IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE

REPUBLIC OF TEXAS.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME--GREETING.

WHEREAS it hath appeared, from authentic and lawful proofs, that Citizen
Benjamin B. Peck,
was on the 12th day of February, A. D. 1845, duly elected to the office of
Judge of the County Court, 1st and 3rd for the
County of Gonzales, in said Republic,
and is entitled to be invested with the rights to said office appertaining. Therefore,
KNOW YE, that we, observers of the confidence manifested by our citizen electors, in
the integrity and fitness of the said Benjamin B. Peck,
and in obedience to the laws in this behalf provided: DO BY THESE PRESENTS, grant to
him the said Benjamin B. Peck,
power to exercise
and discharge all and singular the duties and trusts, under the Constitution and
Laws, in the office aforesaid incident or appertaining. TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the
same, with the immunities and emoluments thereof, during the term for which he was
elected or may lawfully continue in said office by virtue of the election aforesaid.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have caused the great seal of the Republic
to be hereunto affixed.

DONE at Washington, this
Nineteenth day of March
Anne Domini 1845, and of the Independence
of the Republic the Nineteenth

BY THE PRESIDENT.

[Signature]

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Attorney General

Certificate of Election

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