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This instrument prepared by:
Arthur K. Lowen;
11th Floor, Third National Bank Bldg.
Nashville, TN 37219

CLAIM OF OWNERSHIP

TO: Jim Gamble and James L. Clayton 600 West Crest Est. Hueytown, Ala. 35023

Take notice that the undersigned, ARTHUR K. LOWEN, TRUSTEE, (with full power to sell, transfer, convey, mortgage and encumber without joinder of any beneficiary) claims fee simple ownership of certain real estate in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

That part of Lot 22 Block A per Nickerson's Addition to Alabaster lying Southwest of U. S. Highway 31 located in the municipality of Alabaster, in Section 1 Township 21 South Range 3 West. Map of Nickerson's Addition is recorded in Map Book 3, Page 69.

This parcel is shown on the Tax Assessor's map as 23 1 01 3 002 010.

Being the same property purportedly conveyed to the said Jim Gamble and James L. Clayton by quitclaim deed from Sherman Holland, Jr., of record in Book 131, Page 705, Probate Office for Shelby County, Alabama. Said "conveyance" was preceded by a void "conveyance" based upon an invalid tax sale by the State of Alabama.

Said tax sale resulted from a decree of the Probate Court of Shelby County, Alabama against "Unknown Owner". In fact, the owner was of record and was not made a party to such proceedings, and taxes were fully paid at the time of such decree. No divestment of title from the undersigned's predecessors in title was ever accomplished.

ARTHUR K. LOWEN

11TH FLOOR, THIRD NATIONAL BANK BUILDING
201 FOURTH AVE. NORTH
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE 37219

The claim of the undersigned is based upon the quitclaim deed from Gabe J. Tolan and wife Beverly Tolan, of record in Book 126, Page 52, said Probate Office, and preceding conveyances of record.

Submitted for recording this the $30^{t^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ day of $\sqrt{J_0 J_0}$

Arthur K. Lowen, Trustee

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STATE OF TENNESSEE COUNTY OF DAVIDSON

Personally appeared before me, <u>little K Souven</u>, with whom I am personally acquainted, and who acknowledged that he executed the within instrument for the purposes therein contained.

Witness my hand, at office, this 30 day of July, 1987.

Judy L. Rockenwock
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My Commission Expires:

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