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This Agreement executed in fifteen (15) original counterparts.

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SHELBY COUNTY JUDGE OF PROBATE

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STATE OF ALABAMA

COUNTIES OF CALHOUN, CHILTON,
DALE, DALLAS, ESCAMBIA, ETOWAH,
HOUSTON, JEFFERSON, MOBILE,
MONTGOMERY, SHELBY AND TUSCALOOSA

PERPETUAL NONEXCLUSIVE EASEMENT AGREEMENT

GRANT OF NONEXCLUSIVE EASEMENT

Each Railroad, for and in consideration of the sum of TEN AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, to them collectively in hand paid by Utility, the receipt of which

^{*}The provisions of this Agreement were drafted by both parties through the course of negotiation. This Agreement shall be construed without reference to any principle regarding construing a contract against the drafter thereof.

is hereby acknowledged, and of the covenants and agreements hereinafter made and contained on the part of Utility to be kept and performed, hereby BARGAINS, GRANTS and CONVEYS, insofar as the quality of its title and the quality of its exclusive possessory interest enable it so to do, unto Utility, a PERPETUAL NONEXCLUSIVE EASEMENT, hereinafter the "Easement", extending approximately 22.2 total miles, upon, over, across and along, as the case may be, the railroad tracks, right-of-way, and property owned, controlled or operated by each Railroad, its successors or assigns, as shown on Exhibits "APC-1" through "APC-42" (APC-40 intentionally omitted), attached hereto and incorporated herein, hereinafter individually and collectively sometimes referred to as "Corridor", solely for the continued use and maintenance, operation, repair, renewal, improvement, construction, alteration, enlargement, replacement or removal of forty-one (41) separate existing occupancies for aerial longitudinal placements of certain electrical transmission (not to exceed 161 KV), distribution and existing communications equipment and other facilities (portions of which facilities may be used by others), including overhead cables, lines, conduits, wires, fiber optics and similar structures, materials or uses, together with poles, anchors, guys and appurtenant equipment, facilities and attachments associated therewith, hereinafter collectively referred to as "Utility Facilities", together with reasonable rights of access thereto, and located in the following counties within the State of Alabama:

County	Exhibit No(s).
Calhoun	APC-8
Chilton	APC-13, APC-30 and APC-42
Dale	APC-7; APC-17 and APC-33
Dallas	APC-10; APC-11 and APC-21
Escambia	
Etowah	APC-1 and APC-12
Houston	
Jefferson	APC-2; APC-3; APC-4; APC-23; APC-
	25; APC-28; APC-29; APC-32; APC-34
	and APC-36
Mobile	APC-5; APC-19; APC-22 and APC-27
Montgomery	APC-6; APC-14; APC-15; APC-16; APC-
	18; APC-31; APC-35; APC-39 and
	APC-41
Shelby	APC-24
Tuscaloosa	

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It is the explicit intention of Railroad and Utility that this Agreement shall permit and cover all existing longitudinal occupations by Utility of Railroad's real estate, whether Railroad's interest therein be in fee simple, easement or otherwise, and all such existing longitudinal occupations (excluding, however,

crossings not connected to or integrated into such longitudinal occupations) not described herein, whether known or unknown, shall be also deemed included in and subject to this Agreement without further documentation or additional consideration.

EXCEPTING and RESERVING unto Railroad, the successors and assigns of each: (1) the paramount right, subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, to continue to occupy, possess and use the Corridor in which the Easement is imposed for any and all railroad purposes consistent with Railroad's operations and needs, including but not limited to the right to construct, reconstruct, relocate, operate, maintain, repair, renew, replace and remove Railroad's tracks, signals, wires and other railroad facilities as now exist or which may in the future be located in, upon, over, under or across the Corridor; and (2) the right to grant crossings and other nonexclusive wireline or pipeline longitudinal occupations of the Corridor; PROVIDED that the same shall not interfere with the present or future use of the Utility Facilities, Easement or Corridor by Utility as herein or later permitted by Railroad.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD said Nonexclusive Easement, together with reasonable rights of access thereto, for so long as Utility uses and maintains the Utility Facilities therein; SUBJECT, however (except as otherwise provided in Section 22(B) of this Agreement), to any existing railroad facilities, public utilities, and other wireline, fiber optic or pipeline facilities located in, on, over, under or across the Corridor, and to all existing instruments, agreements, easements and rights therefor, whether recorded or not (or any such facilities constructed by Railroad in the future under and in accordance with the terms and requirements of this Agreement).

Railroad and Utility further agree as follows:

1. ALTERATION, LIMITS:

No alteration or expansion shall be made to the Utility Facilities shown on said Exhibits, including but not limited to change in number, use, location, nature, diameter or capacity of wire (in excess of 10% increase), voltage capacity in excess of 161 KV), without the prior written consent of Railroad, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. As used herein, the term "occupancy" shall mean the affixation of any Facility to the land within the Corridor. No additional consideration shall be paid unless the expansion of the voltage is increased to exceed 161 KV.

2. NEW OR RE-CONSTRUCTION, LIMITS:

(A) Utility shall not commence any new construction, renewal, relocation, expansion, replacement or removal of existing

Utility Facilities (except in case of emergency in which event, time permitting, only notice by telephone shall be required), unless and until the methods and mechanics of accomplishing such work (as contrasted with project approval required under Section 1 above) have received the approval of Railroad, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed.

(B) Railroad and Utility agree that all future approved longitudinal easements and placements of Utility Facilities upon, over, under, across and along, as the case may be, railroad tracks, right-of-way, and property owned, controlled or operated by Railroad, its successors or assigns, within Alabama, shall be under the terms and conditions of this Agreement, and shall be evidenced by separate agreements similar to this Agreement or by supplements hereto upon agreement as to specific consideration for such easements and placements of Utility Facilities. Unless otherwise agreed, communication equipment placed on future approved longitudinal easements will be limited to communication equipment for internal communications, that is, communications between, among, by or to entities which own or are owned by or under common control with Utility. The determination of such additional consideration shall be made in accordance with the separate Compensation Agreement between Railroad and Utility dated the date hereof.

3. PLAN SPECIFICATIONS; REVIEW; APPROVAL:

- (A) Railroad's consent and approval under Sections 1 and 2 shall be conditioned upon receipt of all plans, data and specifications therefor and the compliance of same with the standards described in this Section and Sections 4 and 7. Railroad shall not unreasonably delay its review of Utility's plans, and Railroad shall inform Utility of its consent or of the necessity of changes to such plans within thirty (30) days after Railroad has been furnished with all necessary information requested by Railroad.
- (B) Utility's design and construction plans and specifications shall comply with the applicable specifications and standards of the National Electrical Safety Code (NESC) and the Joint Committee Report of the Association of American Railroads (AAR) and the Edison Institute, last revised September 1977, as amended from time to time.
- (C) However, if any governmental authority having jurisdiction over the Utility Facilities and/or over Railroad's rail operations has determined the manner and/or means of installation, maintenance, repair, alteration, renewal, expansion, relocation, replacement or removal of such Utility Facilities,

then such determination shall prevail, and Utility agrees to comply therewith at Utility's sole cost and expense.

4. RAIL SAFETY; RIGHT-OF-WAY CLEARANCE:

- (A) All installation, maintenance, repair, alteration, relocation, replacement, renewal and use of the Utility Facilities shall be done under general conditions satisfactory to and approved by Railroad (which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed) and shall not interfere with the proper and safe use and operation of the rail property or operations of Railroad.
- (B) When performing any work in connection with the Utility Facilities, Utility shall take all steps reasonably necessary to keep persons, equipment and materials a safe distance from the tracks of Railroad, including (if necessary) furnishing properly trained and railroad safety rule qualified watchers or flaggers to the work site or pay Railroad's cost to furnish same as herein provided.
- (C) In addition to but not in limitation of Section 4(B), if at any time Railroad reasonably deems flaggers, watchers or inspectors necessary to protect Railroad's operations, property, employees, patrons, or licensees, during any work on the Utility Facilities in the Corridor, Railroad, after first providing notice to Utility of its proposed action, shall have the right to place such flaggers, watchers or inspectors, properly trained and railroad safety rule qualified, at the sole cost and expense of Utility.
- (D) For the purpose of liability and risk assumption (only), all flaggers, watchers or inspectors shall be deemed to be the sole contractors of Utility while so furnished and engaged, except for liability or risk due to the willful misconduct, gross negligence or sole negligence of Railroad.

5. MAINTENANCE, REPAIRS:

- (A) Utility shall maintain, repair and renew the Utility Facilities in accordance with Sections 2, 3 and 4 of this Agreement, at Utility's sole cost.
- (B) However, if Utility fails to make such repairs or renewals, then Railroad, to protect and safeguard its property, traffic, patrons or employees from damage or injury, after first providing notice to Utility of its proposed action, may contract with a qualified licensed electrical contractor to make such necessary repairs and renewals, all at the sole cost and expense of Utility.

6. PERMITS, LICENSES:

Before any installation is performed, or before use by Utility of the Corridor for the contracted purpose, Utility, at its sole cost and expense, shall obtain any necessary permits or licenses from all federal, state or local public authorities having jurisdiction over the Easement or its intended use, and shall thereafter observe and comply with the requirements of such public authorities, and all applicable laws and regulations and future modifications thereof.

7. REGULATORY COMPLIANCE:

Utility shall comply with all statutes, regulations, orders, directives, ordinances and similar promulgations of law applicable to its use and operation of the Utility Facilities, and assumes all cost, expense and responsibility in connection therewith, without any liability therefor on the part of Railroad.

8. RISK, LIABILITY, INDEMNITY:

- (A) As part of the consideration for this Agreement, Utility waives any right to seek or claim any direct or consequential damages for any loss of or damage to Utility Facilities or other property of Utility which may result from Railroad's rail operations (including fire or derailment), EXCEPT loss or damages due to Railroad's willful misconduct or gross negligence. For this Section only the term "Utility Facilities" shall include any vehicles, equipment or other personal property of any contractor, subcontractor or licensee of Utility or any other third party, which are on the right-of-way by request of or for the sole benefit of Utility.
- (B) As part of the consideration for this Agreement, Utility agrees to waive and/or assume any claims of Workmen's Compensation subrogation for employees of Utility or Utility's contractors EXCEPT for claims due to Railroad's willful misconduct or gross negligence.
- (C) Utility hereby assumes, and shall at all times hereafter defend, indemnify and save Railroad harmless from and against any and all liability, loss, claim, suit, damage, charge or expense (including attorney fees) which Railroad may suffer, sustain, incur or in any way be subjected to, on account of death of or injury to any person whomsoever (including officers, agents, employees or invitees of Railroad and property of Railroad), and for damage to or loss of or destruction of any property whatsoever (except Utility Facilities above), arising out of or resulting from the construction, reconstruction, renewal, replacement, presence,

existence, operation or use of Utility Facilities, or removal of the Utility Facilities or restoration of premises of Railroad to good order or condition after removal, EXCEPT when caused by the willful misconduct, gross negligence or sole negligence of Railroad.

- (D) Railroad shall indemnify and save harmless Utility from and against any and all liability, loss, claim, suit, cost, damage, charge and expense including attorney fees which Utility may suffer, sustain or incur on account of the death of or injury to any person(s) whomsoever and for the destruction or loss of or damage to any property whatsoever caused by, resulting from, or arising out of Railroad's willful misconduct, gross negligence or sole negligence.
- (E) If a claim or action is made or brought against Railroad or Utility ("Indemnitee"), for which the other party ("Indemnitor") may be responsible hereunder, in whole or in part, such Indemnitor shall be promptly notified, and shall thereafter be permitted to participate in the handling of such claim or action. In the event an Indemnitor shall acknowledge complete responsibility for the relief sought in any such claim or action, such Indemnitor shall be entitled to determine all matters regarding the defense thereof.

9. INSURANCE:

- (A) Prior to commencement of any new construction, or any reconstruction, replacement, demolition or removal of the Utility Facilities covered by this Agreement, within fifty feet (50') of any operated railroad track(s) or affecting any railroad bridge, trestle, tunnel, track(s), roadbed, overpass or underpass, Utility shall (1) notify Railroad and (2) procure and maintain, at its sole cost and expense, a policy of Railroad Protective Liability (RPL) Insurance, subject to Utility's standard deductibles, naming Railroad as insured, with coverage of not less than TWO MILLION DOLLARS (\$2,000,000) Combined Single Limited per occurrence and SIX MILLION DOLLARS (\$6,000,000) aggregate for bodily injury liability and property damage liability.
- (B) As the alternative to the Paragraph (A) requirement, Utility may elect to pay to Railroad the then-applicable sum (currently, \$225.00) to cover the cost of adding such new construction, or any reconstruction, replacement, demolition or removal to Railroad's existing (then current) blanket Railroad Protective Liability (RPL) Policy for such period of actual construction or demolition.
- (C) As an alternative to the Paragraph (A) or (B) requirements, Utility may secure a permanent Railroad Protective

<u>Liability (RPL)</u> Policy, or Master Equivalent Endorsement, subject to Utility's standard deductibles, through its utility industry mutual insurance (AEGIS Fund); provided such policy or endorsement is first provided to Railroad and approved by Railroad's Director-Casualty Insurance and further provided that a copy of said policy or endorsement is furnished annually to said Director-Casualty Insurance.

10. INDUCTIVE INTERFERENCE:

- (A) The Utility Facilities covered hereunder have generally been in place many years, and under Railroad's and Utility's current modes of operation there is no known interference with the facilities or operation, use or maintenance of either party by/from the facilities of either party or of those of any other rail carrier using the Corridor.
- (B) Utility waives any claim for any electrical or inductive interference with the operation, use, maintenance or repair of Utility Facilities by existing or future facilities of Railroad (or any other rail carrier using the Corridor); and Railroad shall not be in any way responsible therefor.
- (C) However, if the future operation or use of Utility Facilities or the use of the Corridor by Utility is reasonably determined by any governmental agency regulating rail carriers, or by Railroad (or by any other rail carrier using Railroad's Corridor), to be causing electrical or inductive interference or any other kind of physical, technical or energetic interference with any Railroad facilities in the Corridor (especially Railroad's communication, signal, train control, grade crossing safety and/or interlockings systems), which facilities or types of facilities are usually and ordinarily accepted in the railroad industry, Utility, at its sole cost and expense, shall take immediate measures to adequately eliminate or prevent any such interference.
- (D) Railroad shall promptly provide Utility with the results of any test(s) procured by or furnished to Railroad, in order that Utility may verify, for its own purposes, the results of such test(s). At the request of and in cooperation with Railroad, Utility, at Utility's own sole cost, shall make tests (as often as Railroad reasonably shall deem necessary) on Utility Facilities and on Railroad facilities, in order to determine the cause of any such electrical, inductive, technical, physical or energetic interference. Utility shall also provide Railroad with the results of any tests secured by Utility, to verify same.
- (E) The measures which Utility may take in order to eliminate any form(s) of electrical or inductive interference as

described in Paragraph (B) hereof, may include, but not be limited to, (1) the replacement, relocation or modification (including shielding) of Railroad facilities in or on the Corridor, or (2) the replacement, relocation or modification (including shielding) of Utility Facilities, or (3) a combination of (1) and (2). Utility agrees to promptly reimburse Railroad, or any other rail carrier occupying Railroad's Corridor, for reasonable costs actually incurred in this regard, whether such work is carried out by Railroad, such other carrier, or their contractor(s) and subcontractor(s).

- (F) Utility shall design and plan any modifications, or any other changes or relocations of Utility Facilities, in cooperation with Railroad, to avoid such electrical or inductive interference.
- (G) This Section 10 shall be binding upon the successors and assigns of Utility and of Railroad (but only if Railroad's successors or assigns run or operate a railroad in, over or through the Corridor).

11. INSPECTION:

The right of inspection of the Utility Facilities by Railroad shall extend for an appropriate distance, inasmuch as the method of construction and the materials used in the construction, maintenance, repair, alteration, renewal, replacement, or relocation of the Utility Facilities may have a significant impact upon the strength and stability of the Utility Facilities over, under, upon, or in the property of the Railroad within the Corridor.

12. NONWAIVER:

Neither the failure by either party hereto to make verbal or written complaints to the other with respect to such party's failure to carry out any obligation(s) under this Agreement, nor knowledge on the part of either party of such failure by the other, shall be deemed to constitute acquiescence therein or actionable negligence on the part of the party failing to complain or having such knowledge.

13. RAILROAD COSTS:

(A) In the event Railroad furnishes any labor or material for any work on the Utility Facilities in order to satisfy any duty of Utility hereunder, provided Railroad has given Utility advance written notice of Railroad's intent to furnish such labor and material and Utility has failed to satisfy its duty related thereto, Utility agrees to pay to Railroad (1) the actual cost of material plus Railroad's currently applicable

overhead percentages or rates (developed and published by the Accounting Department of Railroad) and (2) Railroad's "force account" charges as described in Section 13(B) in effect at the time of the performance of any such work, within thirty (30) days of the presentation of such bill(s) by Railroad. Railroad will, as soon as practical following Utility's request for work or materials to be furnished by Railroad, advise Utility of the estimated cost and expense thereof.

(B) Railroad's expense for wages ("force account" charges) and materials for any work performed at the expense of Utility pursuant to this Agreement shall include, but not be limited to, cost of railroad labor and supervision under AAR "force account" rules, plus current applicable overhead percentages, the actual cost of materials used, and insurance, freight and handling charges on such materials. Any equipment rentals shall be in accordance with Railroad's applicable fixed rental rate(s).

14. MODIFICATIONS FOR RAILROAD:

- (A) Upon written request of Railroad, to accommodate any change in the railroad operations of Railroad or construction of new railroad facilities for Railroad or for its rail patrons, Utility, at Utility's sole cost and expense, shall promptly relocate, strengthen, support or otherwise protect or modify the Utility Facilities located in, under, over or upon the Corridor (any such requested action being referred to herein as a "Modification").
- (B) Modifications shall be made only in accordance with plans and specifications approved by Railroad, which shall not unreasonably condition, withhold or delay its review and approval or any request for approval of changes to same.
- (C) Railroad shall provide any necessary land for all Modifications without additional compensation from Utility.
- (D) The Modification work of both Railroad and Utility shall be coordinated so that to the extent practical there shall be no interruption in electric service provided by Utility or in train service provided by Railroad.

15. THIRD PARTY RELOCATIONS, CHANGES:

(A) Where a change or relocation of Utility Facilities is required in order to accommodate any party other than Railroad or a Railroad rail patron, excluding any governmental agency, the costs of such Modification shall be paid by such third party or governmental agency.

(B) All such changes or relocations shall be designed and performed in compliance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

16. LIENS, TAXES:

Utility covenants and agrees to: (a) pay, redeem or bond-off any construction or mechanics/artisans' liens, and any other assessments, taxes, or governmental charges made against Railroad or the Corridor (excluding, however, any ad valorem taxes on the land or Railroad facilities in the Corridor) solely by reason of Utility's construction, alteration, maintenance, or use of the Corridor or Utility Facilities ("Liens"); and (b) reimburse Railroad, promptly upon bills rendered therefor, the full amount of any such Liens (provided the same are not being contested by Railroad or Utility in any appropriate proceeding), including penalties, interest, late fees, and any costs to defend or bond the same or to remove same from official records (except to the extent such penalties, etc., result from the delay by Railroad in notifying Utility of such liens, etc. and/or Railroad's failure to cooperate with Utility in contesting any such lien in any appropriate proceeding).

17. BRUSH CUTTING:

Utility shall be solely responsible for the clearing, cutting and trimming of all trees, brush and shrubs on the portion of the Corridor where Utility Facilities are located which may interfere with or be a menace to the continuous operation of Utility Facilities, and at any place(s) where Utility Facilities cross Railroad's tracks. Utility shall carry out its trimming in compliance with all applicable state or local laws and regulations. Railroad hereby grants, insofar as its title enables it to do so, an easement and license to enter upon Railroad's real property adjacent to the Corridor for the purpose of clearing, cutting and trimming any trees, brush and shrubs which Utility deems necessary for the proper maintenance of the Utility Facilities.

18. CONDEMNATION:

In the event of a taking of the Corridor or any portion thereof by the exercise of the power of eminent domain (or transfer in lieu thereof), Railroad and Utility shall each retain their rights pursuant to all applicable eminent domain laws.

19. TERMINATION, REMOVAL:

In the event Utility determines that all or part of any occupancy under this Agreement is no longer necessary or essential, Utility shall (a) remove from the Corridor such of the Utility Facilities as shall have been abandoned (unless said Utility Facilities have been abandoned in place with the prior approval of Railroad), (b) restore the Corridor to a condition reasonably satisfactory to Railroad, and (c) deliver to Railroad a (complete or partial) Release of this Agreement satisfactory to Railroad, in recordable form, with respect to such Utility Facilities.

20. TITLE LIMITS:

- (A) Nothing herein shall be deemed to act as any warranty, guarantee, or representation of the quality of title of the Corridor occupied or used under this Agreement. Further, Utility shall not have or make any claims against Railroad for damages on account of any failure or insufficiency or deficiencies in title to such Corridor or any portion thereof covered by this Agreement.
- (B) Upon receipt of any third party claims against Railroad or Railroad's title, or against Utility's right to use, occupy or possess the Corridor or to enjoy any rights hereunder, on the grounds that Railroad did not have sufficient rights, title or interest in such Corridor to grant this Easement or that any further right, title or interest in such Corridor is needed to allow the occupation or use thereof by Utility for its Utility Facilities, if Railroad elects not to contest the third party claim, then in addition to the rights of Utility set forth in Section 20(C), Utility may either: (1) defend such claims, at Utility's sole cost, with the cooperation of Railroad; or (2) vacate the Corridor and remove Utility Facilities therefrom.
- (C) In the event Utility's rights pursuant to this Agreement shall be challenged by any third party on the grounds that Railroad did not have sufficient rights, title or interest in the Corridor to grant such rights, Railroad consents and agrees, insofar as it may lawfully do so, to the acquisition by Utility, at Utility's sole cost and expense, of necessary easement(s) in the Corridor, in and over the space and dimensions granted hereby, by (or in lieu of) the exercise of Utility's power of eminent domain; and Railroad shall make no claim against Utility for compensation for the same. In the event of such exercise by Utility, the terms and provisions of this Agreement shall survive as between Railroad and Utility and shall apply to the easement(s) so acquired.

