

RELEASE OF MORTGAGE

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF SHELBY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that THE PEOPLES BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, A CORPORATION, mortgagee under those certain mortgages executed by HAL W STAFFORD AND MARIANNE STAFFORD in favor of THE PEOPLES BANK & TRUST CO. recorded in Inst #20040107000012470, in the Office of the Probate Judge of SHELBY County, Alabama, does hereby fully discharge and release said mortgage from the lien and operation thereof or any claim of any nature or description hereunder.

Witness our hand and seal this the 22nd day of December, 2004.

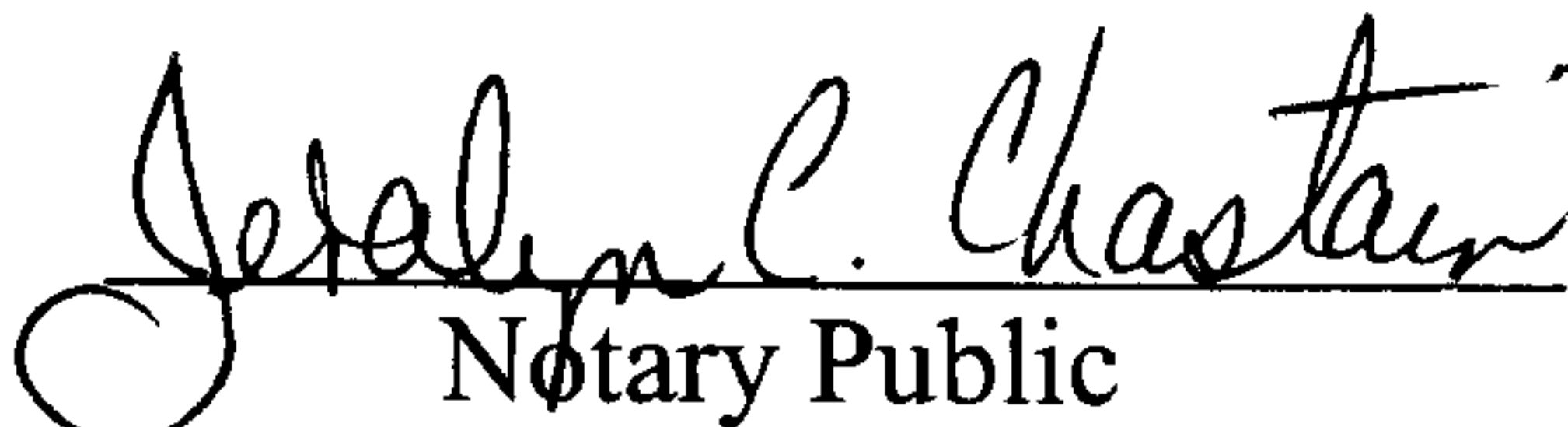
THE PEOPLES BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, A Corporation

By: 
Its: BRANCH MANAGER/CONSUMER LENDER

STATE OF ALABAMA
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I, the undersigned authority, in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that Cindy C Foster, whose name as BRANCH MANAGER/CONSUMER LENDER of THE PEOPLES BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, A CORPORATION, is signed to the foregoing conveyance, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of this conveyance, she, as such officer, and with full authority, executed the same voluntarily for and as the act of said corporation.

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 22nd day of December, 2004.


Notary Public

NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF ALABAMA AT LARGE Seal
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: Apr 14, 2007
BONDED THRU NOTARY PUBLIC UNDERWRITERS

This instrument was prepared by The Peoples Bank & Trust Co., A Corporation, 4949 Highway 17, Helena, AL 35080.