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STATE OF ALABAMA

SHELBY COUNTY



Before me, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public, in said County and State, personally appeared before me, Mary Alice Mills, who being first duly sworn, deposes and says as follows:

My name is Mary Alice Mills. I am a resident of Shelby County, Alabama, and am over the age of 19 years.

I am familiar with the following described property located near Calcis in Shelby County, Alabama.

The South half of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 28, Township 18 South, Range 2 East, less and except the following described lot: Begin at the SW corner of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 28, Township 18 South, Range 2 East; thence North 450 feet to the starting point of the following described tract of land; thence East 210 feet; thence North 210 feet; thence West 210 feet; thence South 210 feet to the starting point.

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This land was formerly owned by Ophelia Turner, who purchased it from W.C. Rich. This is reflected in a deed recorded in Deed Book 120, page 364, in the Office of the Probate Judge of Shelby County, Alabama. Since the date of that deed, April 6, 1945, until the date of her death in 1972, Mrs. Ophelia Turner was in exclusive possession of said land, holding it as her own under the deed described above. In 1972 Ophelia Turner died with no will. She had five children: May Bell Howard, Will Howard, John Henry Turner, Lessie Mae Iverson, and Otto Turner. Will Howard died around 1930. He had six children: Mary Alice Mills, daughter, John Henry Howard, son, Benny Lee Howard, son, Charlie Will Howard, son (deceased, with no children), Claudie Will Howard, daughter (deceased, with no children), and Willie Mae Howard, daughter (deceased, with no children), in the 1920's. John Henry Turner died with no children in 1971. Lessie Mae Iverson died in 1974. She had six children: Von Ciel Keller, daughter, Mattie Rowe McConico, daughter, Henrietta Riggins, daughter, Bill Mayfield, daughter, Hubert Threatt, son, and Annie Sanders. Annie Sanders died in 1974. She had one child: James Davis, son. Otto Turner died with no children in 1980.

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For the past several years, Imogene Howard, daughter of Mary Alice Mills, has paid taxes on the above described property. Said Imogene Howard now resides on said property and has lived there for the past several years. May Bell Howard has given said Imogene Howard permission to live on said property and May Bell Howard is possessing the above described property through the possession of Imogene Howard and the payment of taxes by said Imogene Howard.

This the 2nd day of ^{October}~~September~~, 1980.

Mary Alice Mills
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Shelby Cnty Judge of Probate, AL
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I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, hereby certify that Mary Alice Mills, affiant, whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day, that, being informed of the contents of this instrument, she executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 2nd day of ~~September~~ ^{October}, 1980.

W. R. Justice
Notary Public

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I CERTIFY THIS
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JUDGE OF PROBATE

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