(D) In the event of any conveyance by Railroad of any portion of the Corridor occupied by Utility Facilities, Railroad shall subject its conveyance to all rights conveyed to Utility by this Agreement.

21. FILING, COSTS:

Utility hereby agrees to pay all costs and fees in conjunction with the filing or recording of this Agreement, or any Memorandum thereof, in any public records or with any public agency or subdivision.

22. GENERAL PROVISIONS:

- (A) If any part, section or paragraph of this Agreement is determined to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, for any reason, such determination shall not affect the validity, legality, or enforceability of all other parts of this Agreement.
- (B) This Agreement consolidates all pre-existing unrecorded prior longitudinal occupation agreements between Railroad (and/or various of its predecessor entities) and Utility (and its predecessor entities). Railroad and Utility acknowledge and agree that by entering into this Agreement Utility does not intend to lose any priority of rights it may have had visavis any person who or which entered into a recorded or unrecorded agreement affecting any part of the Corridor between the date of such prior document and the date of recording of this Agreement. Railroad and Utility agree that such prior documents remain in effect only to the extent necessary to assure the maintenance of the status quo ante of rights described in this Paragraph (B).
- (C) The words "Railroad" and "Utility" used herein shall be construed as if they read "Railroads" and "Utilities", respectively, whenever the sense of this Agreement so requires.
- (D) The terms "satisfactory" or "satisfaction" herein shall mean a decision by Railroad's Chief Engineer or applicable Division Engineer, based upon a reasonable application of established engineering and/or safety standards of Railroad's industry.
- (E) The terms and conditions of this Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns including any mortgagee or creditor of Utility in the event of a foreclosure or collateral assignment by Utility of its rights hereunder.

- (F) This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Alabama.
- (G) The rights given to Railroad and Utility herein are in addition to any rights that may be given to Railroad or Utility by any statute, at law or in equity, Utility specifically retaining: (a) its rights of eminent domain as vested in it by the laws of the United States of America and the State of Alabama; and (b) the ability and power of exercising such rights in all events.
- (H) Irrespective of whether stated in any particular provision of this Agreement, where approvals or consents of Railroad or Utility are required, such approvals and consents shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed.

23. NOTICE:

(A) Any notice from one party to the other permitted or required hereunder shall be deemed made or given by depositing the same in U. S. Mail, postage prepaid or by hand delivery as follows:

If to Utility:

Alabama Power Company

P. O. Box 2641

600 North 18th Street

Birmingham, Alabama 35291-2641

Attention:

Corporate Real Estate

Vice President

Telephone No.

205/250-2907

Fax No.

205/250-1220

If to Railroad:

CSX Transportation, Inc.

6737 Southpoint Drive South

Suite 100

Jacksonville, Florida 32216-0996

Attention: Mr. T. R. Jackson, AVP

CSX Real Property, Inc.

Telephone No. 904/279-4515

Fax No. 904/279-4586

(B) Notice given by mail shall be deemed given three (3) days after mailing. Notice by hand delivery (whether by a party hereto or by independent courier service) shall be deemed given when received.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement in duplicate counterparts (any one of which may be recorded as an original but which shall constitute but one agreement), as of the day and year first written above.

Witness(es) for Railroad:

CSX TRANSPORTATION, INC.:

Ву

(Corporate Seal)

Witness(es) for Utility:

Ву

ALABAMA POWER COMPANY:

Knight Susan N.

Title:

Vice President,

Corporate Real

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(Corporate Seal)

STATE OF FLORIDA)) SS.
COUNTY OF DUVAL)
Roberti II. Whealton
Notary Public of the State of Florida, County of Duval, do certify that, on the date below, before me in said County came
of CSX Transportation, Inc., the corporation described in and which executed said instrument; s/he and said corporation are fully informed of the contents of the instrument; s/he knows the seal of said corporation; the seal affixed to said instrument is such seal; it was so affixed by authority of the Board of Directors of said corporation; s/he also executed the same voluntarily for said corporation pursuant to Board authority and acting in his/her capacity as such officer; and said instrument is the voluntary and free act of said corporation.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and official seal this 30H day of September, 1994.
Notary Public County of

STATE OF Flacida)
COUNTY OF Lewal
Robert L. Whealton I, Robert L. Whealton A Notary Public in and for Patricia J. Aftoora said County in said State, hereby certify that Patricia J. Aftoora of
CSX Transportation, Inc., a Virginia corporation, is signed to the foregoing instrument and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, he, as such officer and with full authority, executed the same voluntarily for and as the act of said corporation.
Given under my hand this the 30th day of September,
1994.
Notary Public
Notary Public
NOTARIAL SEAL

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Bonded Through Fla. Notary Service & Bonding Co.

My commission expires:

Notary Public, State of Florida

Commission No. CC 338168

My Commission Expires 12/07/97

STATE O	F ALABAMA)	
)	SS.
COUNTY	OF JEFFERSON)	

I, the undersigned, Jerry D. Roberson, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Susan N. Knight, whose name as Vice President of Alabama Power Company, a corporation, is signed to the foregoing instrument and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, she, as such officer and will full authority, executed the same voluntarily for and as the act of said corporation.

Given under my hand this the 26 day of September 1994.

Notary Public, State at Large

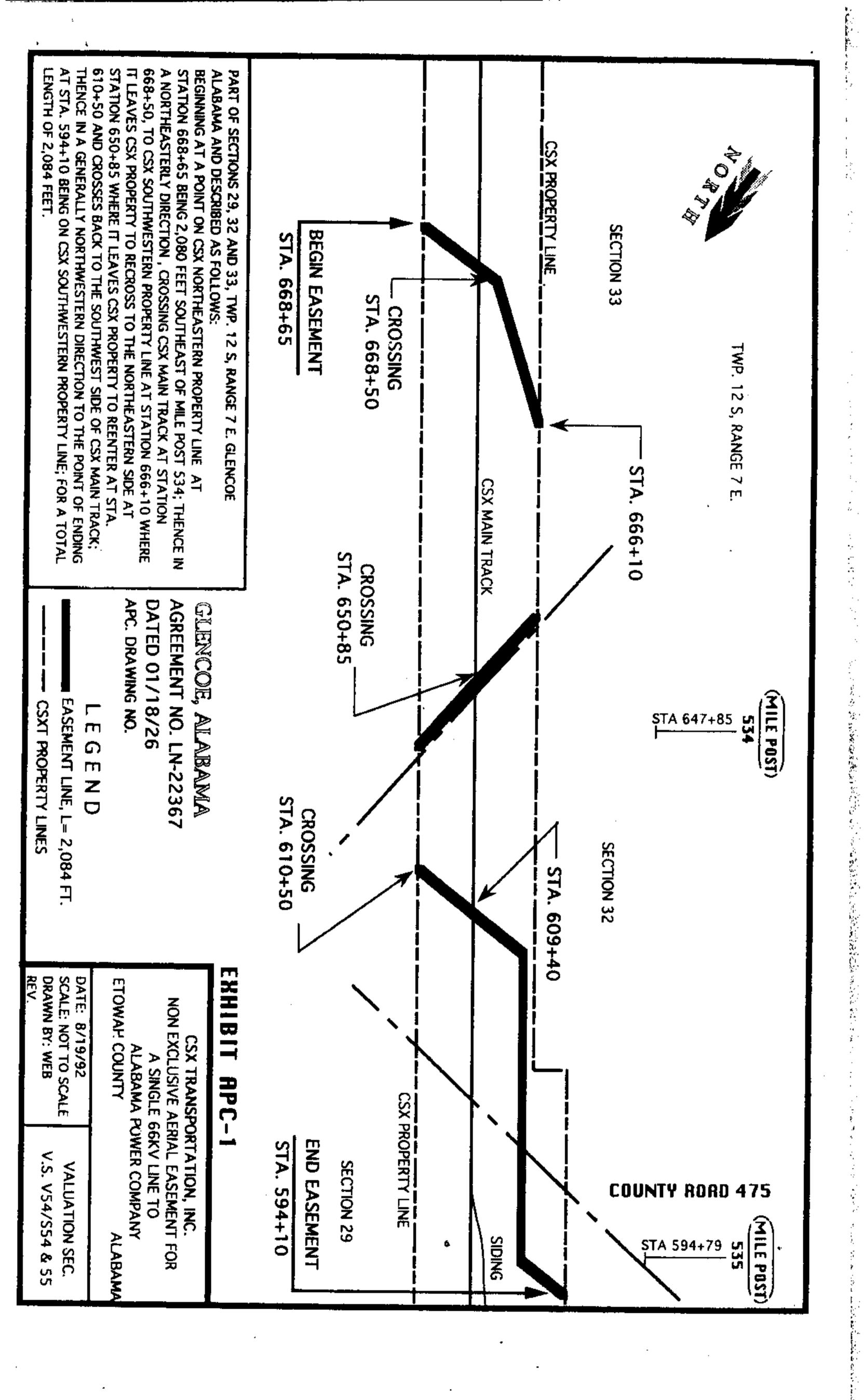
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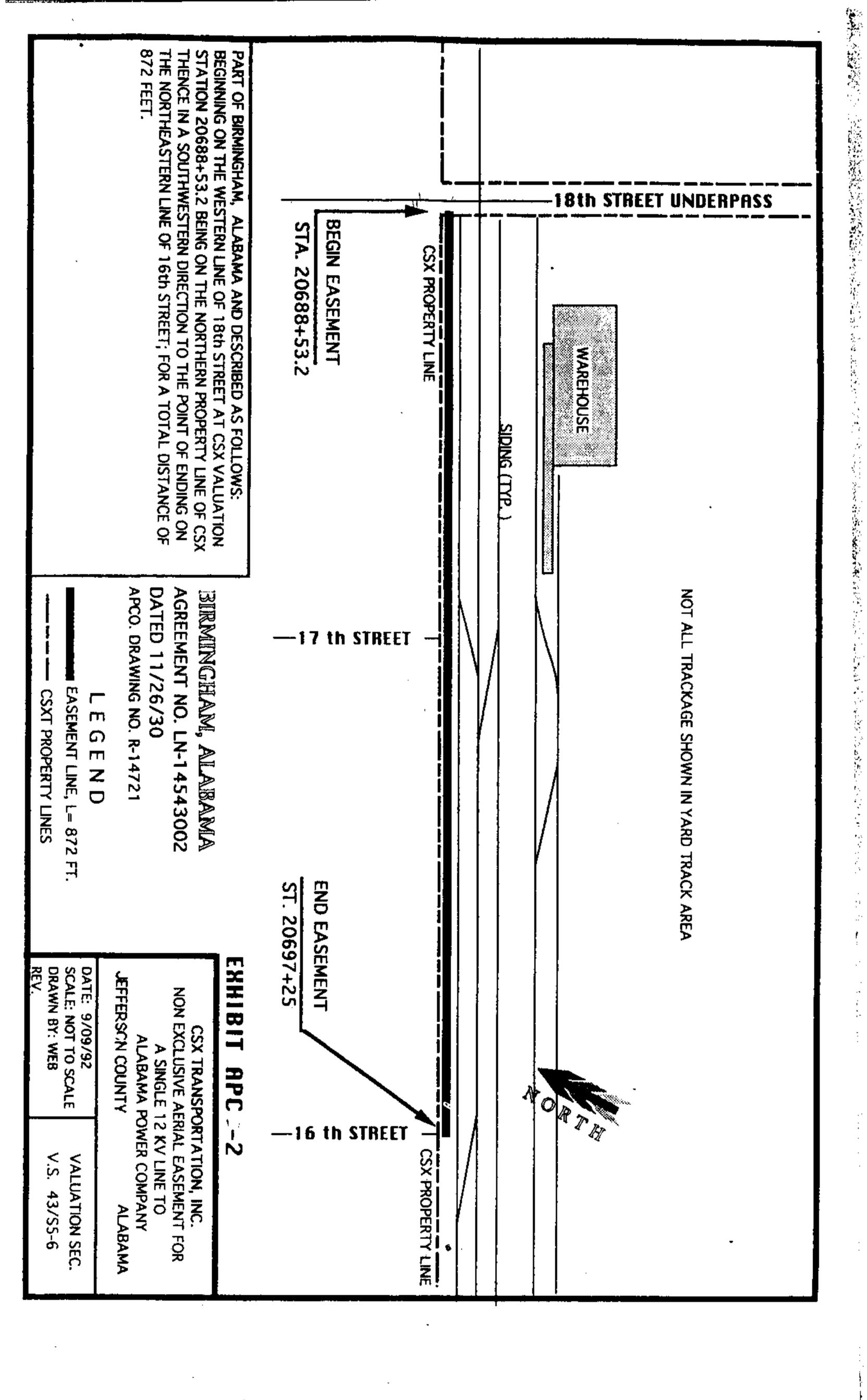
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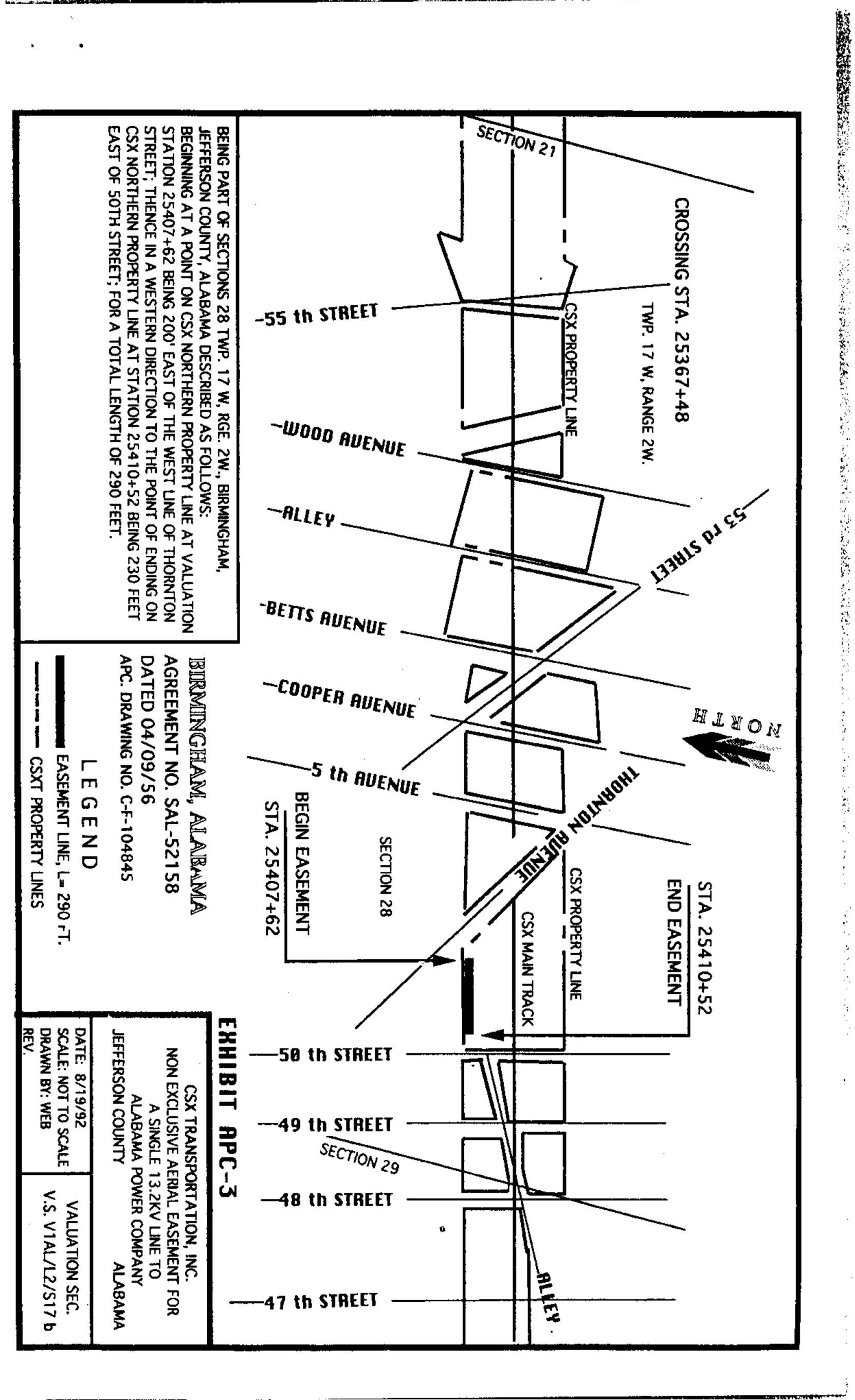
- (1) On July 1, 1967 the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company merged with the Seaboard Air Line Railroad Company to form the Seaboard Coast Line Railroad Company.
- (2) On December 29, 1982 the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company merged into Seaboard Coast Line Railroad Company, and the name of the surviving corporation was changed to Seaboard System Railroad, Inc.
- (3) On July 1, 1986, Seaboard System Railroad, Inc. changed its name to CSX Transportation, Inc.
- (4) The Western Railway of Alabama ("WRA") is a wholly-owned subsidiary of CSX Transportation, Inc. ("CSXT").

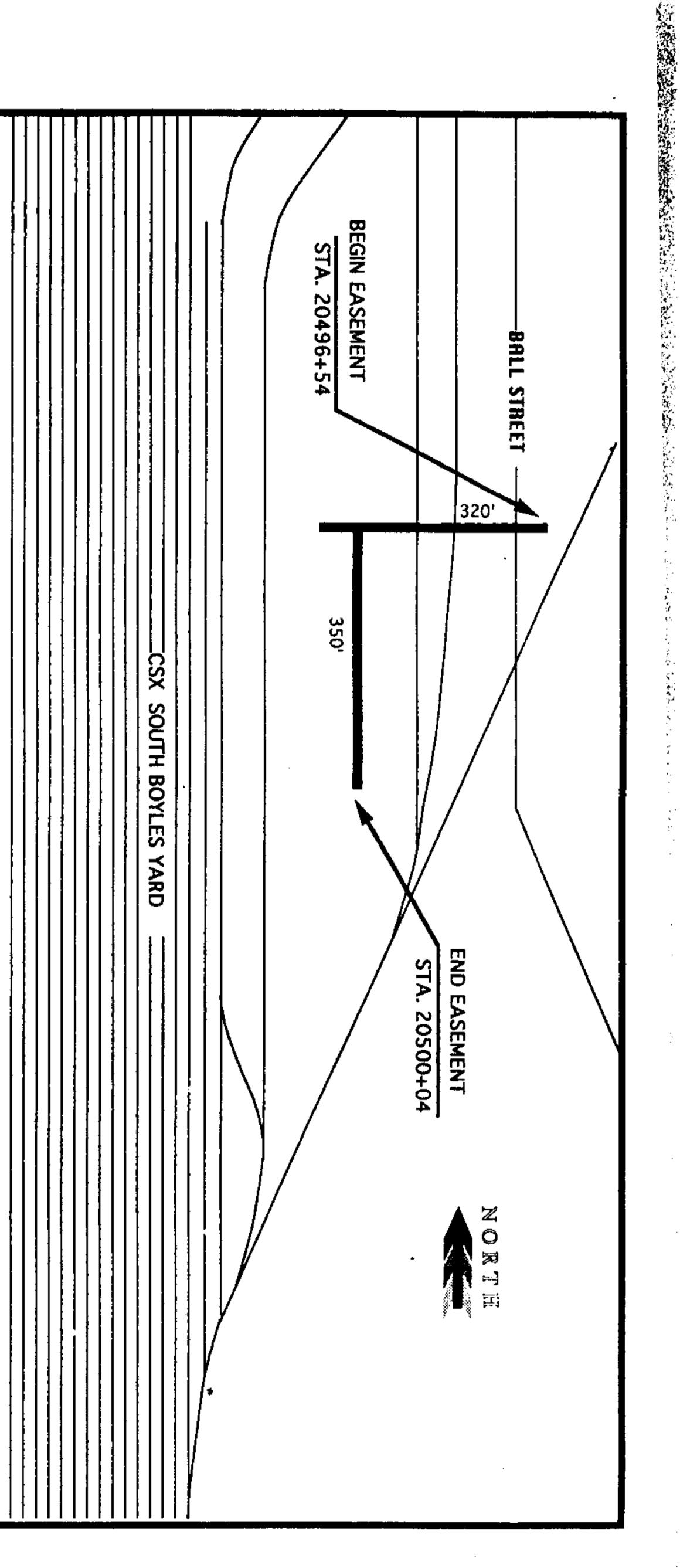
EXHIBIT APC-40

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PART OF CSX BOYLES YARD, BIRMINGHAM, JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT THE WESTERN SIDE OF BALL STREET OPPOSITE CSX VALUATION STATION 20496+54; THENCE IN A WESTERN DIRECTION, CROSSING VARIOUS YARD SIDE TRACKS A DISTANCE OF 320 FEET TO A POINT; THENCE IN A SOUTHERN DIRECTION A DISTANCE OF 350 FEET TO THE POINT OF ENDING BEING AT STATION 20500+04; FOR A TOTAL LENGTH OF 690 FEET ALL OF WHICH LOCATES WITHIN BOYLES YARD, WEST OF THE SOUTH YARD.

BIRIMINGHAM, ALABAMA
AGREEMENT NO. SBD-4863
DATED 01/10/84
APC. DRAWING NO.

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EXHIBIT APC-4

CSX TRANSPORTATION, INC.

NON EXCLUSIVE AERIAL EASEMENT FOR

A SINGLE 13.2KV LINE TO

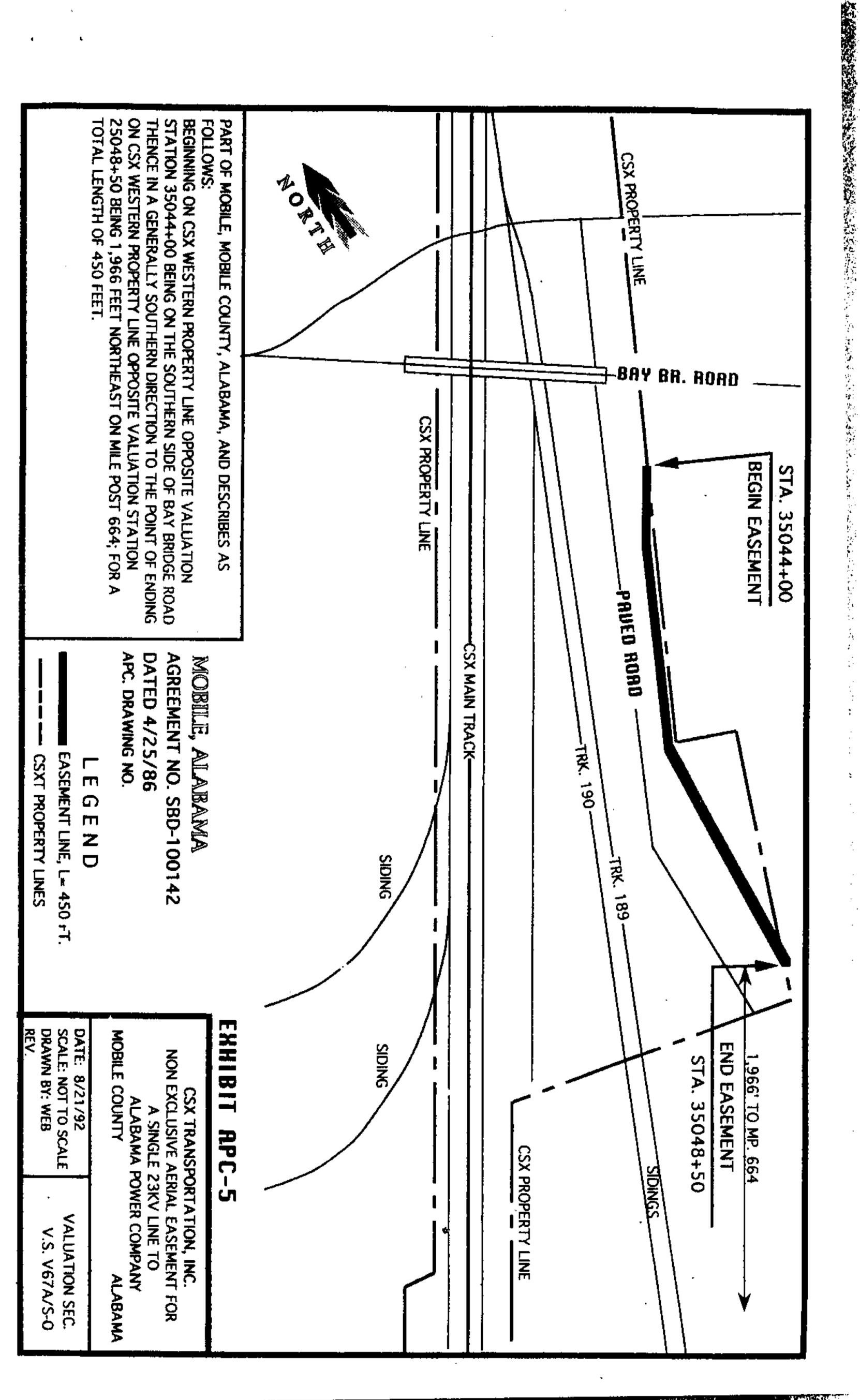
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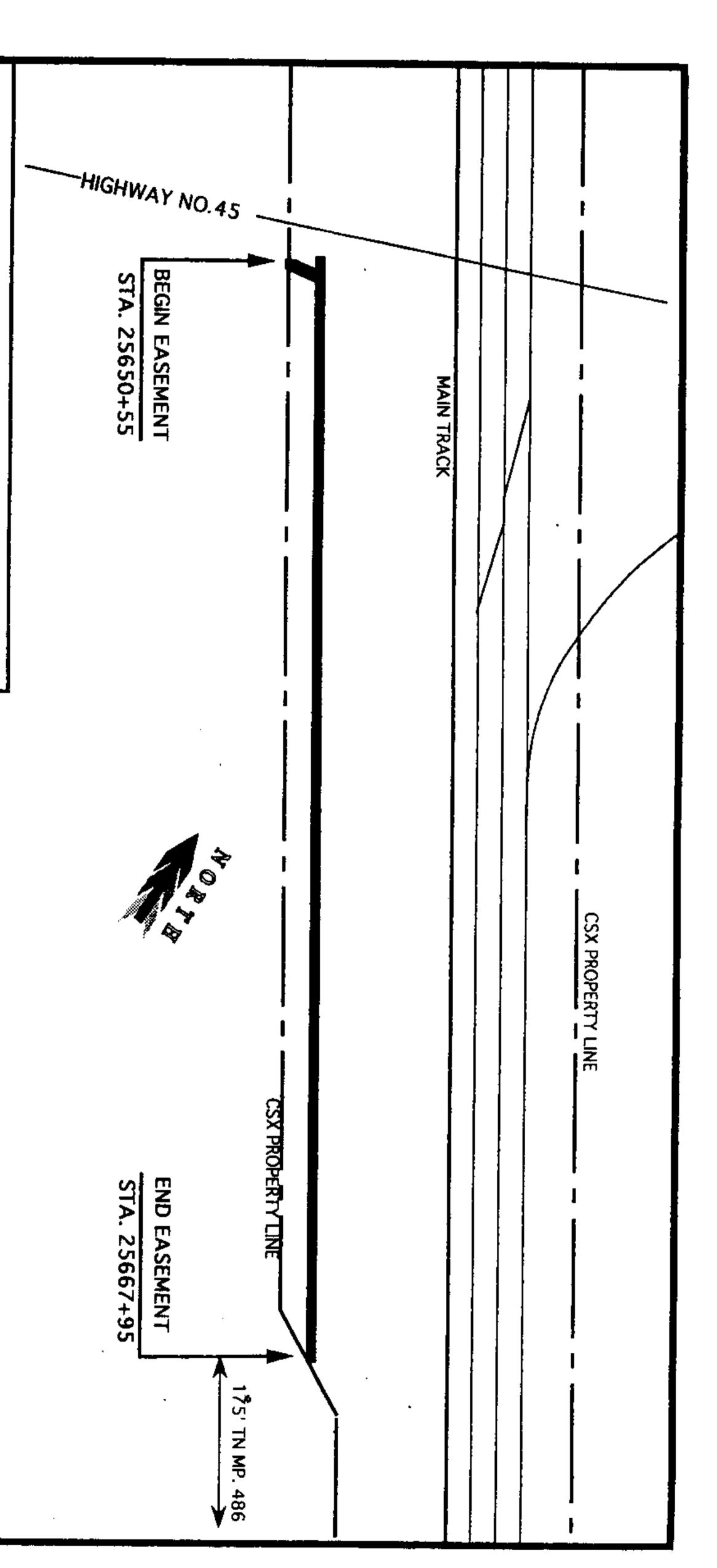
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A PART OF MONTGOMERY, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ALABAMA AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING ON CSX SOUTHWESTERN PROPERTY LINE AT VALUATION STATION 25650+55 BEING ON THE SOUTHEASTERN SIDE OF HIGHWAY NO. 45; THENCE IN A SOUTHEASTERN DIRECTION TO THE POINT OF ENDING ON CSX SOUTHWESTERN PROPERTY LINE AT STATION 25667+95 BEING 175 FEET NORTHWEST OF MILE POST 486; FOR A TOTAL LENGTH OF 1,740 FEET.

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DATED 2/01/72
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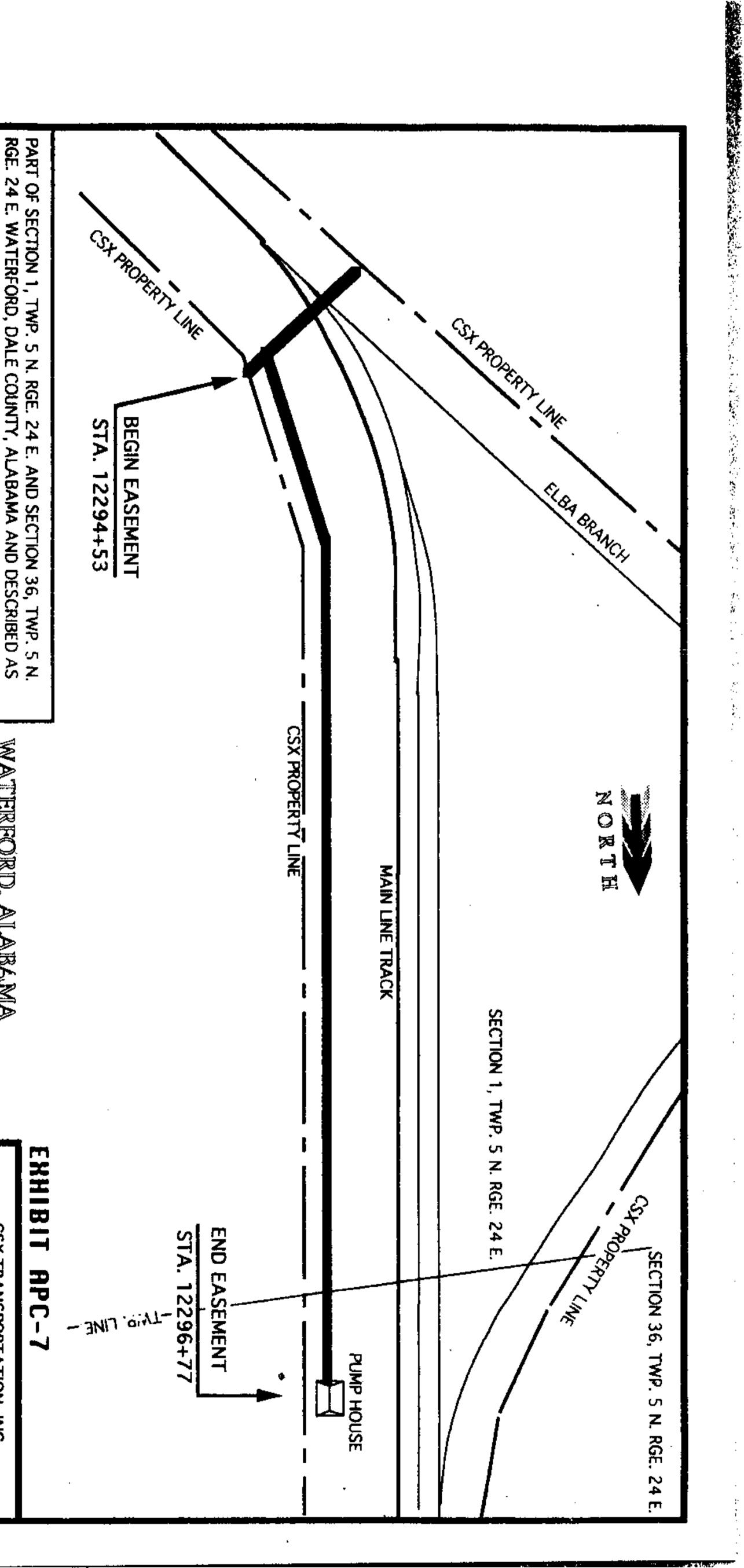
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CSX TRANSPORTATION, INC.

NON EXCLUSIVE AERIAL EASEMENT FOR
A SINGLE 12KV LINE TO
ALABAMA POWER COMPANY
MONTGOMERY COUNTY
ALABAMA

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THE POINT OF ENDING AT STATION 12296+77 BEING AN EXISTING

THE ELBA BRANCH; THENCE IN A GENERALLY NORTHERN DIRECTION TO

BEGINNING AT A POINT ON CSX EASTERN PROPERTY LINE AT STATION

12294+53 BEING NORTHWEST OF THE SOUTHERN MOST SWITCH OF

DATED 6/13/29

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EASEMENT LINE, L= 1,005 FT.

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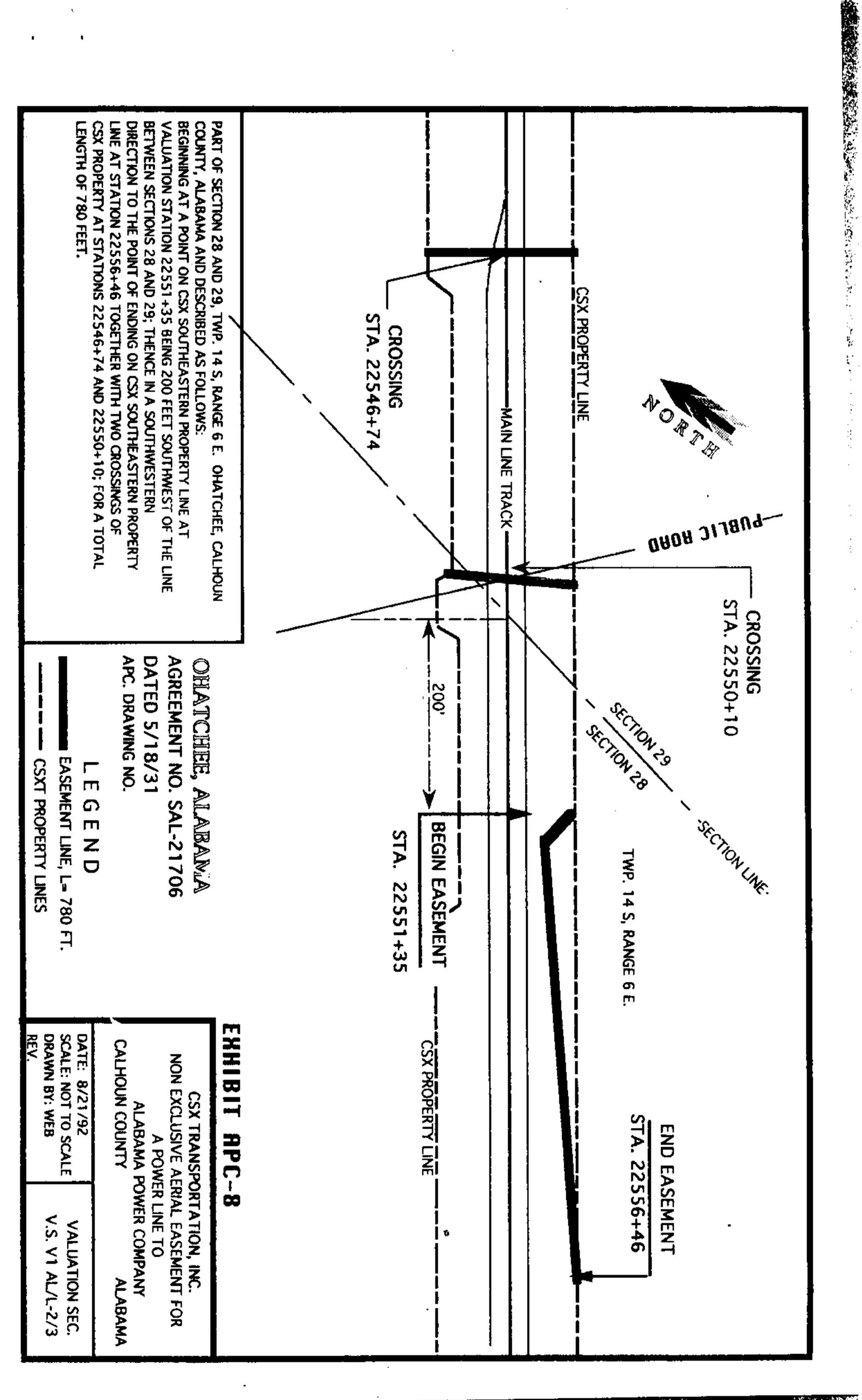
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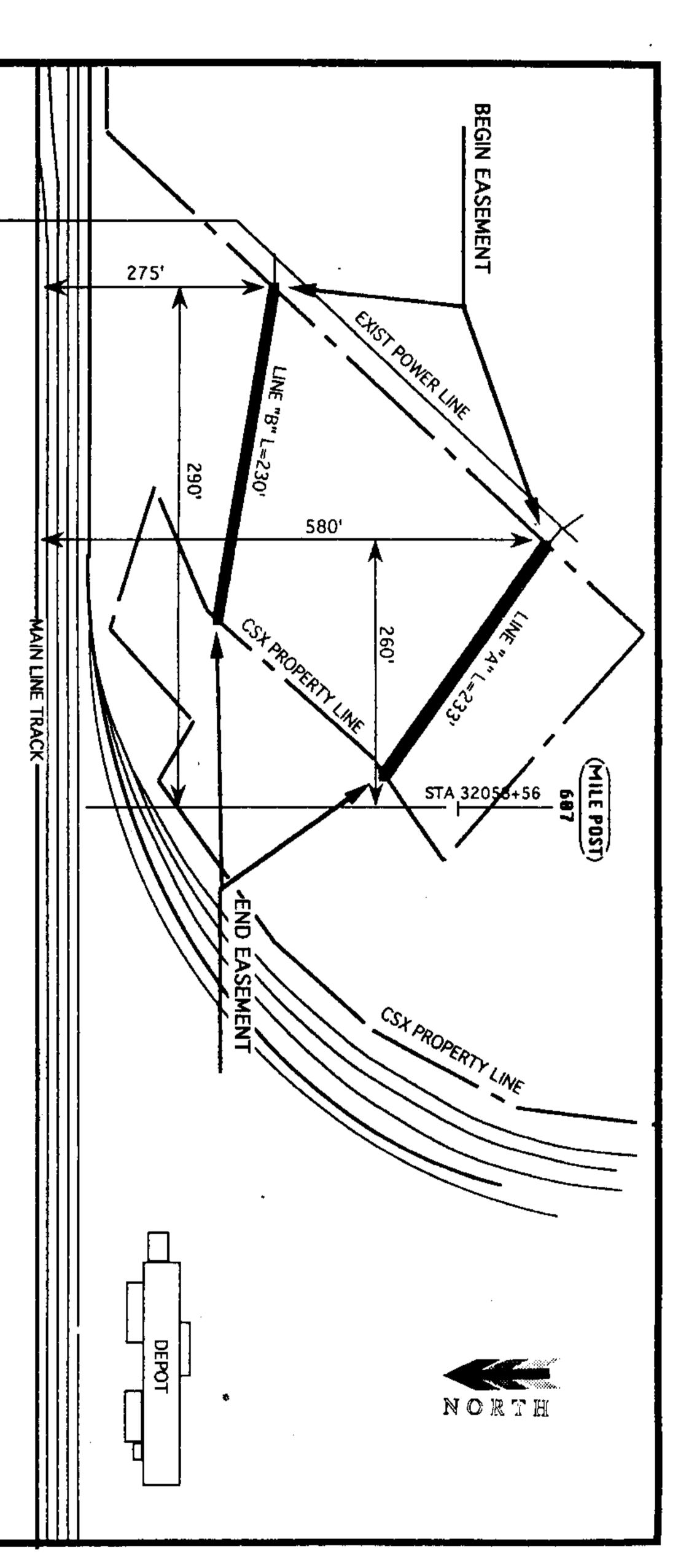
ASEMENT FOR

CSX TRANSPORTATION, INC.

WATERFORD, ALABAMA

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PART OF FLOMATION, ESCAMBIA COUNTY, ALABAMA AND DESCRIBED A FOLLOWS:

PROPERTY LINE; FOR AS DISTANCE OF 233 FEET TO THE POINT OF ENDING ON CSX WESTERN NORTH BOUND TRK.; THENCE IN A NORTHWESTERN DIRECTION A FEET 260 FEET EAST OF MILE POST 607 AND 580 FEET SOUTH OF THE BOUND MAIN TRK.; THENCE IN A WESTERN DIRECTION 230 FEET TO THE FEET EAST OF MILE POST 607 AND 275 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTH LINE "A" BEGINNING AT A POINT ON CSX EASTERN PROPERTY LINE 290 LINE "B" BEGINNING AT A POINT ON CSX EASTERN PROPERTY LINE 260 POINT OF ENDING ON CSX WESTERN TOTAL LENGTH OF 463 FEET PROPERTY LINE

> APC. DRAWING NO. DATED 5/25/49 AGREEMENT NO. LN-37096002 FLOMATION, ALABAMIA

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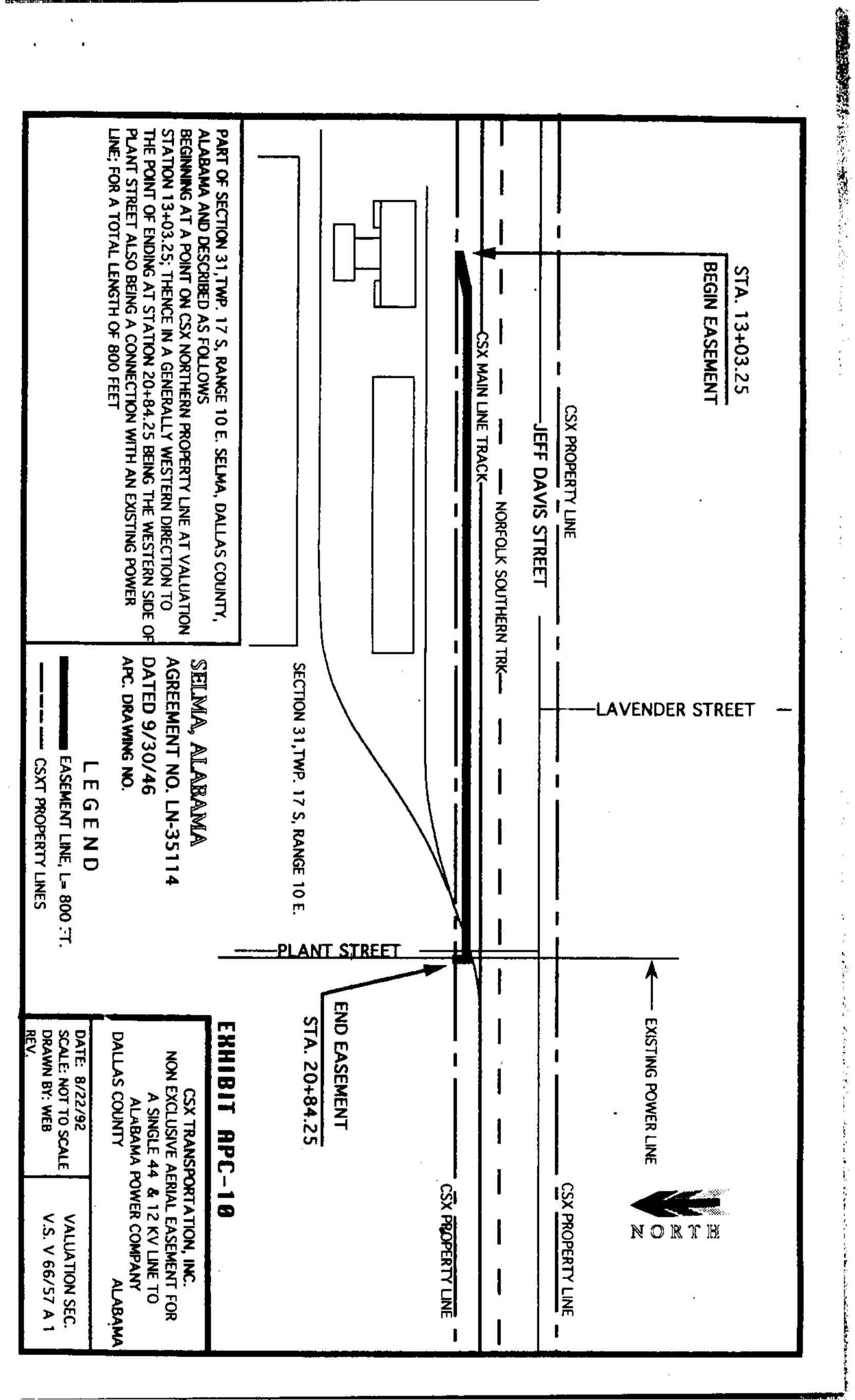
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PART OF SECTION 6 TWP. 16 S, RANGE 11 E. SELMA, DALLAS COUNTY, ALABAMA AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT AN EXISTING POWER POLE LOCATED ON THE SOUTHWESTERN SIDE OF CSX MAIN TRACK AT VALUATION STATION 5821+24 BEING 385 FEET SOUTHEAST OF CSX MILE POST 718; THENCE IN A WESTERN DIRECTION TO THE POINT OF ENDING ON CSX WESTERN PROPERTY LINE AT STATION 5824+45; FOR A TOTAL LENGTH OF 321 FEET.

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AGREEMENT NO. LN-50109
DATED 3/11/64
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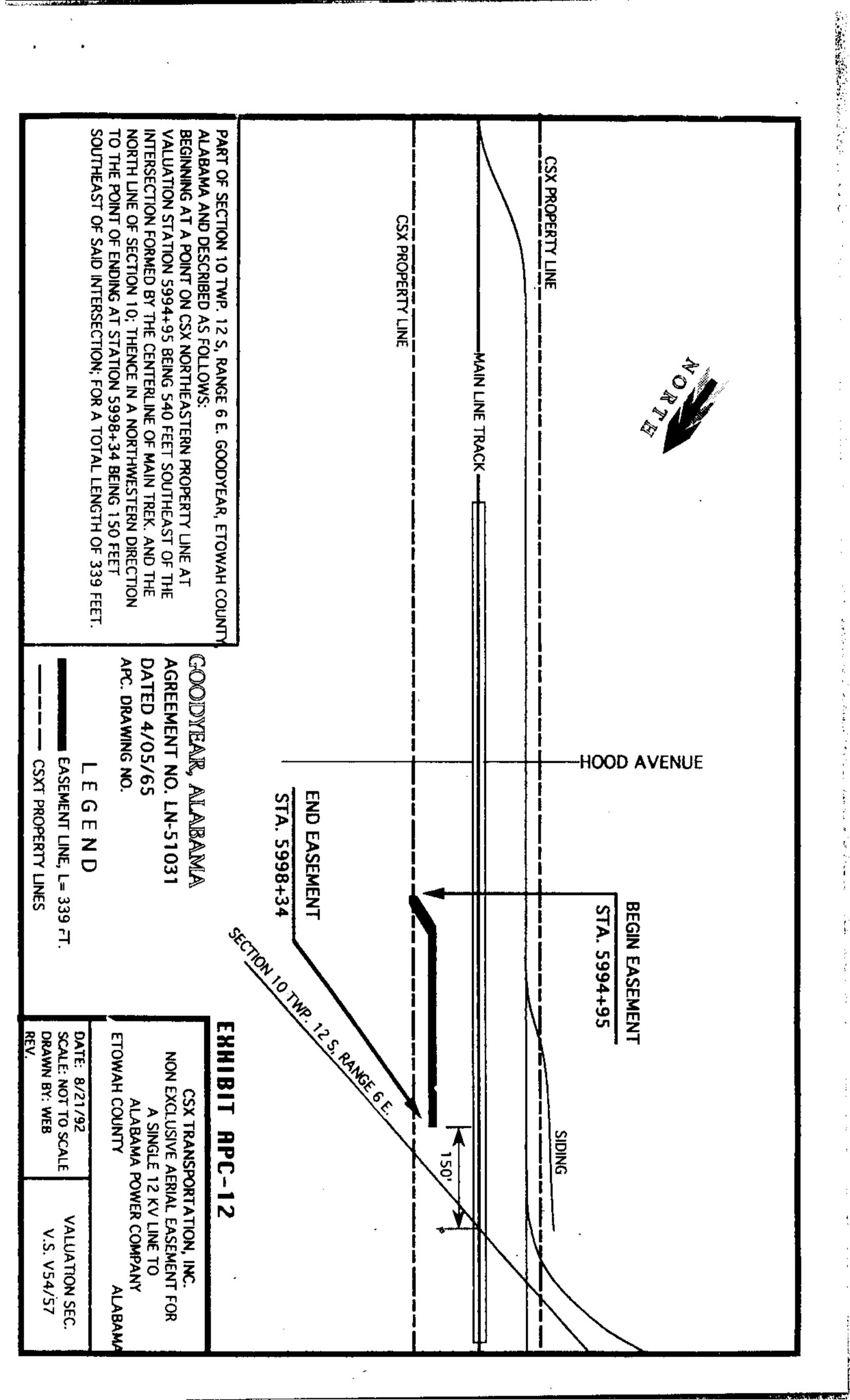
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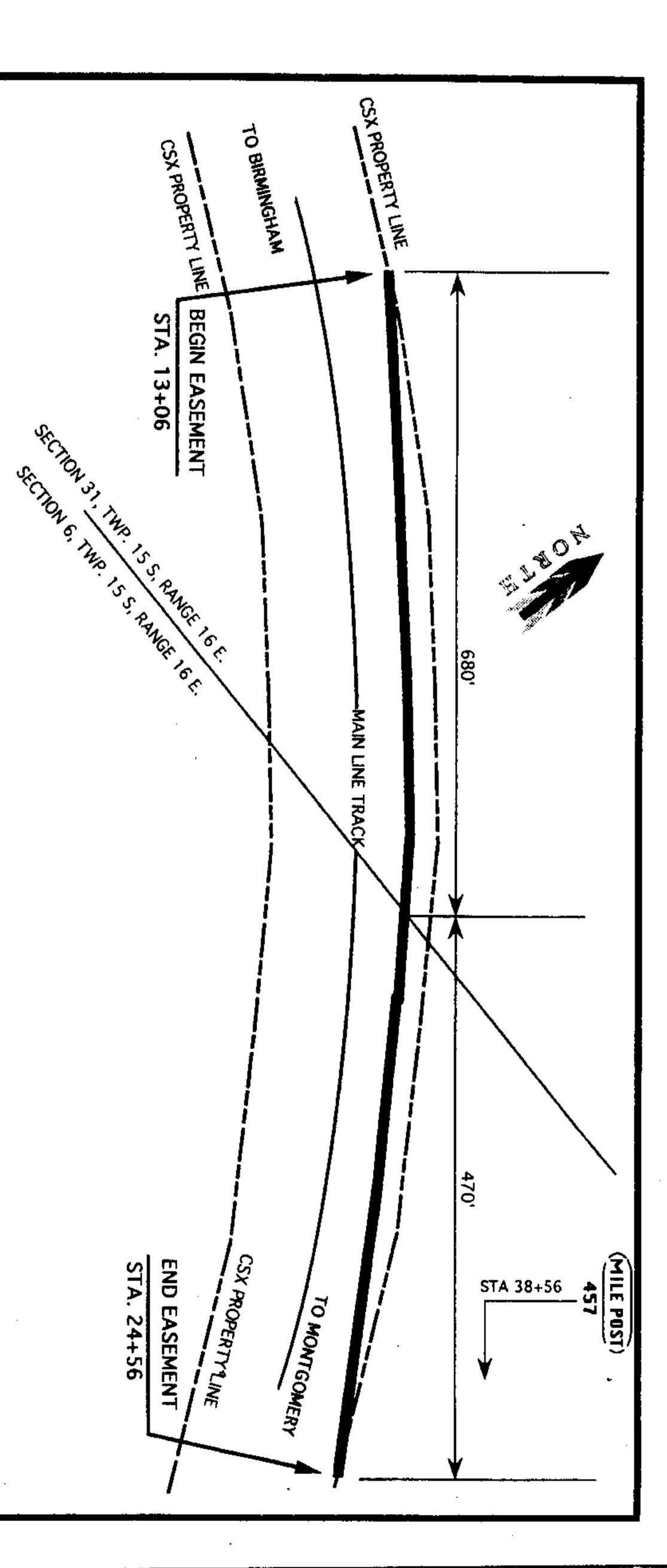
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EXHIBIT APC-11

CSX TRANSPORTATION, INC.
NON EXCLUSIVE AERIAL EASEMENT FOR
A SINGLE 120 VOLTS LINE TO
ALABAMA POWER COMPANY
DALLAS COUNTY

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FOR A TOTAL LENGTH OF 1,150 FEET. SECTION 31 ALSO BEING ON THE NORTHERN SIDE OF CSX MAIN TRK. PART OF SECTION 6 & 31, TWP. 15 S, RANGE 16 E., VERBENA, STATION 24+56 BEING 470 FEET EAST OF SAID LINE OF SECTION 31; VALUATION STATION 13+06, 680 FEET WEST OF THE SOUTH LINE OF BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE CSX NORTHERN PROPERTY LINE AT CHILTON COUNTY, ALABAMA AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS; THENCE IN A SOUTHEASTERN DIRECTION TO THE POINT OF ENDING AT

> APC. DRAWING NO. AGREEMENT NO. LN-41103 DATED 1/19/54 VERBENA, ALABAMA

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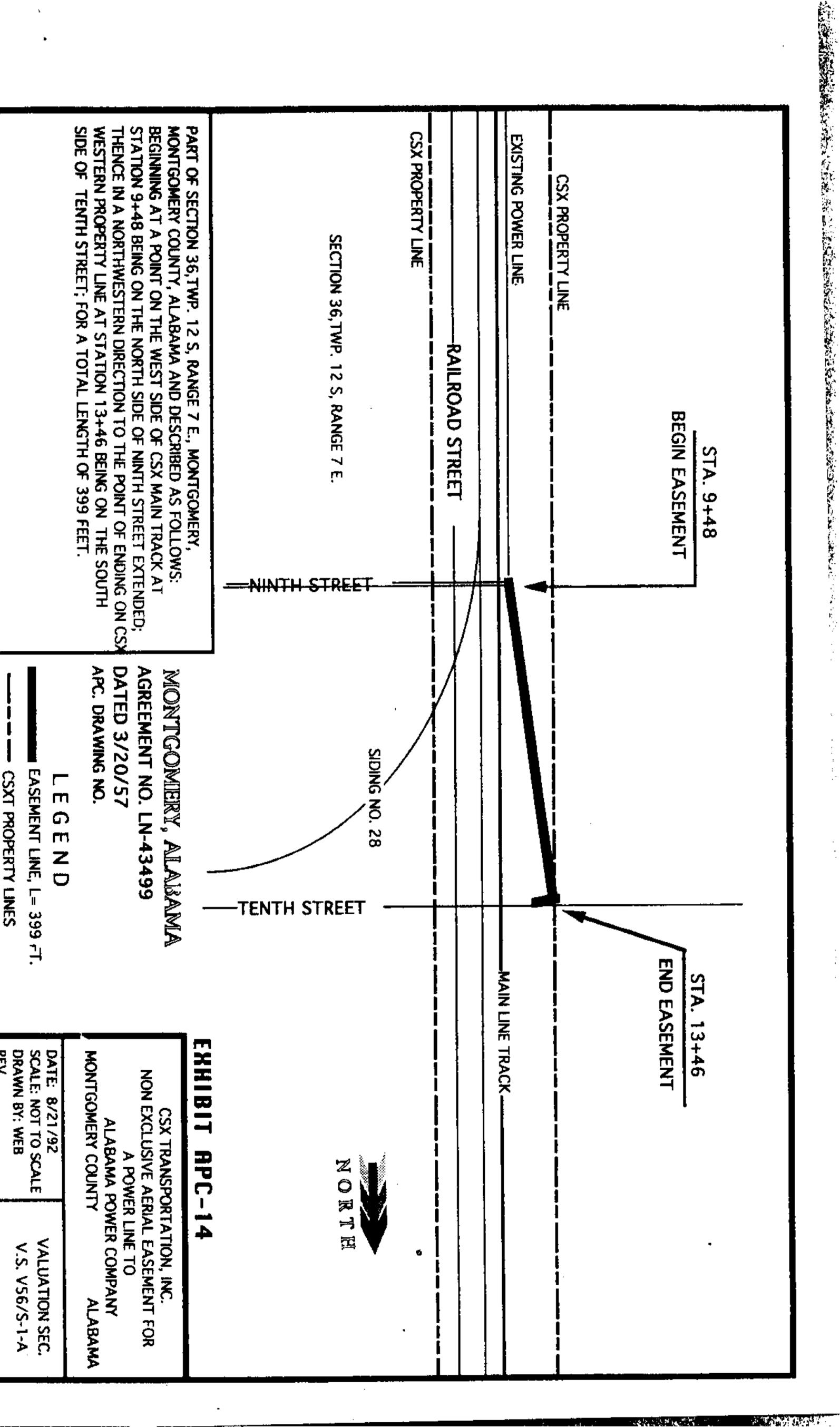
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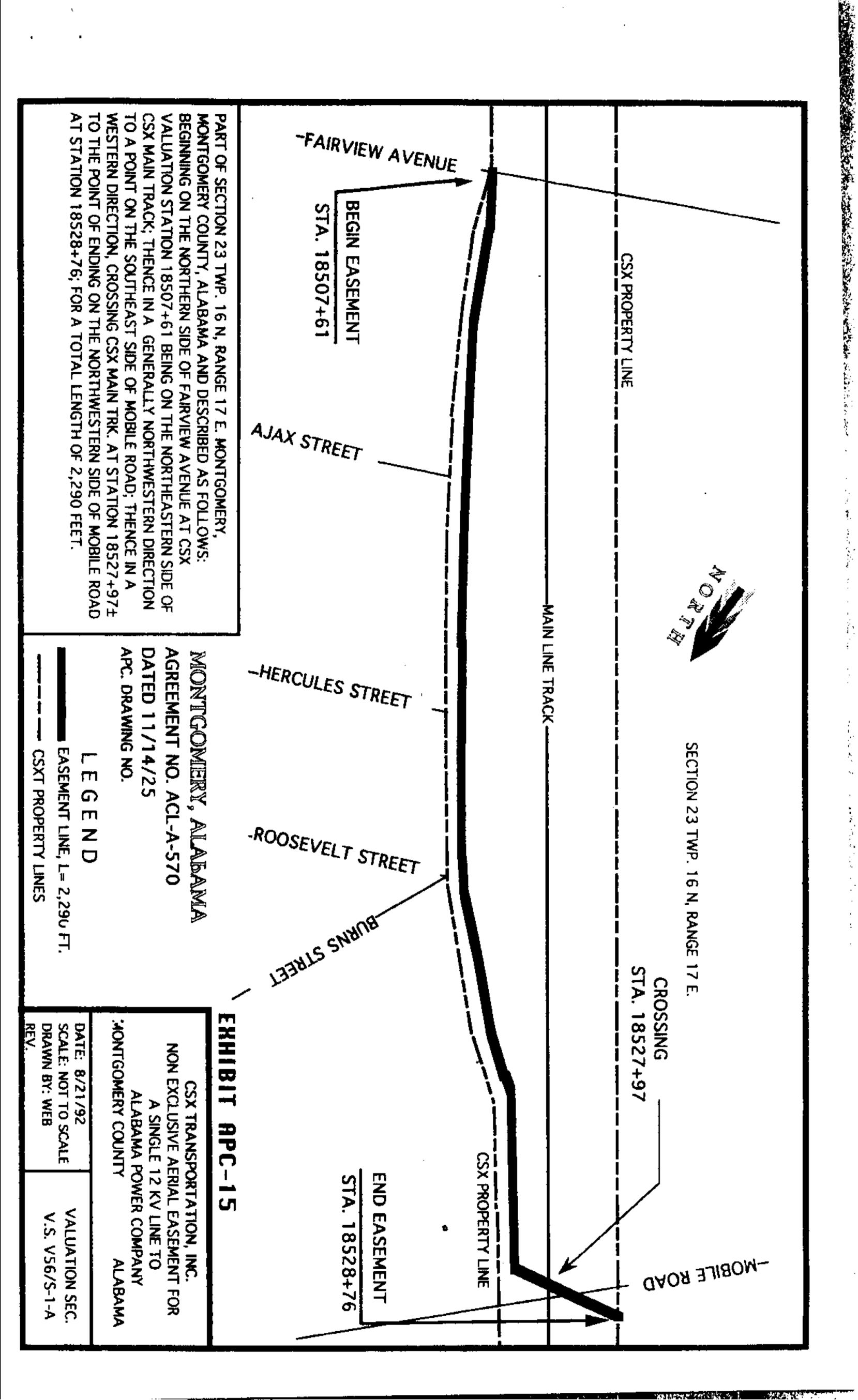
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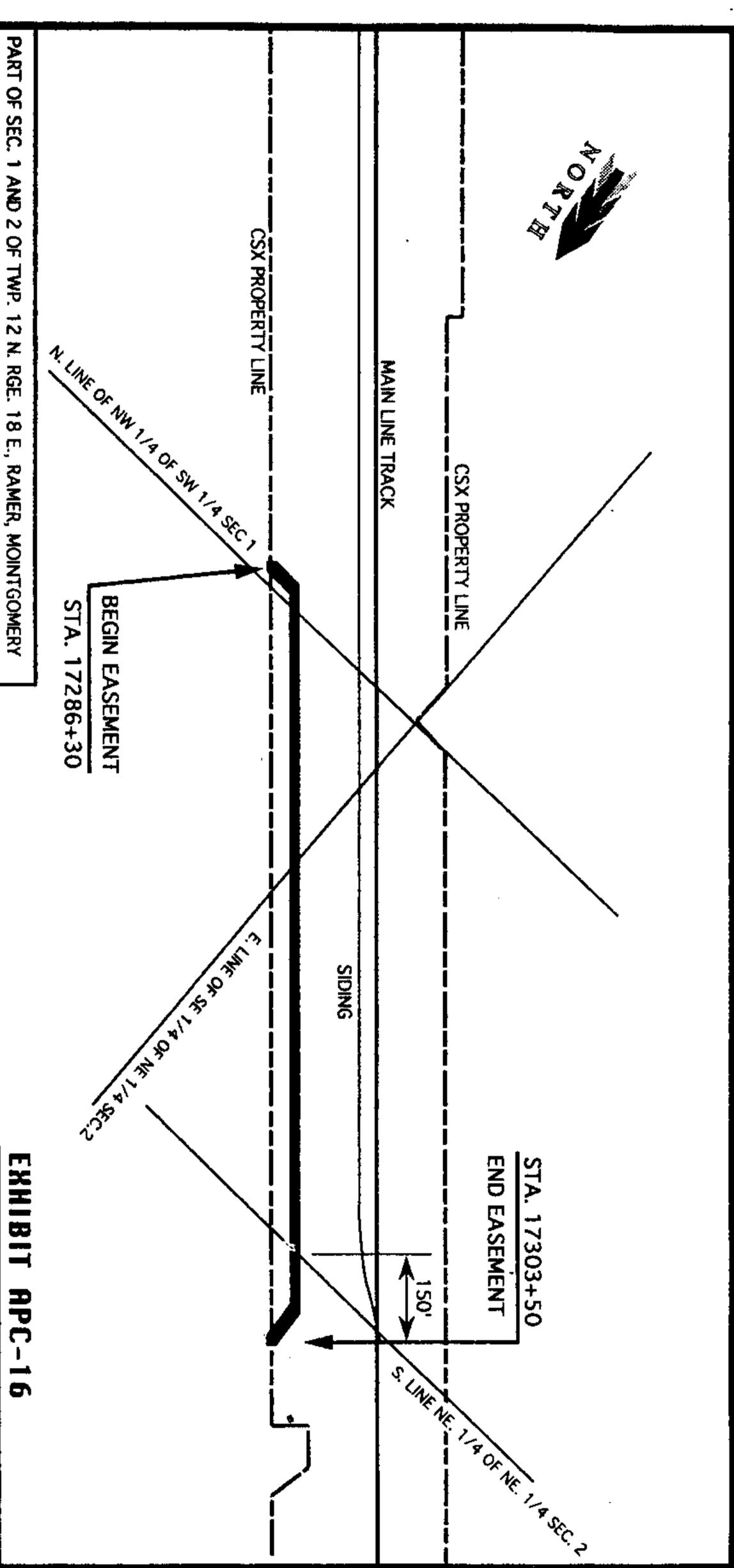
EXHIBIT **APC-13**

