This Instrument Was Prepared By:

Frank K. Bynum, Esquire #17 Office Park Circle Birmingham, Alabama 35223 SEND TAX NOTICE TO:

Michael J. Romano 1733 Tahiti Lane Alabaster, Alabama 35007

STATE OF ALABAMA

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON)

That in consideration of Seventy-Eight Thousand One Hundred Thirty and No/100 Dollars (\$78,130.00) to the undersigned grantor in hand paid by the Grantees herein, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Paul V. Lilly and wife, Donna L. Lilly, (herein referred to as Grantors) do grant, bargain, sell and convey unto Michael J. Romano and Denise B. Romano (herein referred to as Grantees) as joint tenants, with right of survivorship, the following described real estate, situated in the State of Alabama, County of Shelby, to-wit:

> Lot 9, in Block 5, according to the survey of Southwind, Second Sector, as recorded in Map Book 5, Page 106 in the Probate Office of Shelby County; being situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Subject to existing easements, restrictions, set back lines, rights of ways, limitations, if any, of record.

\$62,500.00 of the purchase price recited above was paid from a mortgage loan closed simultaneously herewith.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD unto the said Grantees as joint tenants, with right of survivorship, their heirs and assigns, forever; it being the intention of the parties to this conveyance, that (unless the joint tenancy hereby created is severed or terminated during the joint lives of the grantees herein) in the event one grantee herein survives the other, the entire interest in fee simple shall pass to the surviving Grantee and if one does not survive the other, then the heirs and assigns of the grantees herein shall take as tenants in common.

And we do for ourselves and for our heirs, executors, and administrators covenant with said Grantees, their heirs and assigns, that we are lawfully seized in fee simple of said premises, that they are free 🙎 🖰 from all encumbrances, unless otherwise noted above; that we have a good 🕌 🗔 right to sell and convey the same as aforesaid; that we will and my heirs, executors and administrators shall, warrant and defend the same to the ou said Grantees, their heirs, and assigns forever, against the lawful claims of all persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands and seal, day of March, 1992. this

STATE OF MARYLAND COUNTY OF HOWARD

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Paul V. Lilly and wife, Donna L. Lilly whose names are signed to the foregoing conveyance, and who are known to me acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the coptents of the conveyance, they executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 18 day of March,

COMMISSION EXPIRES JANUARY 1, 1994

My Commission Expires: