


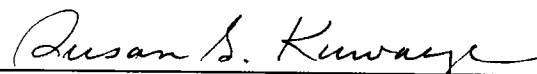
## OATH OF OFFICE

I, **S. DALE STANTON**, do solemnly swear that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties upon which I am about to enter.

  
Signature

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of April, 1998.



  
Notary Public in and for the  
County of Los Angeles,  
State of California

(SEAL)

My commission expires 10-9-2001