

**IMPROVEMENT SECURITY  
LABOR AND MATERIALS BOND**

BOND No. 3009295

PREMIUM Inc. in performance bond premium

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

THAT WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Orange, State of California, and Pulte Home Company, LLC a Michigan limited Liability Company, (hereinafter designated as the "PRINCIPAL) have entered into an Agreement whereby PRINCIPAL agrees to install and complete certain designated public improvements, which said Agreement dated \_\_\_\_\_ and identified as project: Tract No. 19323 Agreement S26-120833, Water improvements is hereby referred to and made a part of hereof; and

WHEREAS, said PRINCIPAL is required under the terms of said Agreement to furnish a bond guaranteeing performance of said Agreement, and

Whereas, Harco National Insurance Company as "SURETY" agrees to be held firmly bound unto PRINCIPAL in the sum of Four Hundred and Fifty Six Thousand Five Hundred and Sixty Six Dollars (\$456,566) which is 100% of the total Agreement amount for the installation of Water improvements (as defined in the Agreement), for the payment of which sums PRINCIPAL and SURETY agree to be bound jointly and severally, and firmly by its presents;

WHEREAS, under the terms of said Agreement, PRINCIPAL is required, before entering upon the performance of the work, to file a good and sufficient payment bond with the County of Orange (herein after referred to as "COUNTY") to secure the claims to which reference is

made in Title 15 (commencing with Section 3082) of Part 4, of Division 3, of the Civil Code of the State of California.

NOW THEREFORE, said PRINCIPAL and the undersigned as corporate surety are held firmly bound unto the County of Orange and all contractors, subcontractors, laborers, material men and other persons employed in the performance of the aforesaid Agreement and referred to in the aforesaid Civil Code in the sum of Four Hundred and Fifty Six Thousand Five Hundred and Sixty Six Dollars (\$456,566) for materials furnished or labor thereon of any kind, or for amounts due under the Unemployment Insurance Act with respect to such work or labor, that said Surety will pay the same amount not exceeding the amount hereinabove set forth, and also in case suit is brought upon this bond, shall indemnify COUNTY, defend with counsel approved in writing by COUNTY, and save harmless COUNTY, its officers, agents and employees, and will pay, in addition to the face amount thereof, cost and reasonable expenses and fees, incurred by COUNTY in successfully enforcing such obligation, to be awarded and fixed by the Court, and to be taxed as costs and to be included in the judgment therein.

It is hereby expressly stipulated and agreed that this bond shall inure to the benefit of any and all persons, companies and corporations entitled to file claims under Title 15 (commencing with Section 3082), of Part 4, of Division 3 of the Civil Code, so as to give a right of action to them or their assigns in any suit brought upon this bond.

Should the condition of this bond be fully performed, then this obligation shall become null and void; otherwise it shall be and remain in full force and effect.

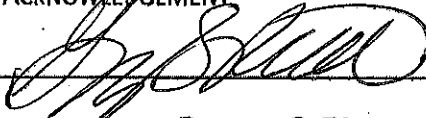
The Surety hereby stipulates and agrees that no change, extension of time, alteration or addition to the terms of the Agreement or the specifications accompanying the same shall in

any manner affect its obligations on this bond and it does hereby waive notice of any change, extension, alteration or addition.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this information has been duly executed by the PRINCIPAL and SURETY above named, on this 25th of March, A.D. 2026.

PULTE HOME COMPANY, LLC  
A MICHIGAN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

ATTACH ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

BY:   
Print Name: Gregory S. Rives  
Assistant Treasurer  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_


~~BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_~~

ATTACH ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

BY: Harco National Insurance Company  
SURETY COMPANY


ADDRESS: 4200 Six Forks Rd., Ste. 1400  
Raleigh, NC 27609

ATTACH ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

BY:   
ATTORNEY-IN-FACT - Kelly A. Gardner

ADDRESS: 1411 Opus Place, Ste. 450  
Downers Grove, IL 60515

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
COUNTY COUNSEL  
COUNTY OF ORANGE, CALIFORNIA

BY:   
DEPUTY

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT BY PRINCIPAL**

**STATE OF GEORGIA)**

**) ss.**

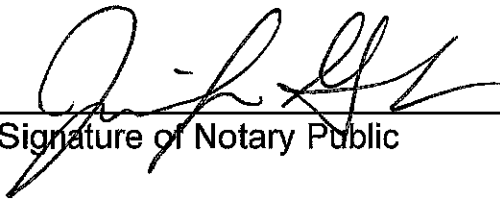
**COUNTY OF BARTOW)**

This record was acknowledged before me on March 25, 2026, appeared Gregory S. Rives as Assistant Treasurer of 

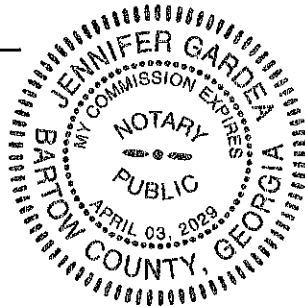
Pulte Home Company, LLC a Michigan limited liability company
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, who provided to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence ~~to be the person who appeared~~ before me and is personally known to me.

