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How to sign your Financial Power of Attorney

1. Read it. Check that every name, address and phone number is right.
2. Initial every line marked **INITIAL >** in the left margin. Those are the powers you chose. Leave the other initial lines blank.
3. Don't sign yet. You need **one adult witness** and a **notary**, both there when you sign. The witness can't be the notary, and neither one can be John Sample (your agents). Many banks notarize for free.
4. Sign and date the Signature and Acknowledgment section.
5. The witness signs and fills in their name, address, phone and email. The notary completes the notary block and applies their seal.
6. Give John Sample a copy along with the Important Information for Agent pages. Keep the original somewhere safe.

This is a self-help document built on the Georgia statutory form (O.C.G.A. § 10-6B-70). It is not legal advice, and no attorney has reviewed your answers.

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State of Georgia
County of Hall

STATUTORYFORM POWER OF ATTORNEY

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

This power of attorney authorizes another person (your agent) to make decisions concerning your property for you (the principal). Your agent will be able to make decisions and act with respect to your property (including your money) whether or not you are able to act for yourself. The meaning of authority over subjects listed on this form is explained in O.C.G.A. Chapter 6B of Title 10.

This power of attorney does not authorize the agent to make health care decisions for you.

You should select someone you trust to serve as your agent. Unless you specify otherwise in the Special Instructions, generally the agent's authority will continue until you die or revoke the power of attorney or the agent resigns or is unable to act for you.

Your agent is not entitled to any compensation unless you state otherwise in the Special Instructions. Your agent shall be entitled to reimbursement of reasonable expenses incurred in performing the acts required by you in your power of attorney.

This form provides for designation of one agent. If you wish to name more than one agent, you may name a successor agent or name a coagent in the Special Instructions. Coagents will not be required to act together unless you include that requirement in the Special Instructions.

If your agent is unable or unwilling to act for you, your power of attorney will end unless you have named a successor agent. You may also name a second successor agent.

This power of attorney shall be durable unless you state otherwise in the Special Instructions.

This power of attorney becomes effective immediately unless you state otherwise in the Special Instructions.

If you have questions about the power of attorney or the authority you are granting to your agent, you should seek legal advice before signing this form.

DESIGNATION OF AGENT

I Jane Q. Sample (Name of principal) name the following person as my agent:

Name of agent: **John Sample**

Agent's address: _____

Agent's telephone number: _____

Agent's email address: _____

DESIGNATION OF SUCCESSOR AGENT(S) (OPTIONAL)

If my agent is unable or unwilling to act for me, I name as my successor agent:

Name of successor agent: _____

Successor agent's address: _____

Successor agent's telephone number: _____

Sample ends here. The full form continues after this page.