

THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY:  
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GRANTEE'S ADDRESS:  
C. Jonathan Barnette  
825 Treymoor Lake Court  
Alabaster, Alabama 35007

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
COUNTY OF SHELBY ) CORPORATION  
GENERAL WARRANTY DEED

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That, for and in consideration of One Hundred Eleven Thousand Two Hundred Fifty-Three and 00/100 (\$111,253.00) DOLLARS, and other good and valuable consideration, this day in hand paid to the undersigned GRANTOR, **Carter Homebuilders, Inc., a corporation** (hereinafter referred to as GRANTOR), the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the GRANTOR does hereby give, grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the GRANTEE, **C. Jonathan Barnette, a single individual**, (hereinafter referred to as GRANTEE), his heirs and assigns, the following described Real Estate, lying and being in the County of SHELBY, State of Alabama, to-wit:

Lot 537, according to the survey of Weatherly, Aberdeen, Sector 18, as recorded in Map Book 21 page 148, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama; being situated in Shelby County, Alabama. Mineral and mining rights excepted.

Subject to existing easements, current taxes, restrictions, set-back lines and rights of way, if any, of record.

\$100,100.00 of the above-recited purchase price was paid from a mortgage loan closed simultaneously herewith.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, the tract or parcel of land above described together with all and singular the rights, privileges, tenements, appurtenances, and improvements unto the said GRANTEE, his heirs and assigns forever.

AND SAID GRANTOR, for said GRANTOR, GRANTOR'S heirs, successors, executors and administrators, covenants with GRANTEE, and with GRANTEE'S heirs and assigns, that GRANTOR are lawfully seized in fee simple of the said Real Estate; that said Real Estate is free and clear from all Liens and Encumbrances, except as hereinabove set forth, and except for taxes due for the current and subsequent years, and except for any Restrictions pertaining to the Real Estate of record in the Probate Office of said County; and that GRANTOR will, and GRANTOR'S heirs, executors and administrators shall, warrant and defend the same to said GRANTEE, and GRANTEE'S heirs and assigns, forever against the lawful claims of all persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said GRANTOR has hereunto set his hand and seal this the 28th day of May, 1998.

Carter Homebuilders, Inc.



By: Rayburn Carter, Vice President

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
COUNTY OF SHELBY )

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, hereby certify that **Rayburn Carter**, whose name as **Vice President of Carter Homebuilders, Inc., a corporation**, 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 the Instrument, he signed his name, as such officer and with full authority, voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 28th day of May, 1998.

  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
My Commission Expires: 10/3/2001

MARK L. ROWE  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES  
10/03/2001

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10:19 AM CERTIFIED  
SHELBY COUNTY JUDGE OF PROBATE  
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