WITNESS my hand official seal.

  
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Signature of Notary Public

Jennifer Gardea (s)  
Notary Public State of Georgia



My Commission Expires: April 3, 2029

STATE OF ILLINOIS }  
COUNTY OF DU PAGE}

On March 25, 2026, before me, Alexa K. Costello, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared, Kelly A. Gardner, known to me to be Attorney-in-Fact of Harco National Insurance Company, the corporation described in and that executed the within and foregoing instrument, and known to me to be the person who executed the said instrument on behalf of the said corporation, and he duly acknowledged to me that such corporation executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, the day and year stated in this certificate above.

My Commission Expires September 20, 2027

Alexa K. Costello  
Alexa K. Costello, Notary Public  
Commission No. 978152



**POWER OF ATTORNEY**  
**HARCO NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY**  
**INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY**

Bond # 3009295

**Attachment M**

Member companies of IAT Insurance Group, Headquartered: 4200 Six Forks Rd, Suite 1400, Raleigh, NC 27609

**KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:** That HARCO NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Illinois, and INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New Jersey, and having their principal offices located respectively in the cities of Rolling Meadows, Illinois and Newark, New Jersey, do hereby constitute and appoint

**AMY B. WICKETT, MARTIN MOSS, KELLY A. GARDNER, JAMES I. MOORE, JENNIFER J. MC COMB, MELISSA SCHMIDT, STEPHEN T. KAZMER**

Downers Grove, IL

their true and lawful attorney(s)-in-fact to execute, seal and deliver for and on its behalf as surety, any and all bonds and undertakings, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, which are or may be allowed, required or permitted by law, statute, rule, regulation, contract or otherwise, and the execution of such instrument(s) in pursuance of these presents, shall be as binding upon the said HARCO NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY and INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY, as fully and amply, to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been duly executed and acknowledged by their regularly elected officers at their principal offices.

This Power of Attorney is executed, and may be revoked, pursuant to and by authority of the By-Laws of HARCO NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY and INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY and is granted under and by authority of the following resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY at a meeting duly held on the 13th day of December, 2018 and by the Board of Directors of HARCO NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY at a meeting held on the 13th day of December, 2018.

"RESOLVED, that (1) the Chief Executive Officer, President, Executive Vice President, Senior Vice President, Vice President, or Secretary of the Corporation shall have the power to appoint, and to revoke the appointments of, Attorneys-in-Fact or agents with power and authority as defined or limited in their respective powers of attorney, and to execute on behalf of the Corporation and affix the Corporation's seal thereto, bonds, undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other written obligations in the nature thereof or related thereto; and (2) any such Officers of the Corporation may appoint and revoke the appointments of joint-control custodians, agents for acceptance of process, and Attorneys-in-fact with authority to execute waivers and consents on behalf of the Corporation; and (3) the signature of any such Officer of the Corporation and the Corporation's seal may be affixed by facsimile to any power of attorney or certification given for the execution of any bond, undertaking, recognizance, contract of indemnity or other written obligation in the nature thereof or related thereto, such signature and seals when so used whether heretofore or hereafter, being hereby adopted by the Corporation as the original signature of such officer and the original seal of the Corporation, to be valid and binding upon the Corporation with the same force and effect as though manually affixed."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, HARCO NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY and INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY have each executed and attested these presents on this 31st day of December, 2025



STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
County of Essex

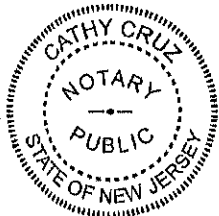
Michael F. Zurcher

Executive Vice President, Harco National Insurance Company  
and International Fidelity Insurance Company

STATE OF ILLINOIS  
County of Cook



On this 31st day of December, 2025, before me came the individual who executed the preceding instrument, to me personally known, and, being by me duly sworn, said he is the therein described and authorized officer of HARCO NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY and INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY; that the seals affixed to said instrument are the Corporate Seals of said Companies; that the said Corporate Seals and his signature were duly affixed by order of the Boards of Directors of said Companies.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand affixed my Official Seal, at the City of Newark, New Jersey the day and year first above written.

Cathy Cruz a Notary Public of New Jersey  
My Commission Expires April 16, 2029

**CERTIFICATION**

I, the undersigned officer of HARCO NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY and INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of the Power of Attorney and affidavit, and the copy of the Sections of the By-Laws of said Companies as set forth in said Power of Attorney, with the originals on file in the home office of said companies, and that the same are correct transcripts thereof, and of the whole of the said originals, and that the said Power of Attorney has not been revoked and is now in full force and effect.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand on this day, March 25, 2026

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Irene Martins, Assistant Secretary