CHILTON COUNTY NON EXCLUSIVE AERIAL EASEMENT FOR CSX TRANSPORTATION, INC. ALABAMA POWER COMPANY A SINGLE 12 KV LINE TO ALABAMA

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NORTHWEST OF THE S. LINE OF NE 1/4 OF NE 1/4 OF SECTION 2; FOR A TOTAL LENGTH OF 1,870 FEET. OF SW 1/4 OF SEC. 1; THENCE IN A GENERALLY NORTHWESTERN DIRECTI STATION 17286+30± BEING ON THE SOUTH OF THE SOUTH LINE OF NW COUNTY, ALABAMA AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: TO THE POINT OF ENDING AT STATION 17303+50± BEING 150'± BEGINNING ON CSX NORTHEASTERN PROPERTY LINE AT VALUATION

> APC. DRAWING NO. AGREEMENT NO. ACL-A-776 DATED 4/10/30 RAMER, ALABAMA

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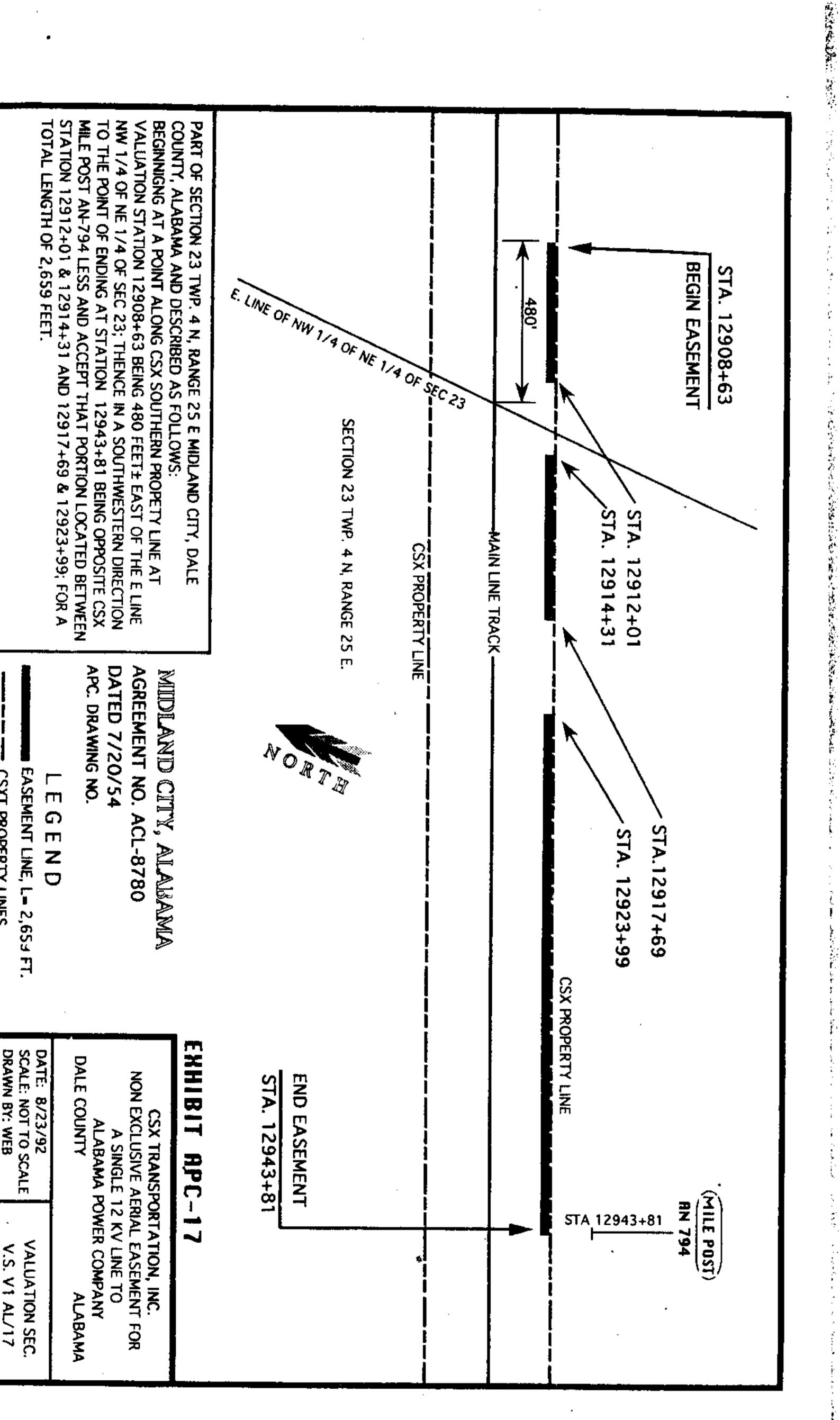
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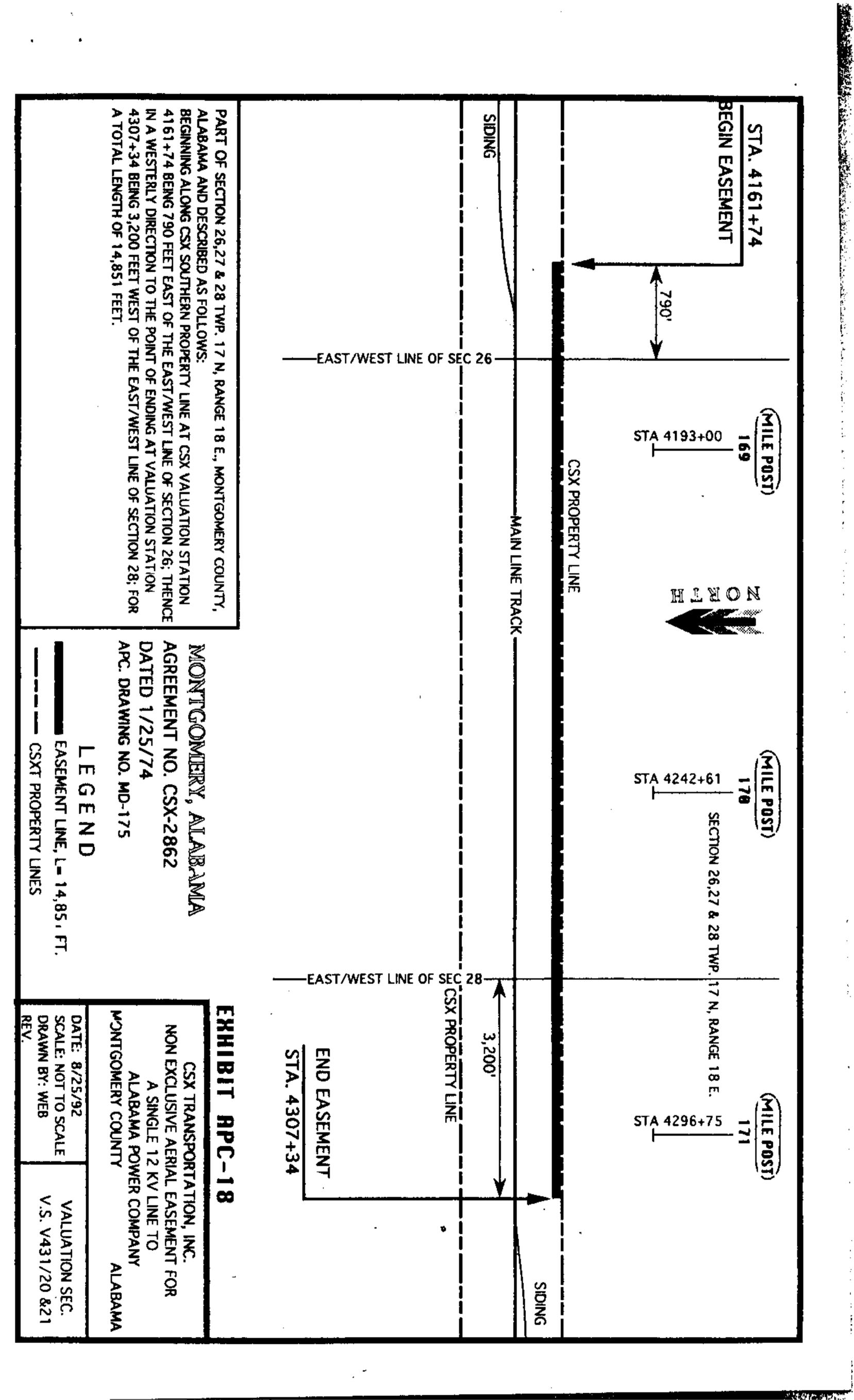
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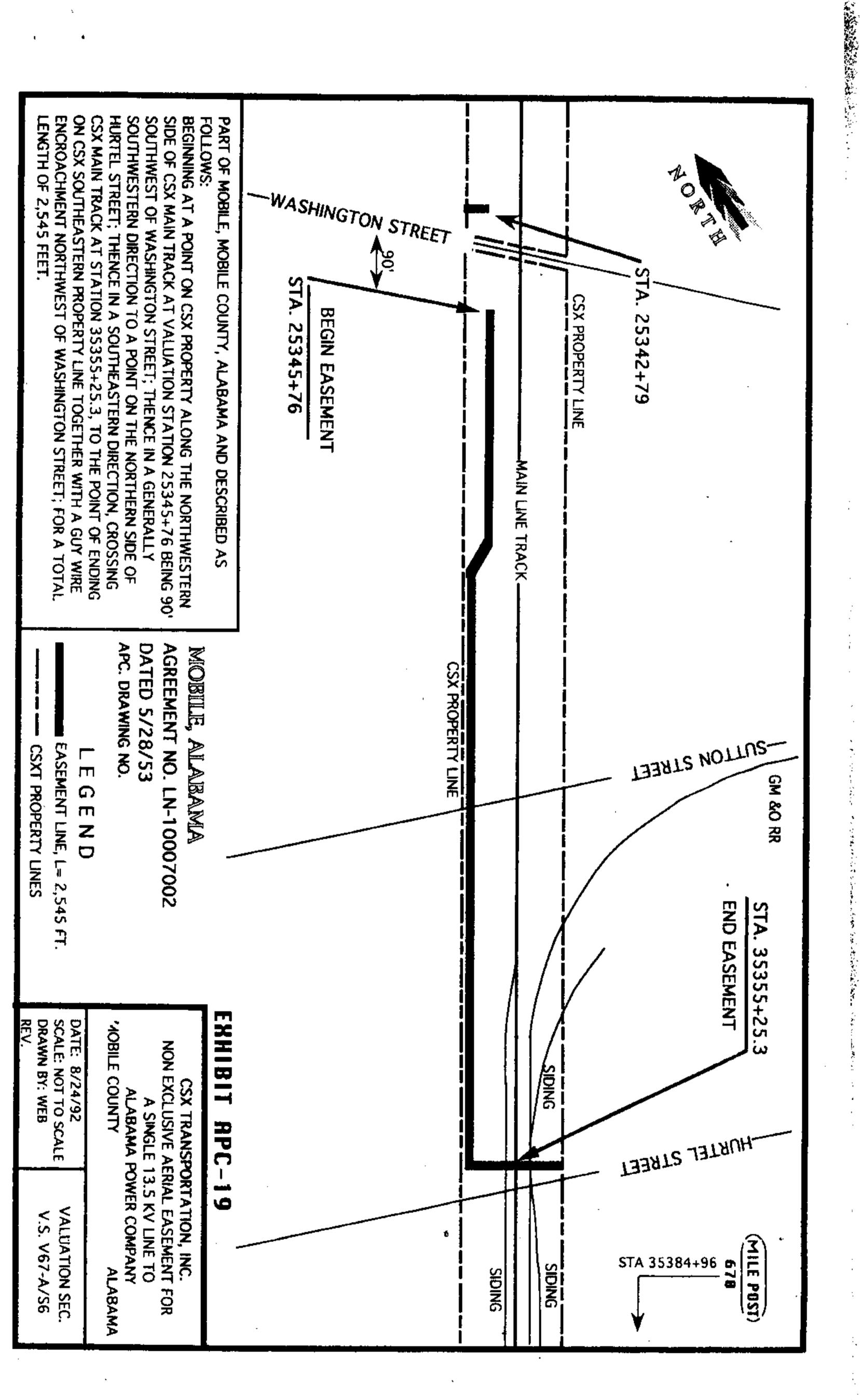
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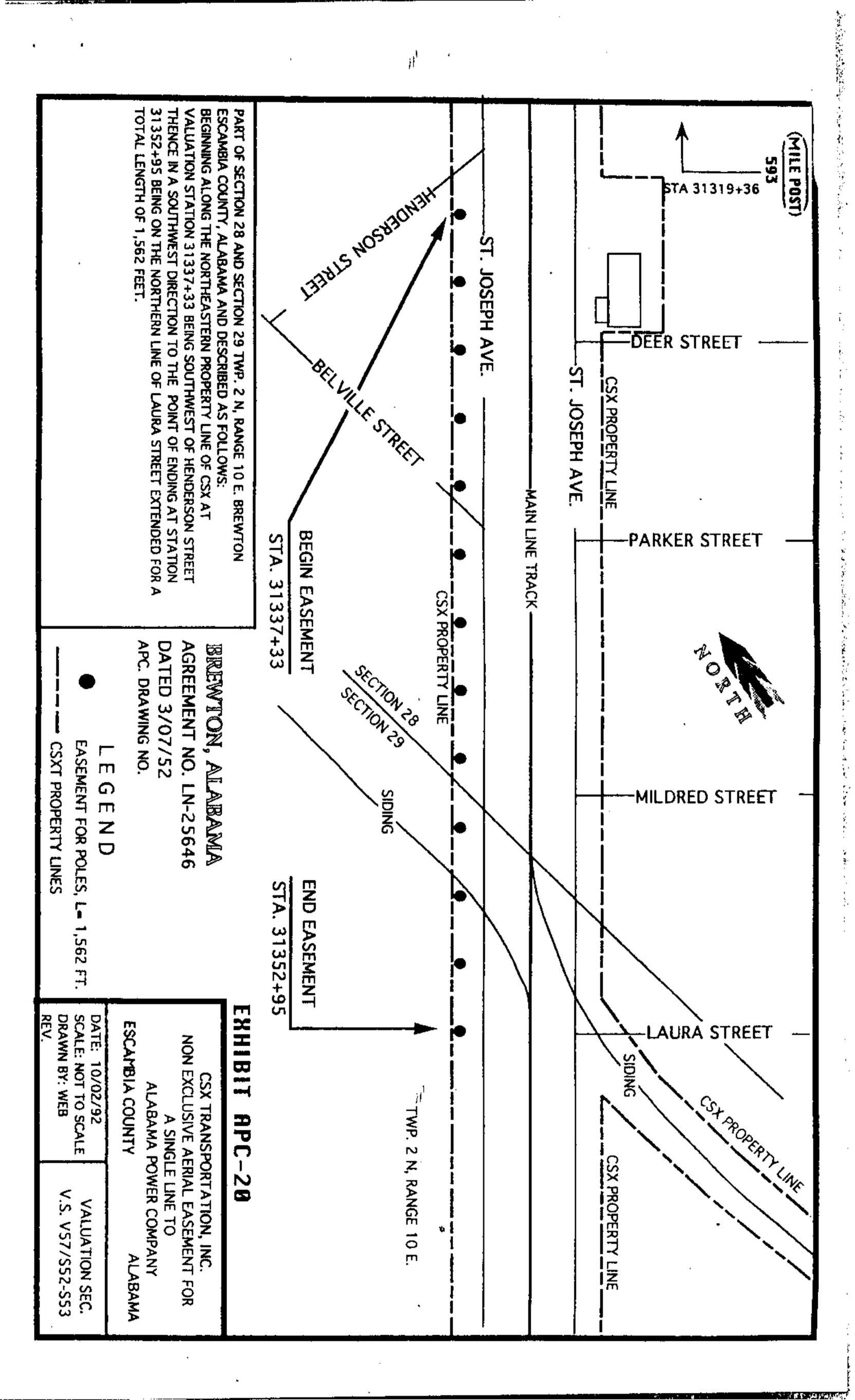


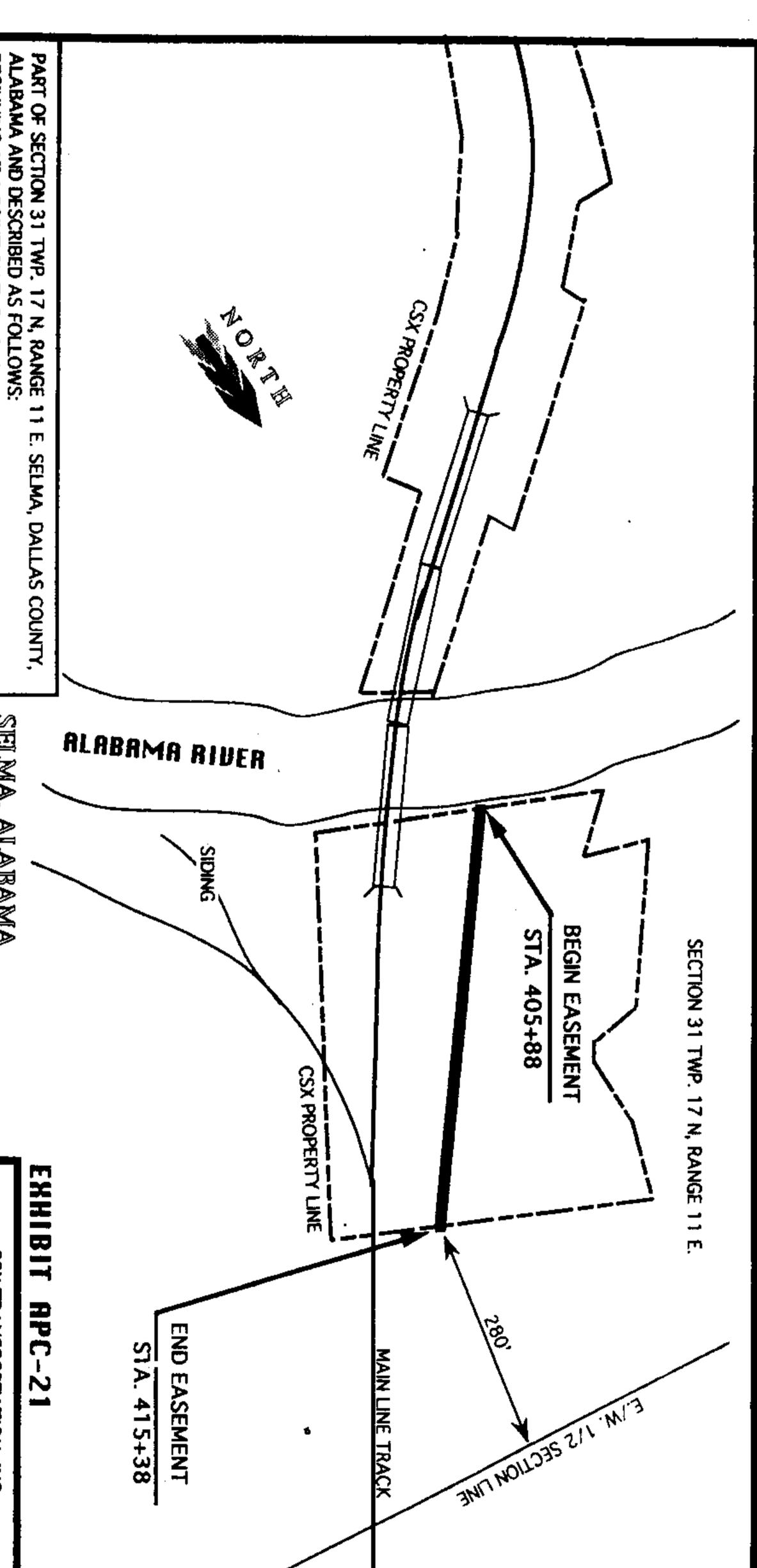
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LINE AT STATION 415+38± BEING 280 FEET SOUTHWEST OF THE E/W DIRECTION TO THE POINT OF ENDING ON CSX NORTHEASTERN PROPERTY BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE NORTHWEST SIDE OF CSX MAIN TRACK 1/2 SECTION LINE OF SEC. 31; FOR A TOTAL LENGTH OF 674 FEET.± OPPOSITE CSX VALUATION STATION 405+88 ± SAID POINT BEING ON THE NORTHERN BANK OF THE ALABAMA RIVER; THENCE IN A NORTHEASTERN

