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STATE OF ALABAMA

POWER OF ATTORNEY

COUNTY OF SHELBY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That,

We, JESSE D. SLATON, and wife, RACHEL E. SLATON, of the County of Shelby, State of Alabama, have and by these presents do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint KENNETHA W. SLATON, of the County of Madison, State of Alabama, as my true and lawful Attorney-in-Fact for me and in my name and stead, to execute contracts, deeds, and any and all legal documents, to pay, to receive and receipt for all funds that may be due me from or to me for the refinance of the below described real property, to disburse said funds to or for any account owned or owed by me to refinance the below described real property for me and in my name and stead, and to execute in my name and deliver all legal papers and documents associated with the refinance of the following property being financed by Hamilton Mortgage Corporation, for a 30-year conventional mortgage, at 6.00% interest, in the approximate amount of \$99470.00, for me in my place and stead to the same extent that I might do were I present in person, hereby giving and granting unto my said Attorney-in-Fact full power and authority to do any and all acts necessary and proper in the refinance of the following described property, to-wit:

Lot 133, according to the Survey of Phase One, Hidden Creek III as recorded in Map Book 26, Page 13 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama.

Property location: 119 Hidden Creek Parkway, Pelham, AL 35124...

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until it expires by its own terms or until the person having said power receives actual notice of my death, actual notice of mental incapacity, or actual notice of any other condition, including written revocation, which would operate by law to cancel said power.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, on this the day of September, 2002.

JESSE D. SLATON

RACHEL E. SLATON

STATE OF ALABAMA COUNTY OF X

I, the undersigned notary public in and for said County and State, hereby certify that Jesse D. Slaton and wife, Rachel E. Slaton, whose name(s) is/are signed to the foregoing Power of Attorney and who is/are known to me, acknowledged before me on this date that, being informed of the contents of said Power of Attorney, he/she/they executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal this the 21st day of September, 2002.

Notary Public

My commission expires:

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES MAY 17, 2006

This Instrument Prepared By: E. Ray McKee, Jr., Attorney at Law 2317-A Market Place, Huntsville, AL 35801-5250 (256)551-0300