the laws of \_\_\_\_**\_\_\_\_\_**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, who signed this power of attorney on behalf of the donor is the

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of said corporations is authorized to sign the power of attorney, and that

said power of attorney was duly signed, and attested to for and in behalf of said corporation by authority of its governing

body as the same appears in a resolution of the Board of Directors passed at a regular meeting held on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , 20 \_\_\_\_\_ , I further certify that the resolution is in accordance with the articles of

incorporation and bylaws of said corporation and was executed in accordance with the laws of the State or Country of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said corporation, at the City of

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , 20 \_\_\_\_\_\_ .

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(Signature)

**Instructions for Completion of the Customs Power of Attorney**

1. Enter the appropriate number – EIN for corporations, SSN for individuals, or Customs Assigned number for foreign entities.
2. Check the appropriate box for the type of entity issuing the POA.
3. Name of the corporation, individual, partnership or proprietorship.
4. State the entity type.
5. Indicate the state of incorporation (country for foreign entities).
6. Address of the business or individual.
7. Enter the name of the entity.
8. Signature
9. Capacity of the party who signed the POA.
10. Date of signature.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING COMPLETION OF POWER OF**

 **ATTORNEY**

* **Powers of attorney executed by a corporation or LLC MUST be signed by a corporate officer (usually President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, CEO – manager, general manager or supervisor is not acceptable).**
* **US Corporations must also provide evidence of EIN, in the form of one of the following documents:**
* **FORM            147C  - IRS Compliance Letter**
* **FORM            1065 - US Tax Return of Partnership Income**
* **FORM            2363  - IRS Master File Entity Change**
* **FORM            8109/8109C – Federal Tax Deposit Coupon/FTD Address Change**
* **FORM            941/941V  - Employer’s Quarterly Federal Tax**
* **Return/Payment Voucher**
* **FORM            7004 – Application for Automatic Extension of Time to File Certain**
* **Business Income Tax, Information and Other Returns**
* **FORM            1096 – Annual Summary and Transmittal of US**
* **Information Returns**
* **FORM            355-ES – Massachusetts Corporate Estimated Tax Payment Voucher**
* **FORM            11234 – High School/Community College Profile Sheet**
* **FORM            1120-1120S – US Income Tax Return for an S Corporation**
* **FORM            SS4 LETTER (from IRS) – Application for Employer Identification Number**
* **Powers of attorney executed by foreign entities (located outside of the United States) MUST have the “Corporate Certification” completed by a SECOND corporate officer – OTHER THAN the officer who signed the POA.**
* **Powers of attorney executed by partnerships or individuals MUST have the Individual or Partnership Certification completed by a Notary Public.**

**If, for any reason, you are not able to enter the data into the fill-able form, please contact us. We will enter the information for you, and send you a copy that is ready for signature.**