> APC. DRAWING NO. AGREEMENT NO. LN-29565004 DATED 11/18/60 SELMA, ALABAMA

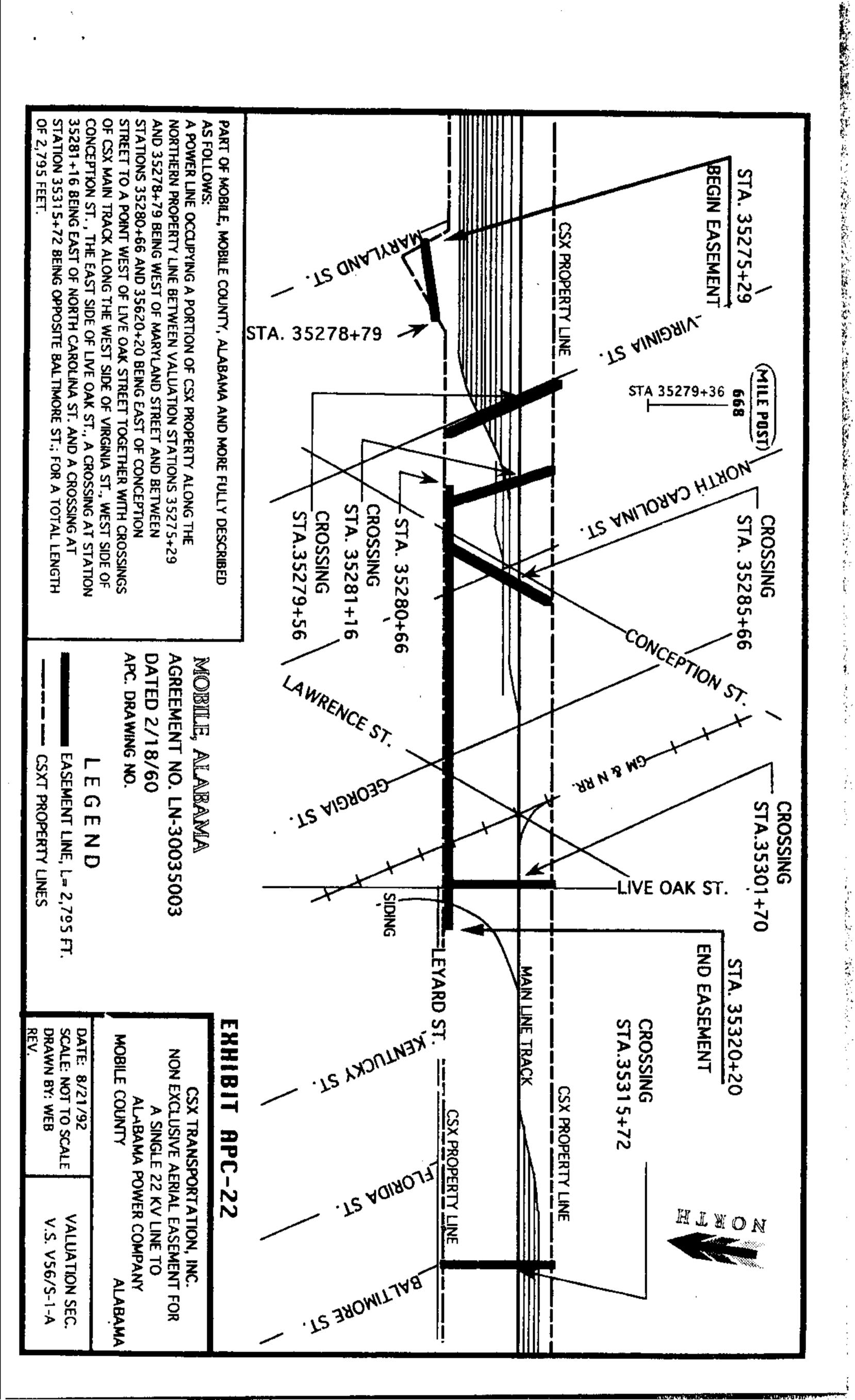
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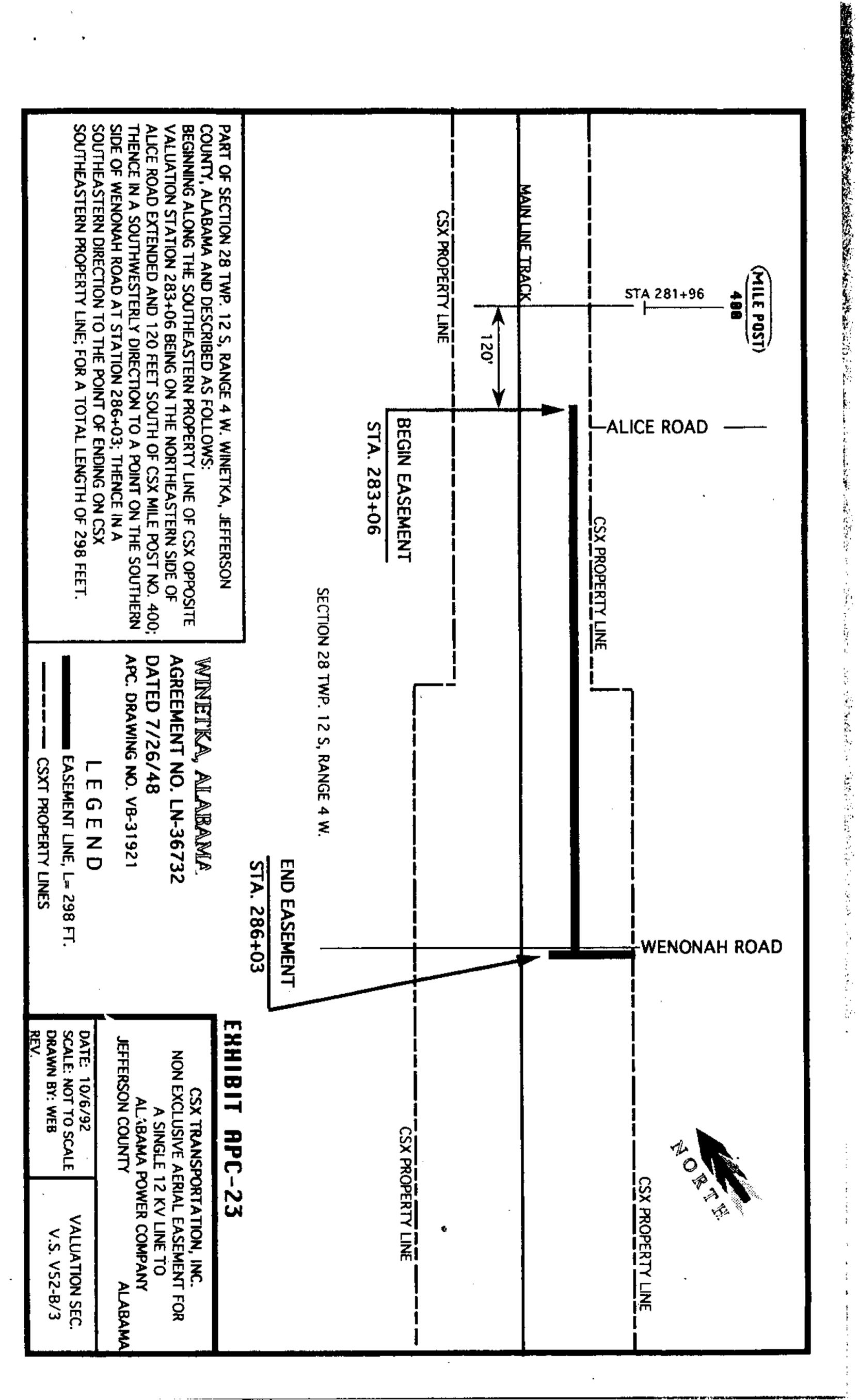
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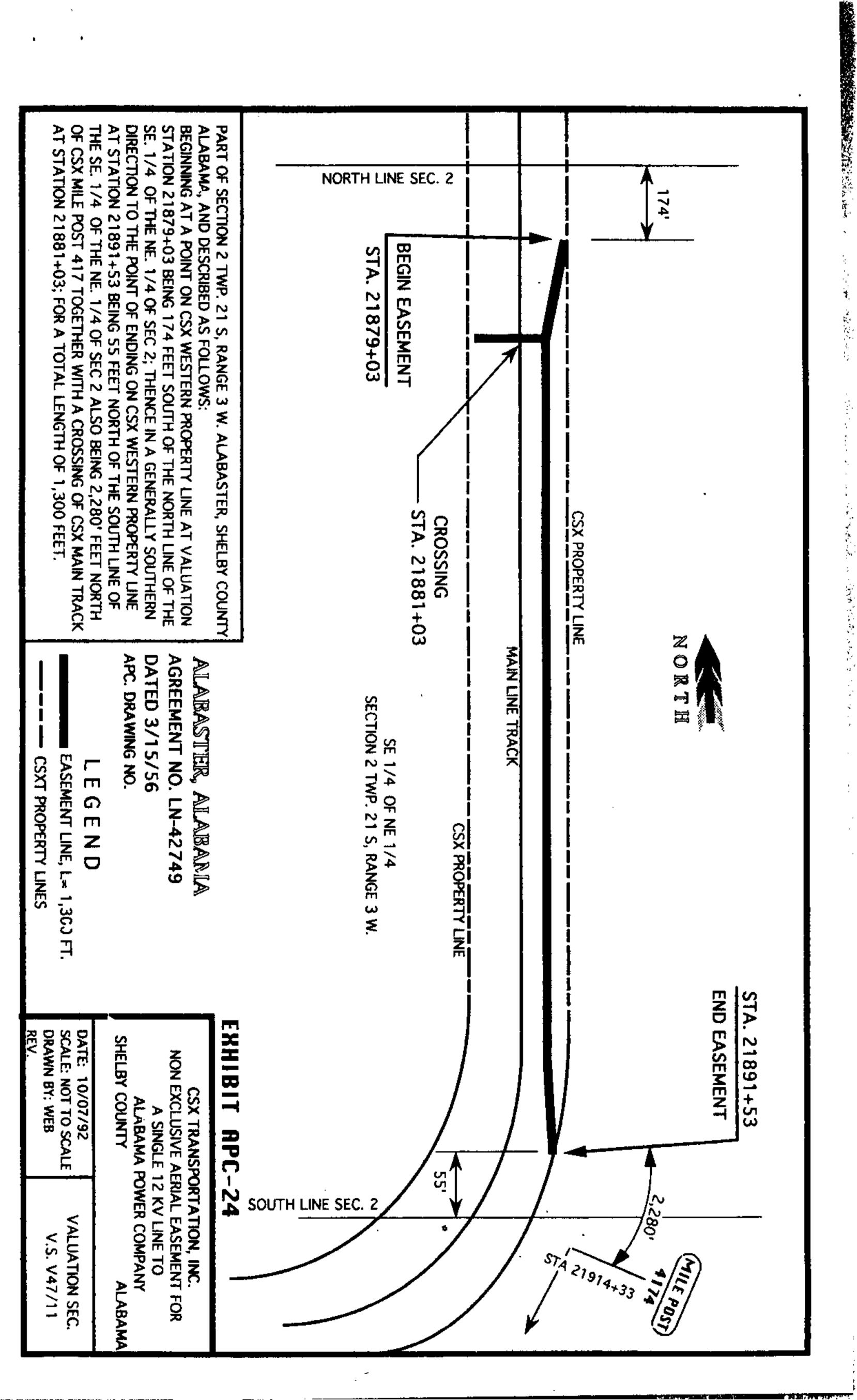
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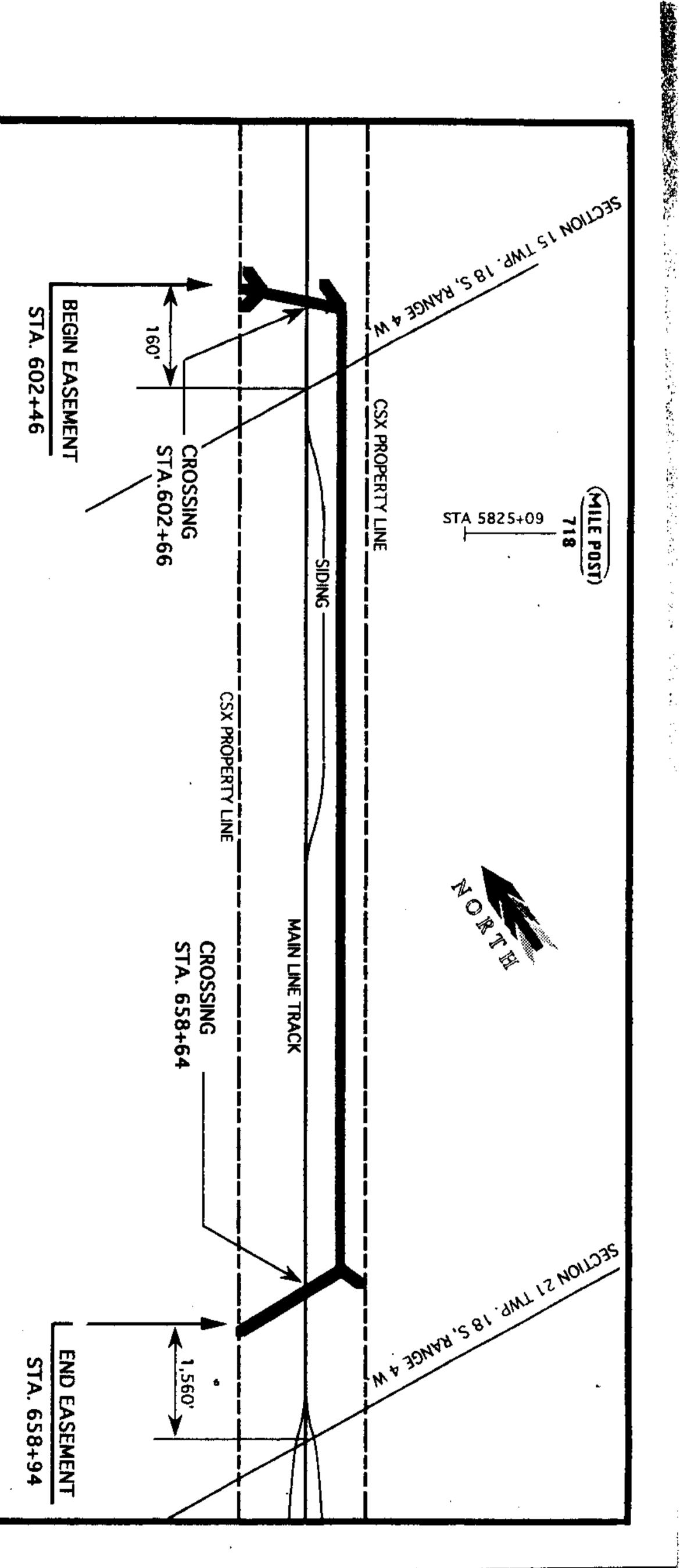
> DALLAS COUNTY NON EXCLUSIVE AERIAL EASEMENT CSX TRANSPORTATION, INC. ALABAMA POWER COMPANY A SINGLE 44 KV LINE TO ALABAMA Ę

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NORTH OF THE SOUTH LINE OF SECTION 21; FOR A TOTAL LENGTH OF NORTHWESTERN PROPERTY LINE AT STATION 658+94 BEING 1,560 FEET FEET TO A POINT; THENCE IN A WESTERN DIRECTION, CROSSING SAID MAIN OF SAID MAIN TRACK; THENCE IN A SOUTHWESTERN DIRECTION 5,537 CSX MAIN TRACK AT STATION 602+66, TO A POINT ON THE SOUTHERN SIDE VALUATION STATION 602+46± BEING 160 FEET NORTHEAST OF THE SOUTH 5,735 FEET. TRACK AT STATION 658+64, TO THE POINT OF ENDING ON CSX LINE OF SECTION 15; THENCE IN SOUTHEASTERN DIRECTION, CROSSING BEGINNING AT A POINT ON CSX NORTHWESTERN PROPERTY LINE AT CSX JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: PART OF SECTION 15 AND 21, TWP. 18 S, RANGE 4 W. COLLINS,

> APC. DRAWING NO. DATED 1/08/58 AGREEMENT NO. LN-44108 COLLINS, ALABAMA

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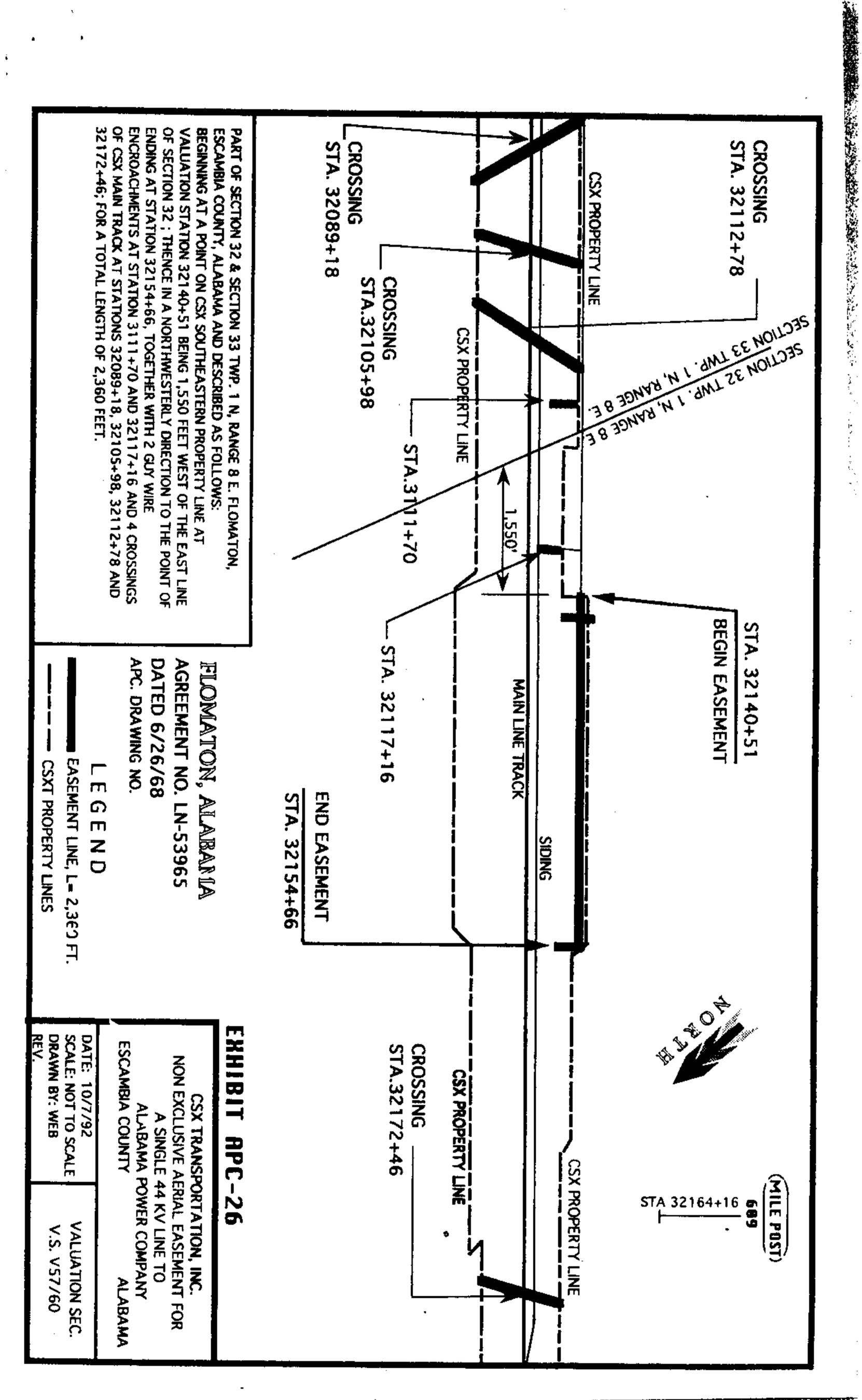
EXHIBIT **RPC-25**

JEFFERSON COUNTY NON EXCLUSIVE AERIAL EASEMENT CSX TRANSPORTATION, INC. ALABAMA POWER COMPANY A SINGLE 115 KV I LINE TO ALABAMA Ŗ

