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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

CERTIFICATE

No. 14790

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS

John Matton of Porter County
Indiana

has deposited in the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE** of the United States, a Certificate of the **REGISTER OF THE LAND OFFICE** at *Minamiae* whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said

John Matton

according to the provisions of the

Act of Congress of the 24th of April, 1820, entitled "An Act making further provision for the sale of the Public Lands," for

the North West quarter of the North West
quarter of section twenty three, in township thirty
six North, of Range Seven West, of the second
principal meridian, in the district of lands
subject to sale at Minamiae Indiana,
Containing forty Acres

according to the official plat of the survey of the said Lands, returned to the General Land Office by the **SURVEYOR GENERAL**, which said tract has been purchased by the said *John Matton*

NOW KNOW YE, That the

United States of America, in consideration of the Premises, and in conformity with the several acts of Congress, in such case made and provided, **HAVE GIVEN AND GRANTED,** and by these presents **DO GIVE AND GRANT,** unto the said *John Matton*

and to his heirs, the said tract above described: **TO HAVE AND TO HOLD** the same, together with all the rights, privileges, immunities, and appurtenances of whatsoever nature, thereunto belonging, unto the said *John Matton*

and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, I, *James K. Polk*

PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, have caused these Letters to be made **PATENT,** and the **SEAL** of the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE** to be hereunto affixed.

GIVEN under my hand, at the **CITY OF WASHINGTON,** the *first* day of *July*
in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty five* and of the
INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the *Sixty* month,

BY THE PRESIDENT:

James K. Polk
By *J. Knox Walker* Sec'y.



A. McLaughlin

RECORDER of the General Land Office.