

MERCHANTS & PLANTERS BANK

P. O. Box 250, Montevallo, Alabama 35115

STATE OF ALABAMA }
COUNTY OF Shelby }

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That this mortgage made and entered into on the day the same bears date by and between Lewis Raymond Knowles and wife Linda L. Knowles (hereinafter called "Mortgagors," whether one or more) and MERCHANTS & PLANTERS BANK, Montevallo, Alabama, a corporation (hereinafter called "Mortgagee"), WITNESSETH:

Whereas, Mortgagors are justly indebted to Mortgagee in the sum of

Eighty thousand and no/100----- Dollars
(\$ 80,000.00), evidenced by promissory note bearing even date with this instrument, and due and payable in accordance with the terms of said note; and,

Whereas, Mortgagors agreed, in incurring said indebtedness, that this mortgage should be given to secure the prompt payment thereof, as well as any extensions or renewals of said indebtedness or any part or portion thereof; and,

Whereas, Mortgagors may be or hereafter become further indebted to Mortgagee as may be evidenced by promissory note or notes or otherwise, and it is the intent of the parties hereto that this mortgage shall secure any and all indebtednesses of Mortgagors to Mortgagee, whether now existing or hereafter arising, due or to become due, absolute or contingent, liquidated or unliquidated, direct or indirect, and this mortgage is to secure not only the indebtedness evidenced by the note hereinabove specifically referred to, but any and all other debts, obligations or liabilities of Mortgagors to Mortgagee, now existing or hereafter arising, and any and all extensions or renewals of same, or any part thereof, whether evidenced by note, open account, endorsement, guaranty, pledge or otherwise.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises, said Mortgagors, and all others executing this mortgage, do hereby grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the Mortgagee the following described real estate, together with all improvements thereon and appurtenances thereto, situated in Shelby County, State of Alabama, to wit:

A part or parcel of land situated in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 23 and in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 14, all in Township 22 South, Range 3 West, and described as follows: Begin at the intersection of NW border of Highway 12 and the South side of said Section 14; thence South 39 deg. 50 min. West along Highway border 670 feet; thence North 38 deg. 46 min. West 663.36 feet to SW corner of Section 14; thence North 4 deg. 02 min. West 1092.4 feet; thence South 73 deg. 13 min. East 706.0 feet; thence South 4 deg. 38 min. East 890.12 feet; thence South 89 deg. 53 min. East 172.22 feet to a point of beginning; being situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

LESS AND EXCEPT the following described parcels:

A portion of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 23, Township 22 South, Range 3 West, described as beginning at the intersection of the NW right of way of Shelby County Road No. 12 with the North side of Section 23, Township 22 South, Range 3 West and run southwesterly along the said NW right of way for 63.39 feet, then turn an angle of 90 deg. 00 min. to the right and run northwesterly for 76.30 feet, then turn an angle of 140 deg. 17 min. to the right and run easterly for 99.20 feet back to the point of beginning.

A parcel of land situated part in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 14 and part in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 23, Township 22 South, Range 3 West, Shelby County, Alabama, more particularly described as follows: Begin at the SW corner of Section 14 and go south 3 deg. 17 min. East for 114.93 feet to a point on a curve to the left, said curve being subtended by a chord bearing South 65 deg. 32 min. East for 75.54 feet; thence along this curve for 77.05 feet; thence South 45 deg. 51 min. East for 84.46 feet; thence North 47 deg. 33 min. East for 492.60 feet; thence North 36 deg. 33 min. West for 679.02 feet to the center of Spring Creek; thence along the center of Spring Creek as follows: South 36 deg. 46 min. West for 67.93 feet; thence South 83 deg. 53 min. West 42.02 feet; thence South 21 deg. 30 min. West for 83.83 feet; thence South 12 deg. 21 min. East for 54.31 feet; thence South 41 deg. 20 min. West for 27.38 feet to a point where the center line of Spring Creek intersects the West boundary of Section 14; thence South 3 deg. 17 min. East along this boundary for 456.94 feet to the point of beginning. Being situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Said real estate is warranted free from all encumbrances and Mortgagors warrant the same against any adverse claims, except as stated above.

