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STATE OF ALABAMA
SHELBY COUNTY

Personally appeared before me, and for said County, in said State, Willie Coats, who, is personally known to me, who after being first by me duly sworn according to law to speak the truth deposes and says:

My name is Willie Coats. I am 54 years of age and reside near Pelham, Alabama and have all of my life. I am well acquainted with the lands hereinafter described and the facts stated in this affidavit. I am a son of M.S. Coats and Mamie Coats, mortgagees in that certain mortgage executed by L.C. Collum and wife Issie Collum, dated September 1, 1945 and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 185, page 367, to secure an indebtedness of Seven Hundred Fifty and no/100 Dollars, due on September 1, 1946.

I know of my own personal knowledge that this indebtedness was paid in full to my father, M.S. Coats before his death, which occurred February 29, 1949. There has been no administration of his estate, as there was no need, there being no debts to be paid and no personal property to be collected. My mother, Mamie Coats is still living, but she is physically and mentally unable to satisfy this mortgage and there is no guardian to represent her, so there is no one at this time who has any authority to satisfy this mortgage of record. The mortgage itself and the notes secured by it were delivered to Mr. L.C. Collum by my father at the time of payment of this debt.

I am also acquainted with that certain mortgage and my father, M.S. Coats executed by L.C. Collum to my mother Mamie Coats/on April 4, 1947, to secure an indebtedness of Three Hundred Eighteen and no/100 Dollars, due April 4, 1948, which is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Mortgage

Book 185, page 559. I know of my own personal knowledge that the indebtedness of said mortgage was paid to my mother, the said Mamie Coats after my father's death and that said mortgage was delivered by my mother to the said L.C. Collum. As above stated, my mother is physically and mentally unable to satisfy this mortgage, she, being in a low state of health and confined to her bed and there is no one with authority to satisfy this mortgage.

The lands described in both of said mortgages is described as follows, to-wit:

Northeast Quarter of Southwest Quarter and Northwest Quarter of Southeast Quarter of Section 18, Township 20, Range 2 West, containing 68 acres, more or less, situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

My father's heirs are Ronnie Coats, Kenneth Coats and myself and I know of my own personal knowledge that none of the three have ever or are now claiming any right, title or interest in or to the above described land.

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Sworn to and subscribed before me on this // day of pred, 1954.

STATE OF ALABAMA, SHELBY COUNTY

I, L.C. Walker, Judge of Propate, hereby certify that the within was filed for record the day of lay been paid.

Deed Tax of haz been paid.

Judge of Probate