

**THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**

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CERTIFICATE }  
No. 18669 }

**To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:**

**WHEREAS** Benjamin Long of Laport County, Indiana,

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

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 West half of the South East quarter of Section thirty six, in Township thirty six, of Range five West, in the District of Lands subject to sale at Winamac, Indiana, containing eighty 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 Benjamin Long,

**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 Benjamin Long

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 Benjamin Long and to his heirs and assigns forever.

**In Testimony Whereof,** I, Zachary Taylor  
**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 tenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty nine and of the Independence of the United States the Seventy third

**BY THE PRESIDENT:** Z Taylor  
By M. McWhorter Jr. Sec'y.  
J. H. Laughlin RECORDER of the General Land Office.