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To Have And To Hold the above granted property unto the said Mortgagee, Mortgagee's successors, heirs, and assigns forever; and for the purpose of further securing the payment of said indebtedness and any other indebtedness or indebtednesses secured by this mortgage, the undersigned agrees to pay all taxes or assessments when imposed legally upon said premises, and should default be made in the payment of same, the said Mortgagee, may at Mortgagee's option pay off the same; and to further secure said indebtedness and any other indebtedness or indebtednesses secured by this mortgage, undersigned agrees to keep the improvements on said real estate insured against loss or damage by fire, lightning and tornado for the fair and reasonable insurable value thereof, in companies satisfactory to the Mortgagee, with loss, if any, payable to said Mortgagee, as Mortgagee's interest may appear, and to promptly deliver said policies, or any renewal 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 the said Mortgagee, or assigns, may at Mortgagee's option insure said property for said sum, for Mortgagee's own benefit, 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 or assigns, additional to the debt hereby specially secured and any other indebtedness or indebtednesses secured by this mortgage, and shall be covered by this Mortgage, and bear interest from date of payment by said Mortgagee, or assigns, and be at once due and payable.

Upon condition, however, that if the said Mortgagors pay said promissory note and any renewals or extensions thereof, and pay all other indebtedness or indebtednesses secured by this mortgage, as hereinabove generally referred to, and if said Mortgagors reimburse said Mortgagee or assigns for any amounts Mortgagee may have expended for taxes, assessments, and insurance, and interest thereon, then this conveyance to be null and void; but should default be made in the payment of any sum expended by the said Mortgagee or assigns, or should said indebtedness evidenced by said promissory note or any other indebtedness or indebtednesses hereby secured, or any part thereof, or the interest thereon, remain unpaid at maturity, or should the interest of said Mortgagee or assigns in said property become endangered by reason of the enforcement of any prior lien or encumbrance thereon, so as to endanger the debt hereby secured, then in any one of said events, the whole of said indebtedness hereby secured shall at once become due and payable, and this mortgage be subject to foreclosure as now provided by law in case of past due mortgages, and the said Mortgagee, agents or assigns, 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, by publication in some newspaper published in said County and State, sell the same in lots or parcels or en masse as Mortgagee, agents or assigns deem best, in front of the Court House door of said County, (or the division thereof) where said property is located, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, and apply the proceeds of the sale: First, to the expense of advertising, selling and conveying, including a reasonable attorney's fee; Second, to the payment of any amounts that may have been expended, or that it may then be necessary to expend, in paying insurance, taxes, or other encumbrances, with interest thereon; Third, to the payment of said indebtedness 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 balance, if any, to be turned over to the said Mortgagors and undersigned further agree that said Mortgagee, agents or assigns may bid at said sale and purchase said property, if the highest bidder therefor; and undersigned further agree to pay a reasonable attorney's fee to said Mortgagee or assigns, for the foreclosure of this mortgage by Court action, should the same be so foreclosed, said fee to be a part of the debt hereby secured.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Mortgagors

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have hereunto set their signature and seal, this 4th day of June, 1983
1983 JUN -6 PM 12:48
Rec 300
Ind 100
12400
Lewis Raymond Knowles (SEAL)
Linda L. Knowles (SEAL)
(SEAL)

THE STATE of Alabama
Shelby COUNTY
I, the undersigned, Lewis Raymond Knowles and wife Linda L. Knowles, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that

whose names 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 bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal this 4th day of June, 1983
My Commission Expires September 14, 1984
Notary Public.

THE STATE of
COUNTY
I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that

whose name as of 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 such conveyance, he, 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 day of, 19
Notary Public

Return to:

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MORTGAGE