Send Tax Notice To: Stephen Hess 916 Masters Lane Birmingham, AL 35244

This Instrument Was Prepared By:

Frank K. Bynum, Esquire 2100 16th Avenue, South Birmingham, Alabama 35205

STATE OF ALABAMA

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,

COUNTY OF SHELBY

That in consideration of THREE HUNDRED SIXTY THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED NINE AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$360,509.00) to the undersigned grantor, CRESTWOOD HOMES, INC., a corporation, (herein referred to as GRANTOR), in hand paid by the Grantees herein, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledge, the said GRANTOR does by these presents, grant, bargain, sell and convey unto STEPHEN CHARLES HESS AND LINDA HESS (herein referred to as Grantees) as joint tenants, with right of survivorship, the following described real estate, situated in the State of Alabama, County of Shelby, to-wit:

Lot 57, according to the Survey of Heatherwood, 4th Sector, 1st Addition, as recorded in map Book 11, Pages 32 and 33 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama.

Subject to existing easements, restrictions, set back lines, rights of ways, limitations, if any, of record.

\$278,400.00 of the purchase price recited above was paid from a mortgage loan closed simultaneously herewith.

tenants, with right of survivorship, their heirs and assigns, forever; it being the intention of the parties to this conveyance, that (unless the joint tenancy hereby created is severed or terminated during the joint lives of the grantees herein) in the event one grantee herein survives the other, the entire interest in fee simple shall pass to the surviving Grantee and if one does not survive the other, then the heirs and assigns of the grantees herein shall take as tenants in common.

And said Grantor does for itself, its successors and assigns, covenant with said GRANTEES, their heirs and assigns, that is lawfully seized in fee simple of said premises, that they are free from all encumbrances, that it has a good right to sell and convey the same as aforesaid, and that it will and its successors and assigns shall, warrant and defend the same to the said GRANTEES, their heirs, executors and assigns forever, against the lawful claims of all persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, CRESTWOOD HOMES, INC., the said GRANTOR, by its President, B. J. JACKSON who is authorized to execute this conveyance, has hereto set its signature and seal, this 25th day of August, 1988.

CRESTWOOD HOMES, TNC.

By: Jackson, President

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STATE OF ALABAMA

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON)

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that B. J. JACKSON whose name as President of CRESTWOOD HOMES, INC., 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,

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 25th day of August, 1988.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: //-20-88

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STATE OF ALA. SHILL!

I CERTIFY THIS

INSTRUMENT WAS FILL.

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JUDGE OF PROBATE

\$ 82.50 1. Deod Tax

2. Mitg. Tax

3. Recording Fae. 5.50

4. Indexing Fee 1.00

TOTAL

28.50