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DISCHARGE OF MORTGAGE

James B. Nutter & Company #:766264 "SPARKS" ID:177/0 Agt:0 Shelby, AL

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,
That JAMES B. NUTTER & COMPANY, hereinafter referred to as the Mortgagee, DOES HEREBY CERTIFY, that a certain Mortgage dated 09/14/2004, made and executed by STEVEN R. SPARKS AND RITA M. SPARKS, HUSBAND AND WIFE to secure payment of the principal sum of \$97,000.00 plus interest, originally to JAMES B. NUTTER & CO., in the County of SHELBY and the State of ALABAMA, Recorded 09/24/2004 as Instrument No. 20040924000527970 is now Paid and Satisfied, and is therefore discharged.

In all references in this instrument to any party, the use of a particular gender or number is intended to include the appropriate gender or number as the case may be.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Mortgagee has set his hand and has caused these presents to be signed by its duly authorized officer(s).

JAMES B. NUTTER & COMPANY On August 16, 2007

VALERIE ROACH, ASST. SECRETARY JAMES B. NUTTER AND COMPANY

STATE OF Missouri COUNTY OF Clay

ON August 16, 2007, before me, S. J. HACKNEY, a Notary Public in and for the County of Clay County, State of Missouri, personally appeared VALERIE ROACH, ASST. SECRETARY JAMES B. NUTTER AND COMPANY, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity, and that by his/her/their signature on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

S. HACKNEY

Notary Expires: 06/1/3/2009 #05403883

S. J. HACKNEY

Catary Public - Notary Seal

STATE OF MISSOURI

Clay County

Commission Expires: June 13, 2009

Commission # 05403883

(This area for notarial seal)

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