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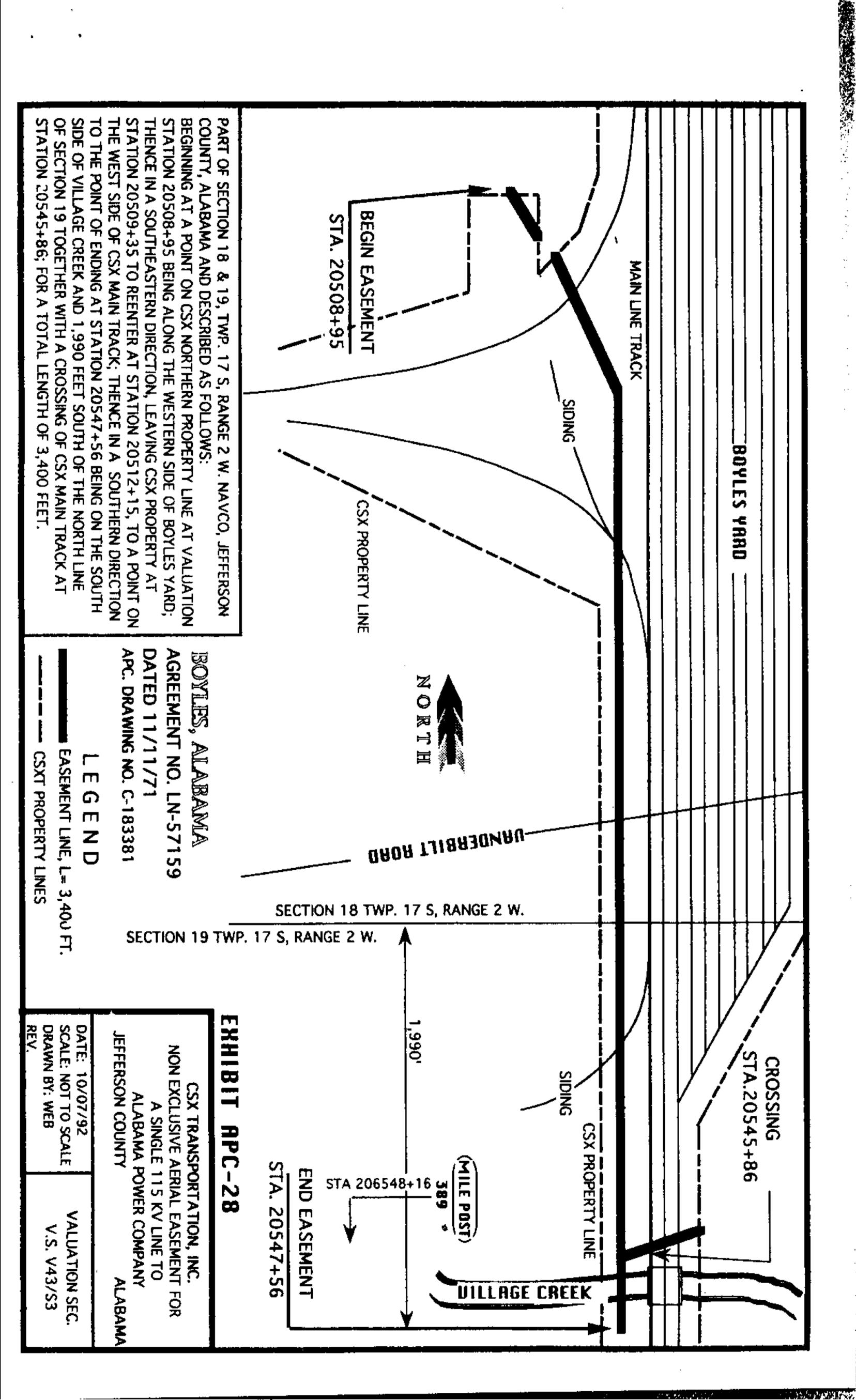
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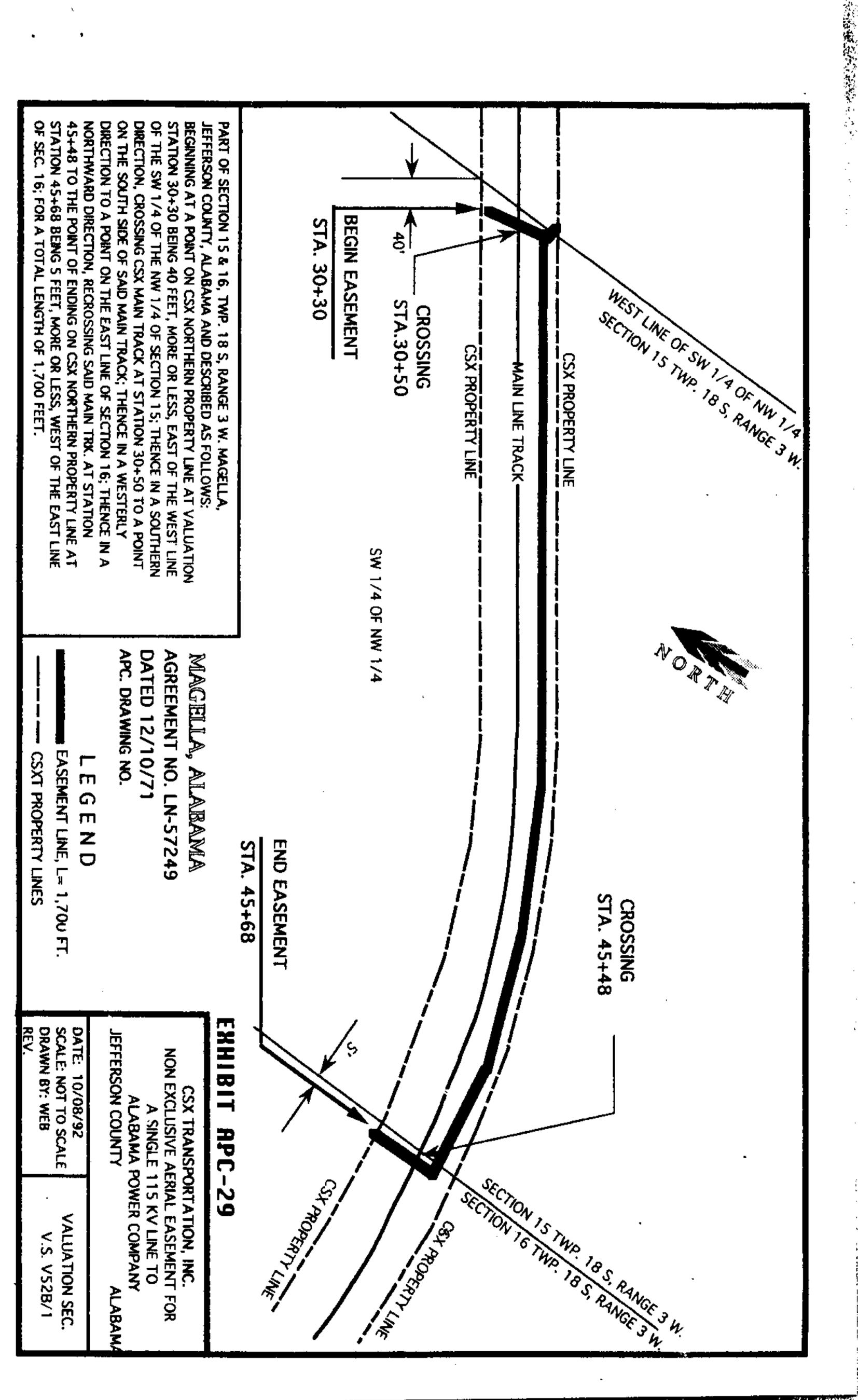


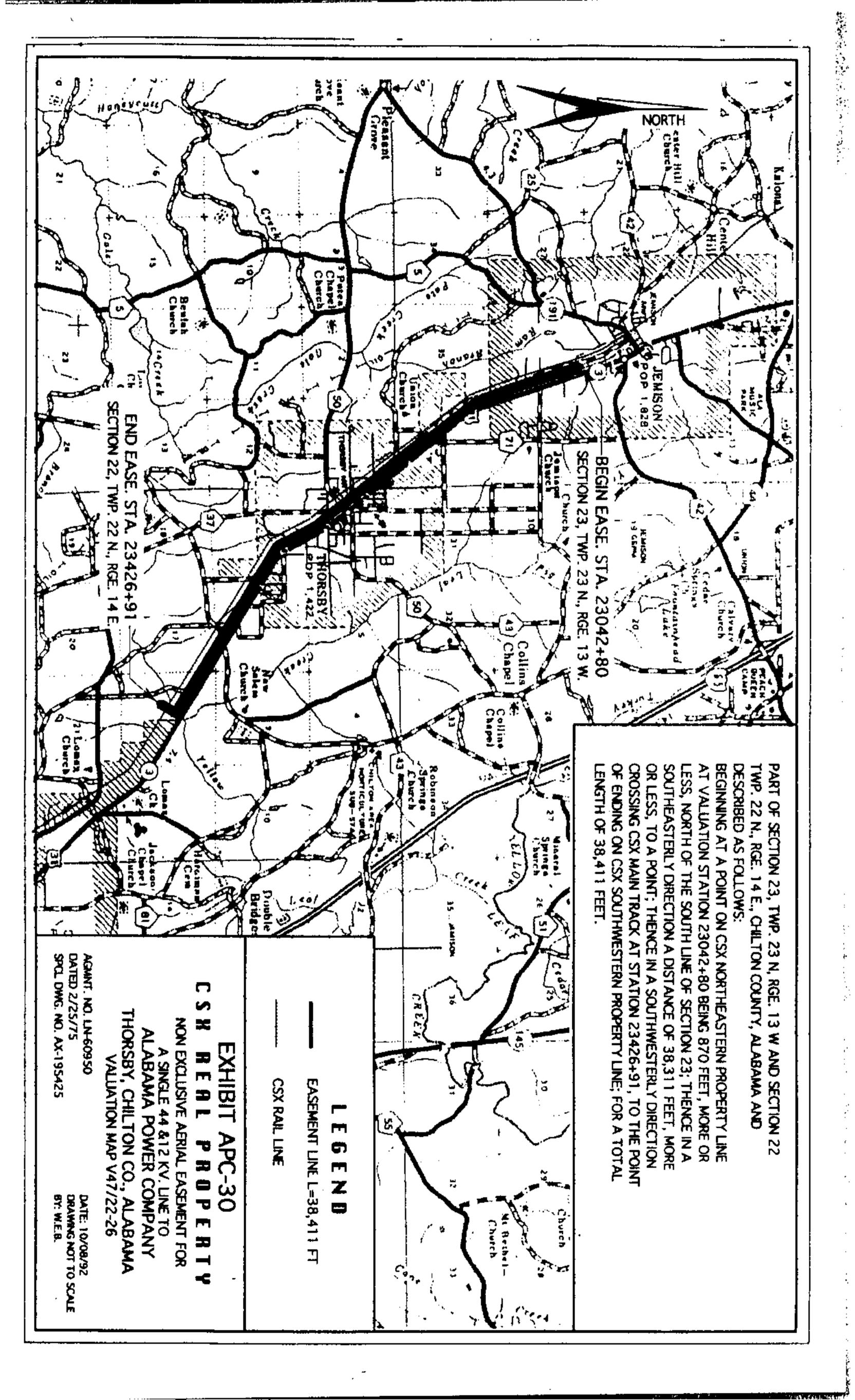
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PART OF NAVCO, MOBILE COUNTY, ALABAMA AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS BEGINNING AT A POINT ON CSX SOUTHEASTERN PROPERTY LINE AT VALUATION STATION 35524+48 BEING ON THE WESTERN SIDE OF NAVCO ROAD; THENCE IN A GENERALLY EASTERLY DIRECTION TO THE POINT OF ENDING AT STATION 35538+36 BEING 500 FEET EAST OF CSX MILE POST 673; FOR A TOTAL LENGTH OF 1,388 FEET.				CSX PROPERTY LINE	Ì	SiDINGSIDING	CSX PROPERTY LINE	673 6 END EASEMENT STA. 35538+36 END EASEMENT
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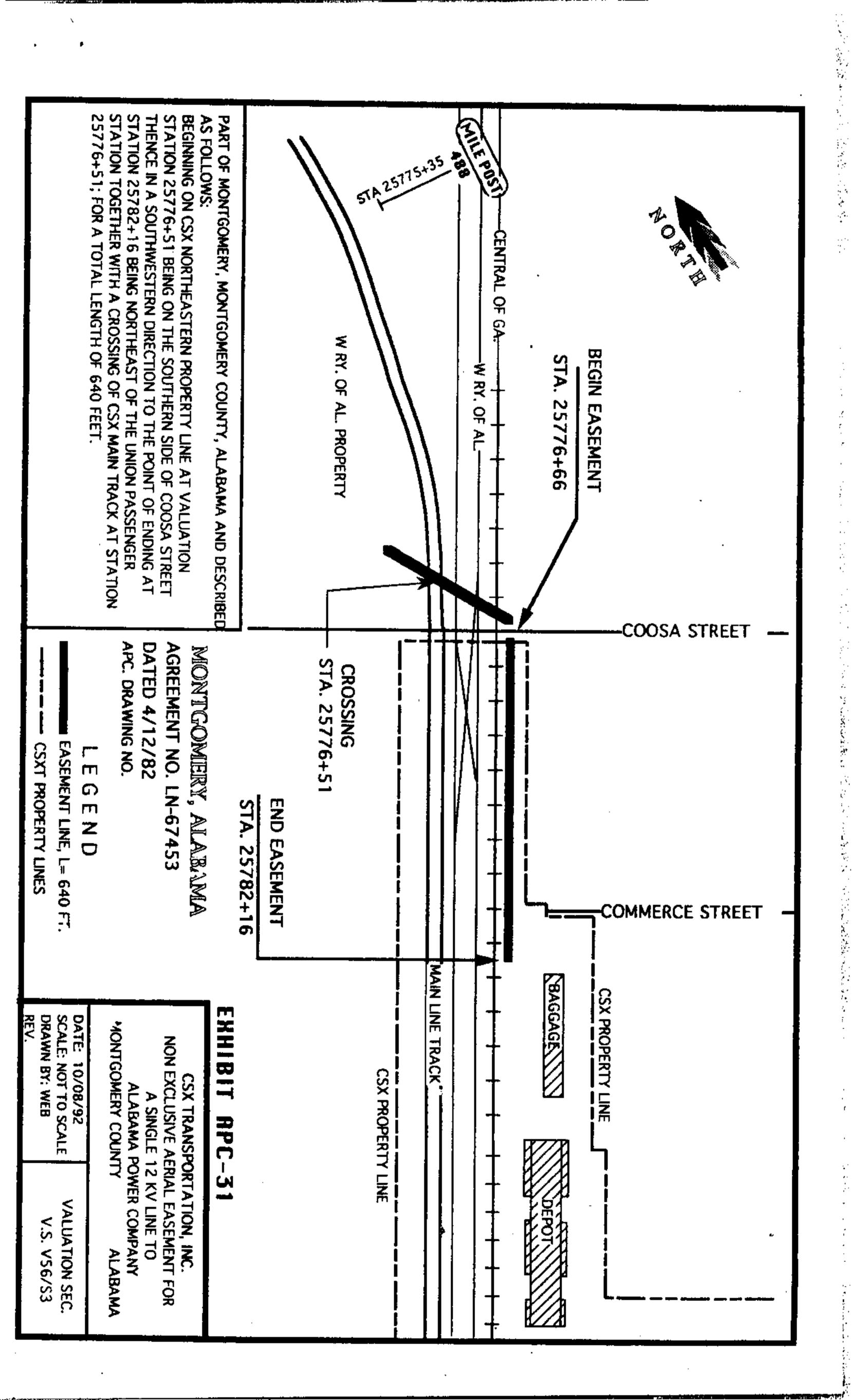
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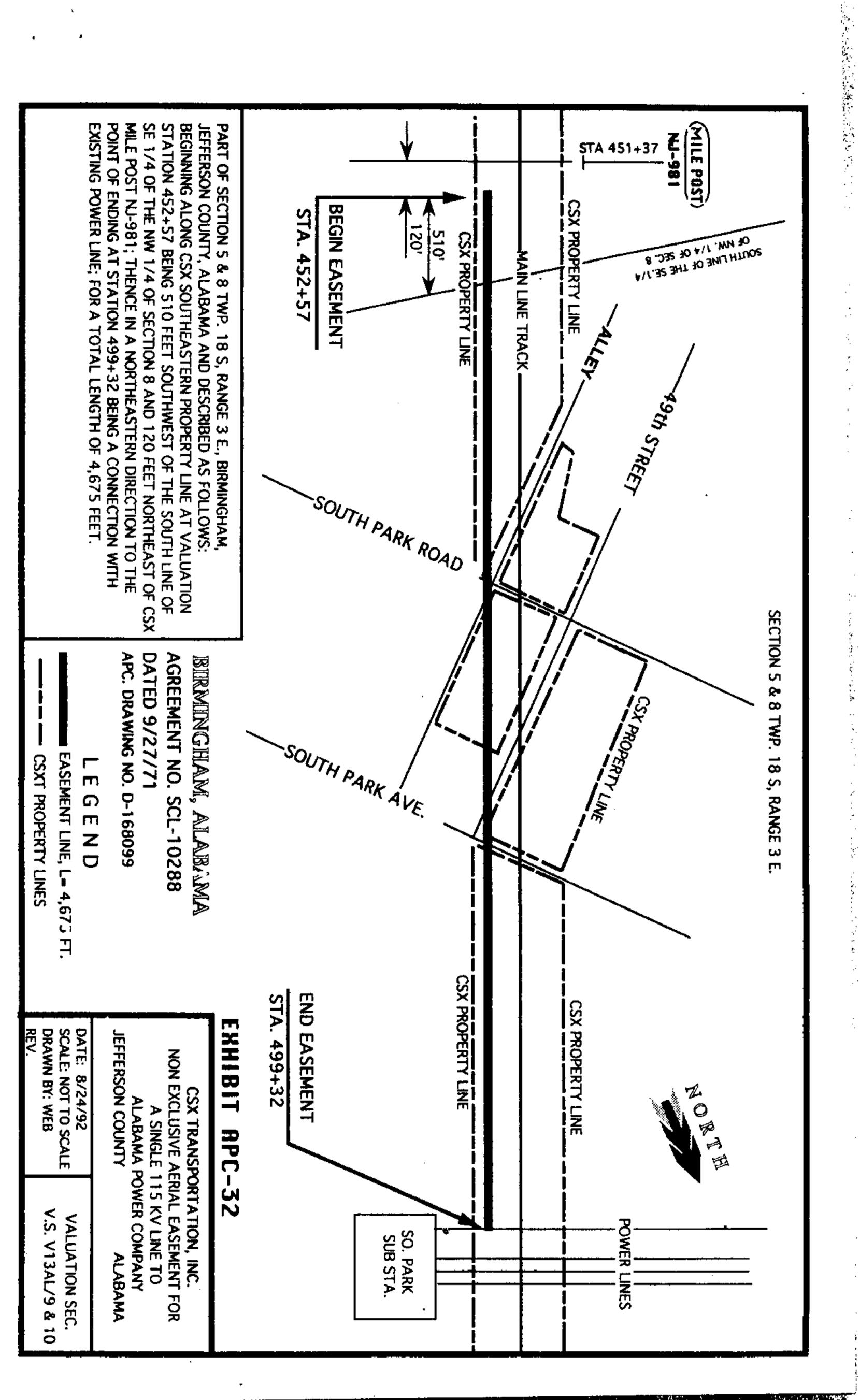
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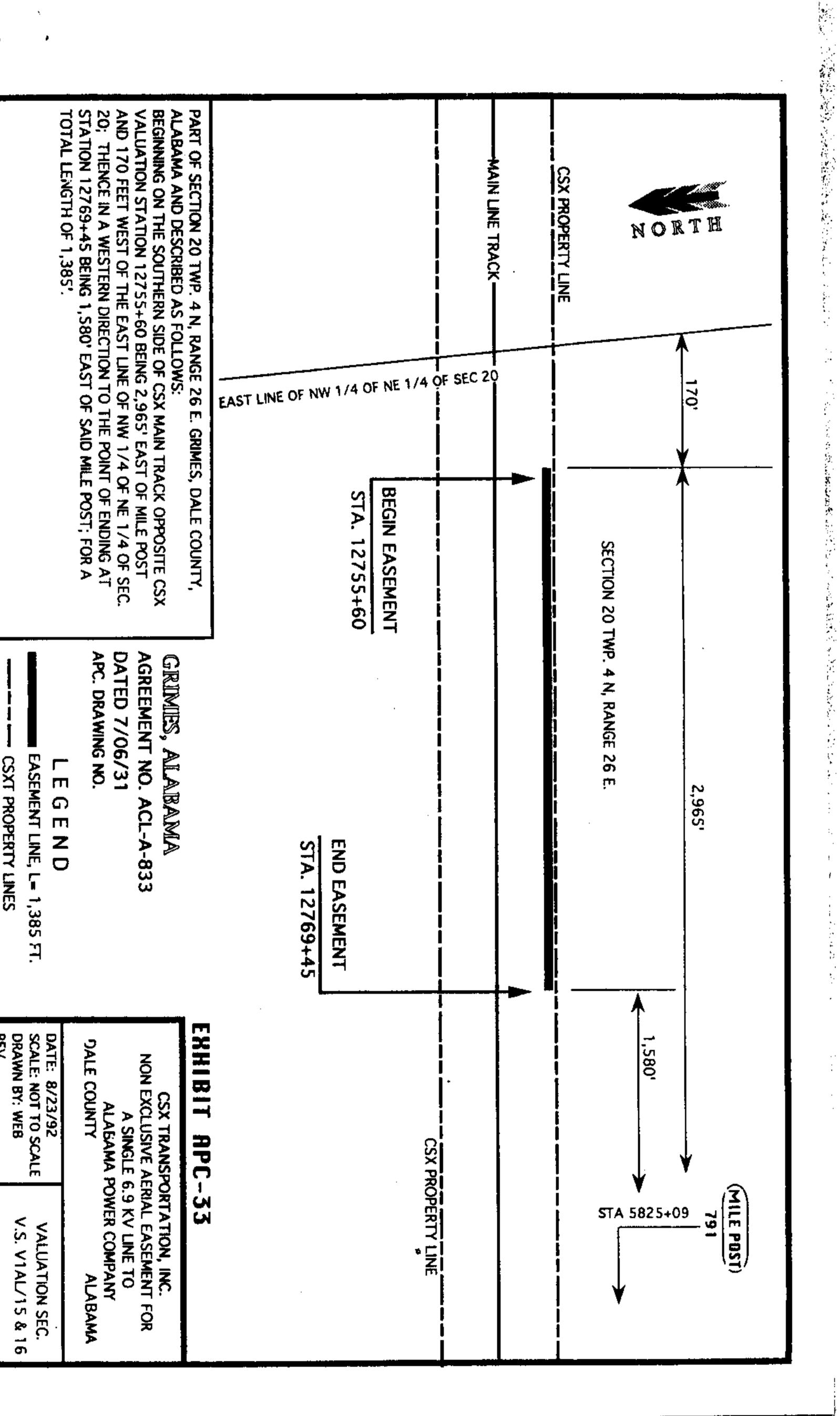


