STATE OF ALABAMA

SHELBY COUNTY

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Before me, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared JOHNNY JONES, who, after being by me first duly sworn to speak the truth deposes and says as follows:

My name is Johnny Jones and I am the son of Jesse Jones, Deceased. Jesse Jones died without leaving a Last Will and Testament on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of August 19 48. Stanford Jones, Nelma Jones, Freeman Jones, Ed Jones, Jesse Jones, Annie Jones, Irene Jones Guin, Bernice Jones Higgins, James Harold Jones, Evaugh Jones Horton, Carroll Jones, Virgil Jones, Johnny Edward Jones, Louis Earl Jones, Johnny Jones and Barbara Ann Jones Merrill constituted all of the children and all of the other heirs of Jesse Jones on October 21, 1966. There were no other heirs, children, children of deceased children, grand-children, or great grand-children of the said Jesse Jones who would have been his heirs at said time.

I am familiar with the property which was described in those certain deeds recorded in Deed Book 245, page 705; Deed Book 245, page 709, and Deed Book 245, page 713. This was a part of the forty acres of the land which was owned by Jesse Jones at the time of his decease. There has never been any dispute whatsoever concerning the occupation, ownership or possession of any part of said forty acres which is otherwise described as the NW2 of the SE2 of Section 23, Township 24, Range 15 East, Shelby County, Alabama. No other person, firm, or corporation has ever asserted any right, title or interest in and to said land or any part thereof or been in possession of the same or any part thereof other than the heirs of Jesse Jones as have been hereinabove identified.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this /고 day of May, 1977.

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JUDGE OF PROBATE

<u>Aance, K. Farmer</u> Notary Public

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