THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY:

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ADDRESS: 110 Green Springs Hwy Homewood, A1 35209

MORTGAGE— 239

State of Alabama

Shelby COUNTY

Know All Men By These Presents, that whereas the undersigned

Anoth All Men By These Presents, that whereas the undersigned A. B. Owens and wife, Sue Owens justly indebted to FinanceAmerica Corporation

in the sum of Twenty-five thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine dollars and 85/100 evidenced by a promissory note of even date executed herewith (\$25,999.85)

and whereas it is desired by the undersigned to secure the prompt payment of said indebtedness with interest when the same falls due. 2/15/82 and each month the reafter until balance is paid in full

Mom Cherefore in consideration of the said indebtedness, and to secure the prompt payment of the same at maturity, the undersigned.

A.B. Owens and wife, Sue Owens

do, or does, hereby grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the said.

FinanceAmerica Corporation

(hereinafter called Mortgagee) the following described real property situated in.

Shelby

County, Alabama, to-wit:

All that part of the SE% of SW% of Section 29, Township 21 South, Range 1 Hest, that lies South of the Southern Railroad right of way and North of an old lane as it existed between M. H. B. Jones and John E. Dykes, being 10 acres more or less. Situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Said property is warranted free from all incumbrances and against any adverse claims.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the above granted premises unto the said Mortgagee forever; and for the purpose of further securing the payment of said indebtedness, the undersigned, agrees to pay all taxes, or assessments, when legally imposed upon said premises, and should default be made in the payment of same, said Mortgagee has the option of paying off the same; and to further secure said indebtedness, the undersigned agrees to keep the improvements on said real estate insured against loss or damage by fire, lightning and tornado for the reasonable insurable value thereof, in companies satisfactory to the Mortgagee, with loss, if any, payable to said Mortgagee, as the interest of said Mortgagee may appear, and promptly to deliver said policies, or any renewals of said policies, to said Mortgagee; and if undersigned fail to keep said property insured as above specified, or fail to deliver said insurance policies to said Mortgagee then said Mortgagee has the option of insuring said property for said sum for the benefit of said Mortgagee, the policy, if collected, to be credited on said indebtedness, less cost of collecting same; all amounts so expended by said Mortgagee for taxes, assessments or insurance, shall become a debt to said Mortgagee, additional to the debt hereby specially secured, and shall be covered by this mortgage, and bear interest from the date of payment by said Mortgagee, and be at once due and payable.

Upon condition, however, that if the said Mortgagor pays indebtedness, and reimburses said Mortgagee for any amounts Mortgagee may have expended for taxes, assessments and insurance, and the interest thereon, then this coveyance to be null and void, but should default be made in the payment of any sum expended by the said Mortgagee, or should said indebtedness hereby secured, or any part thereof, or the interest thereon, remain unpaid at maturity, or should the interest of said Mortgagee in said property become indangered by teason of the enforcement of any prior hen or incumbrance thereon, so as to endanger the debt hereby secured, or if any statement of lien is filed under the Statutes or Alabama relating to the lien or incumbrance and materialmen without regard to form and contents of such statement and without regard to the existence or non-existence of the debt or any part thereof or of the lien on which such statement is based, then in any one of said events, the whole of said indebtedness hereby secured shall at once become due and payable, and this mortgage he subject to foreclosure as now provided by law in case or past due mortgages, and the said Mortgagee shall be authorized to take possession of the premises hereby conveyed and with or without first taking possession, after giving twenty-one days notice by publishing once a week for three consecutive weeks, the time, place and terms of sale, in some newspaper published in anid County and State, to sell the same in lots or parcels, or en masse, as Mortgagee may deem best, in front of the Court House door in said County, an public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash and apply the proceeds of said sale; First, to the expense of advertising, selling and conveying, including attorney's fees not to exceed lifteen percent (15%); Second, to the payment of any amounts that may have been expended, or that it may be necessary then to expend in paying insurance, taxes, or other incumbrance, with interest thereon; Third, to the payment of said indebtedness

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in full, whether the same shall or shall not have fully matured, at the date of said sale, but no interest shall be collected beyond the day of sale; and Fourth, the remainder, if any, to be turned over to the said Morrgagor; and the undersigned, further agree that said Morrgagee may hid at said sale and purchase said property, if the highest hidder therefor, as though a stranger hereto, and the person acting as auctioneer at such sale is hereby authorized and empowered to execute a deed to the purchaser thereof in the same of the Mortgagor by such auctioneer as agent, or attorney in fact; and understanced further agree to pay a reasonable attorney's fee to said Mortgagee for the foreclosure of this mortgage in Chancery, should the same be so foreclosed, said fee to be part of the debt hereto secured. It is expressly understood that the word "Mortgagee" whenever used in this mortgage refers to the person, or to the persons, or to the corporation named as grantee or grantees in the granting clause herein. Any estate or interest herein conveyed to said Mortgagee, or any right or power granted to said Mortgagee in or by this mortgage is hereby expressly conveyed and granted to the heirs, and agents, and assigns, of said Mortgagee, or to the successors and agents and assigns of said Mortgagee, if a corporation, IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals on this the. 7th day of. January WITNESSES: A. B. Owens (husband) . (Seal) . (Seal)(Seal) Alabama STATE OF General Acknowledgement County Shelby . Kathy L. McElroy I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that A. B. Owens and wife Sue Owens whose name S are signed to the foregoing conveyance, and who are known to me, acknowledged before me on this day, that being informed of the contents of the conveyance they executed the same voluntarily on the day the same beats date. Notary public. **BCOX** STATE O Corporate Acknowledgement COUNT 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 the conveyance, he, as such officer and with full authority, executed the same voluntarily for and as the act of said corporation. Notary Public. ffice of the Judge of Probate A. B. and Finance/1 110 Green Homewood, STATE OF Columbia Return to Shelby Route