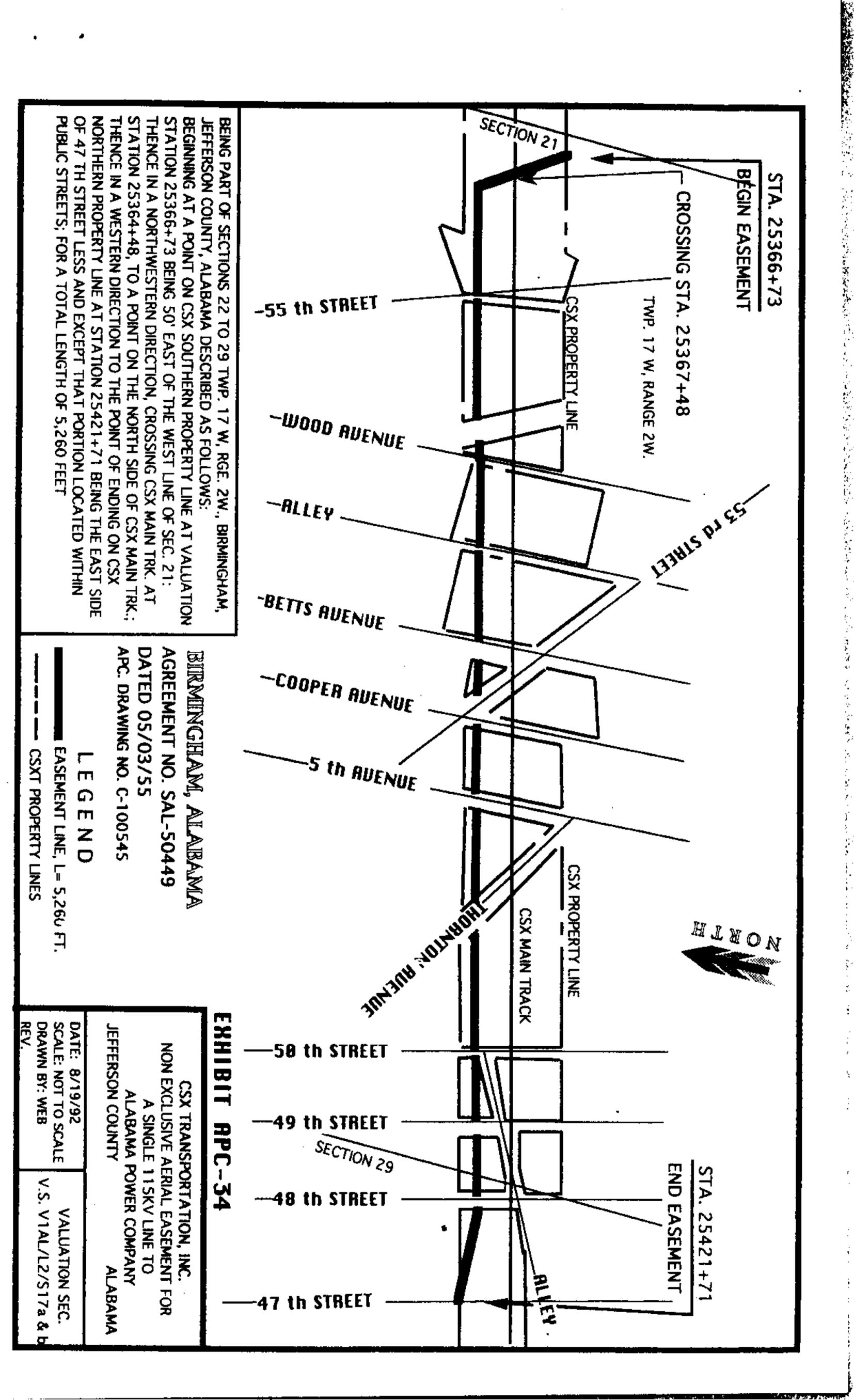


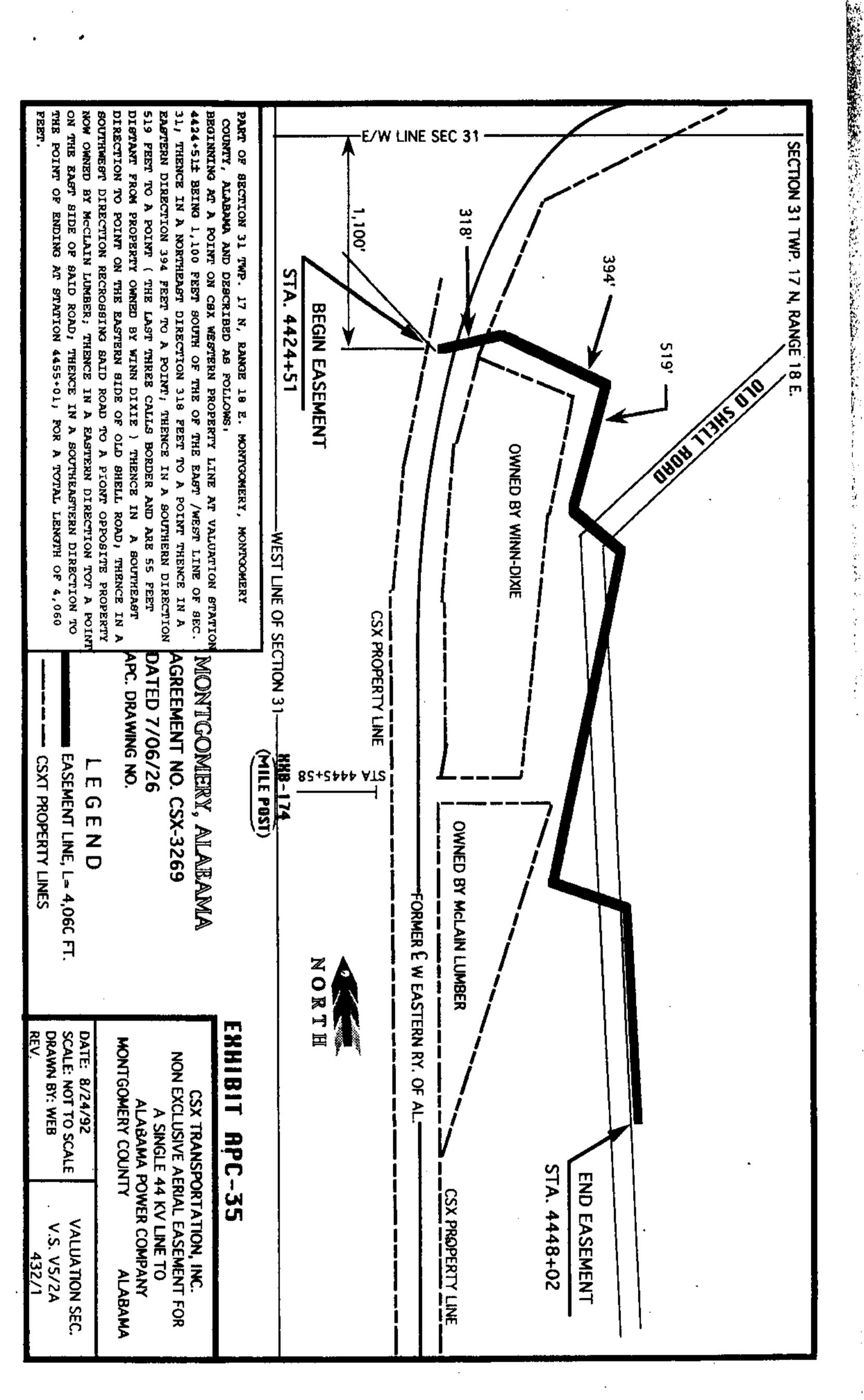


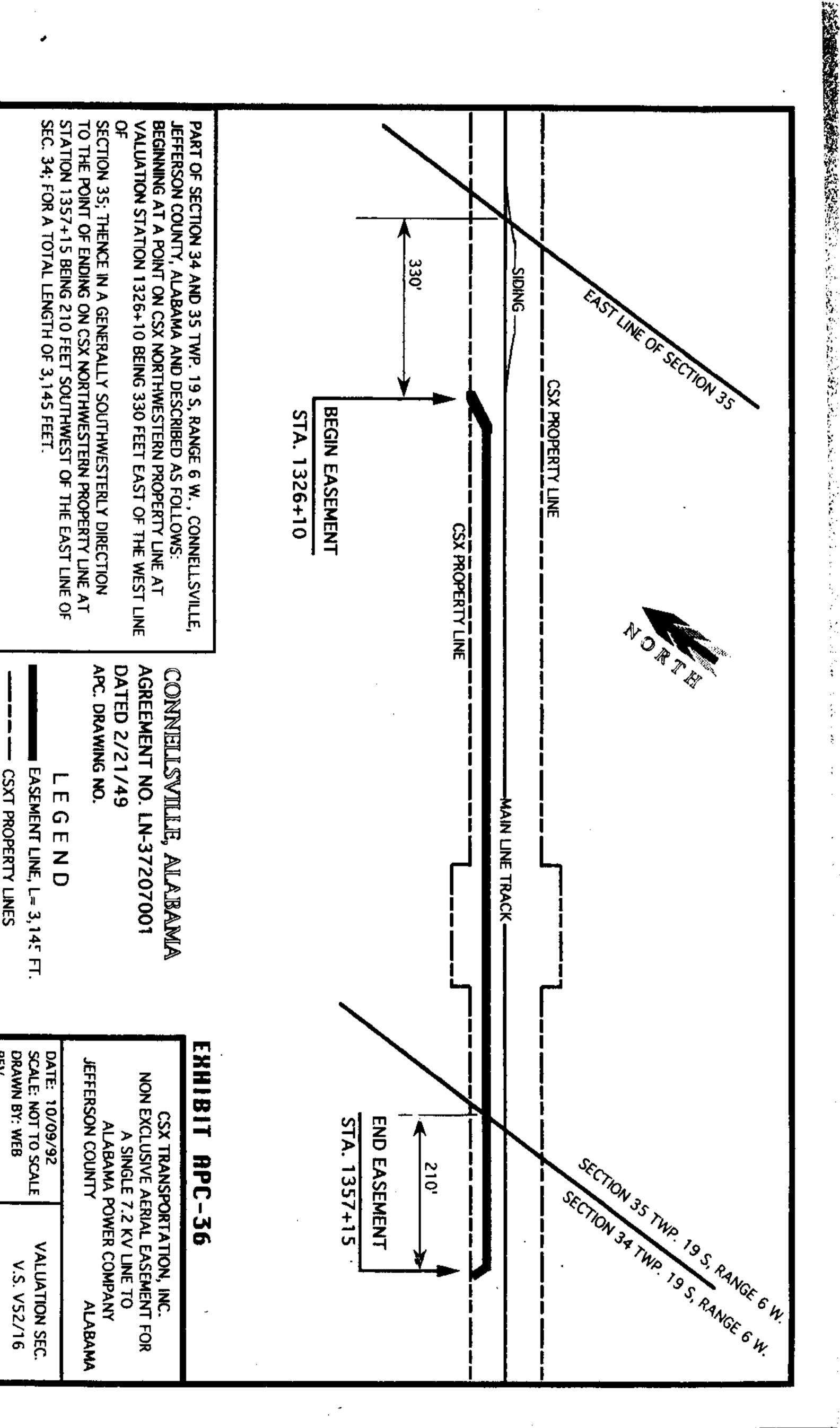




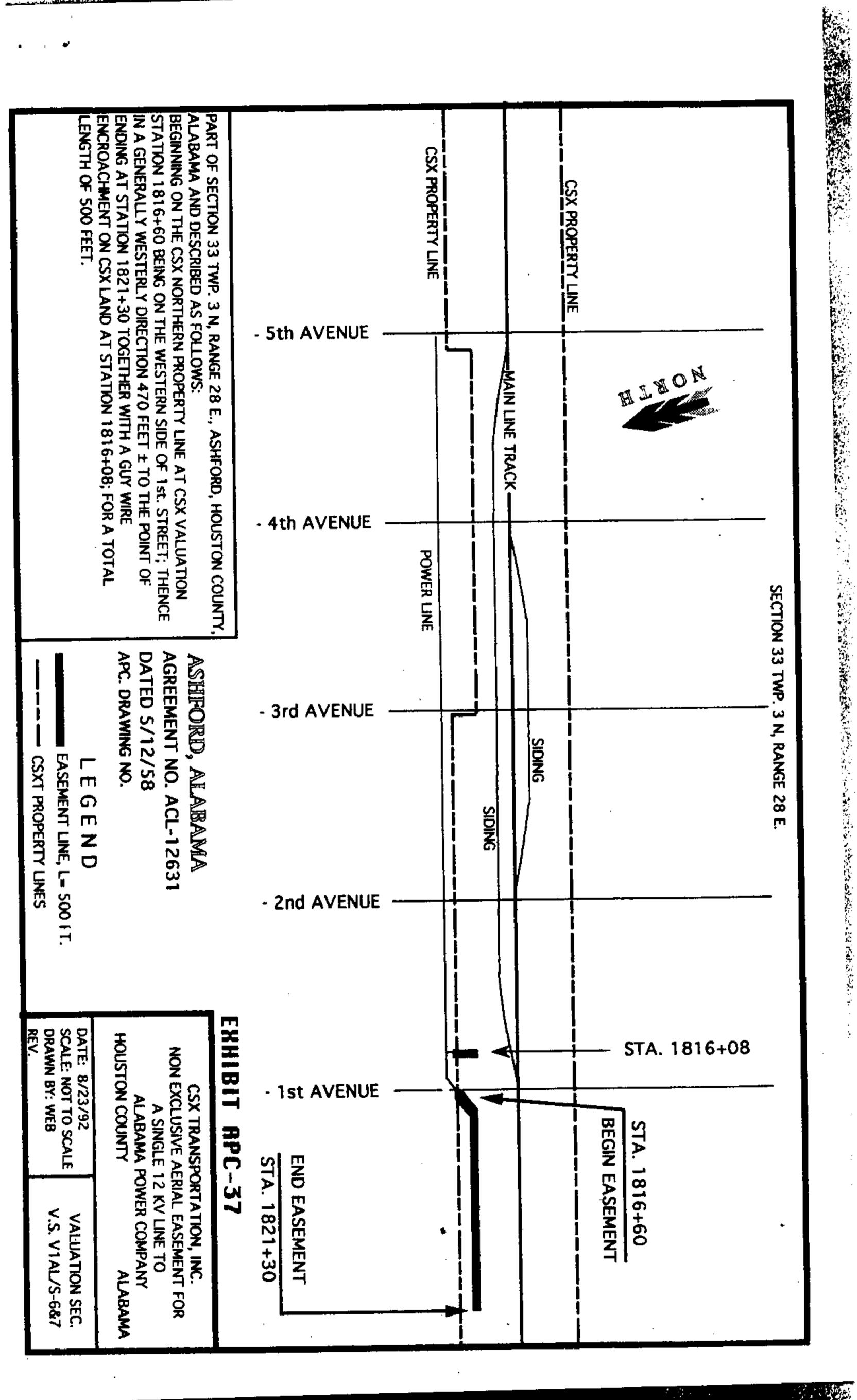


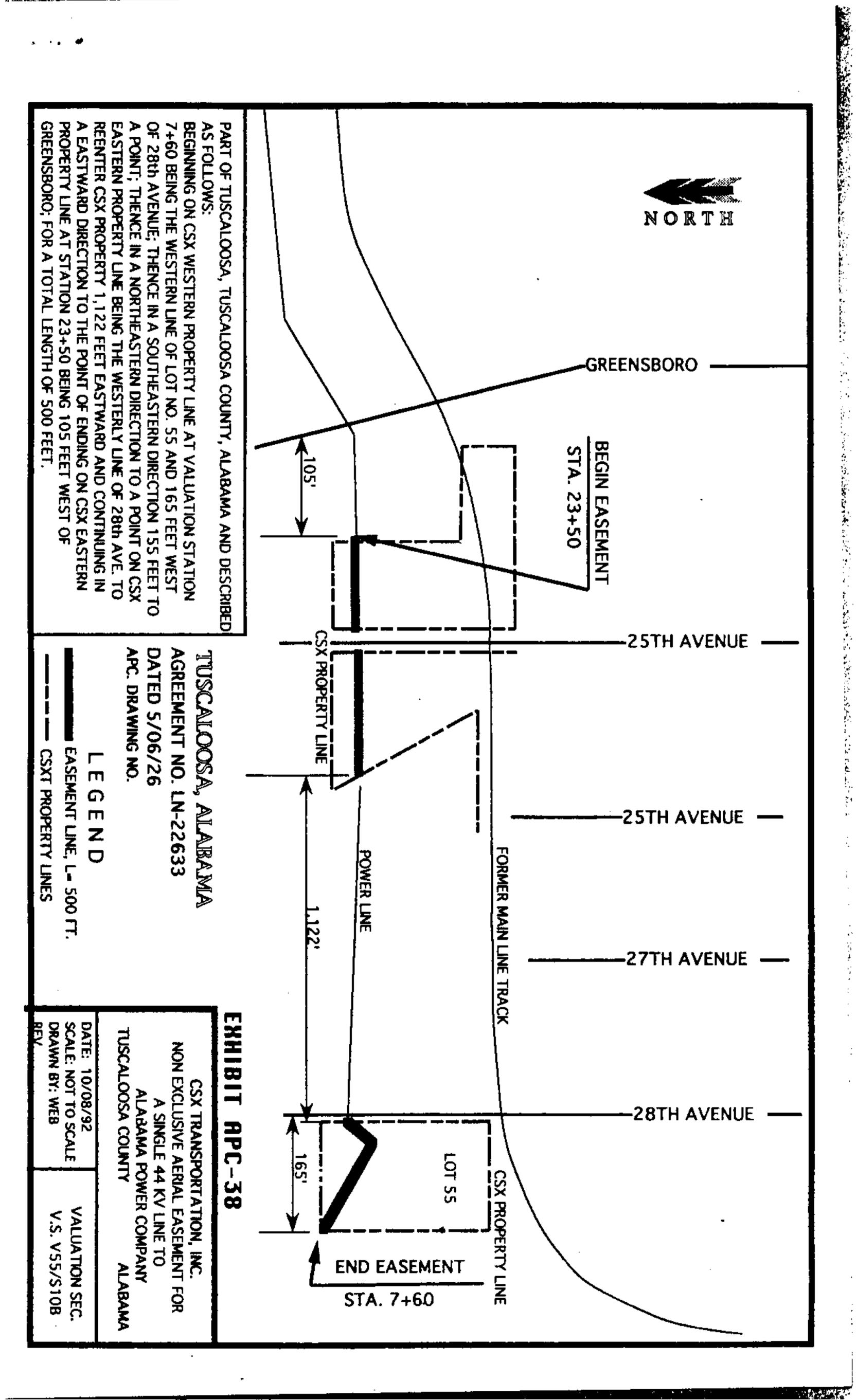


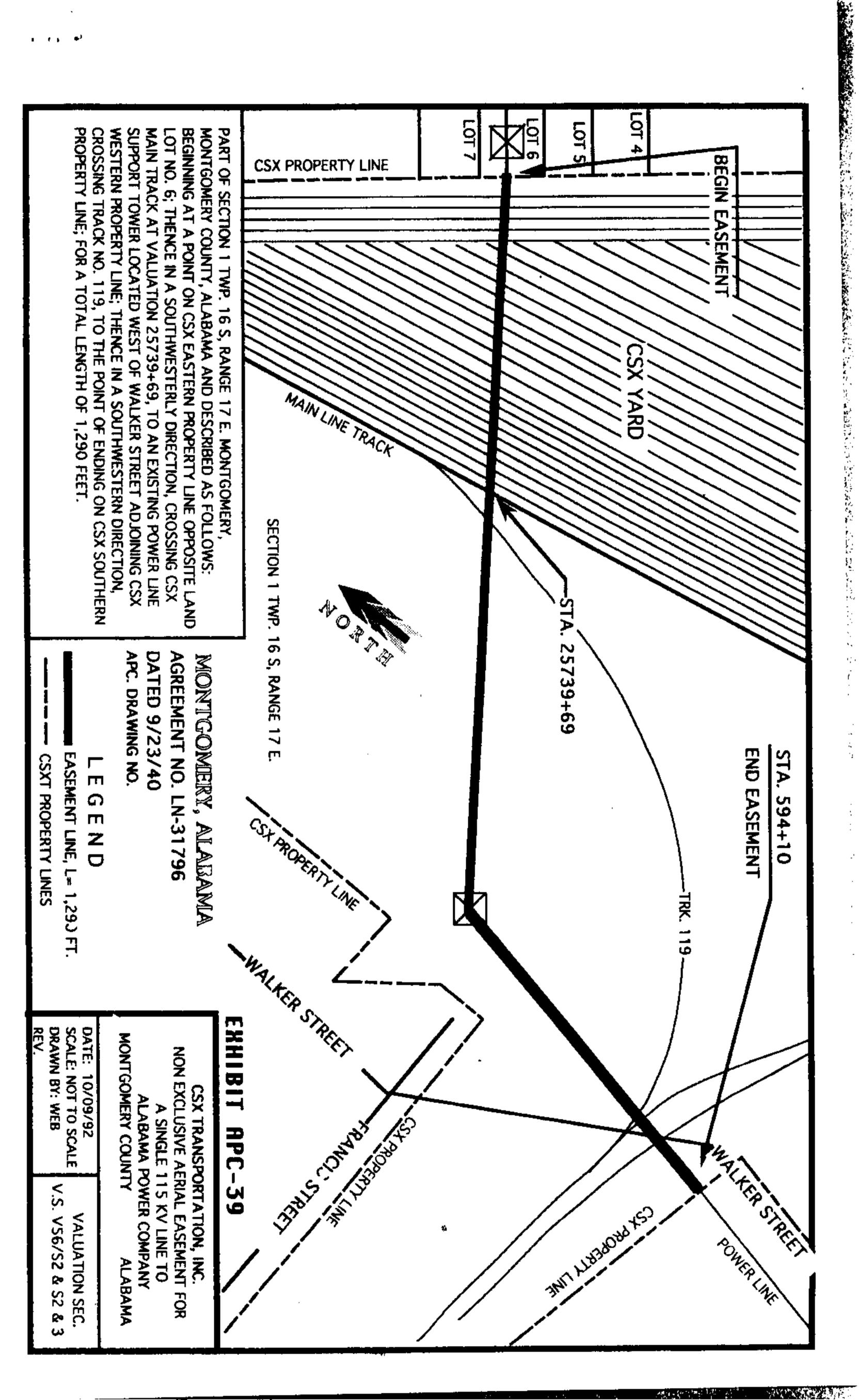


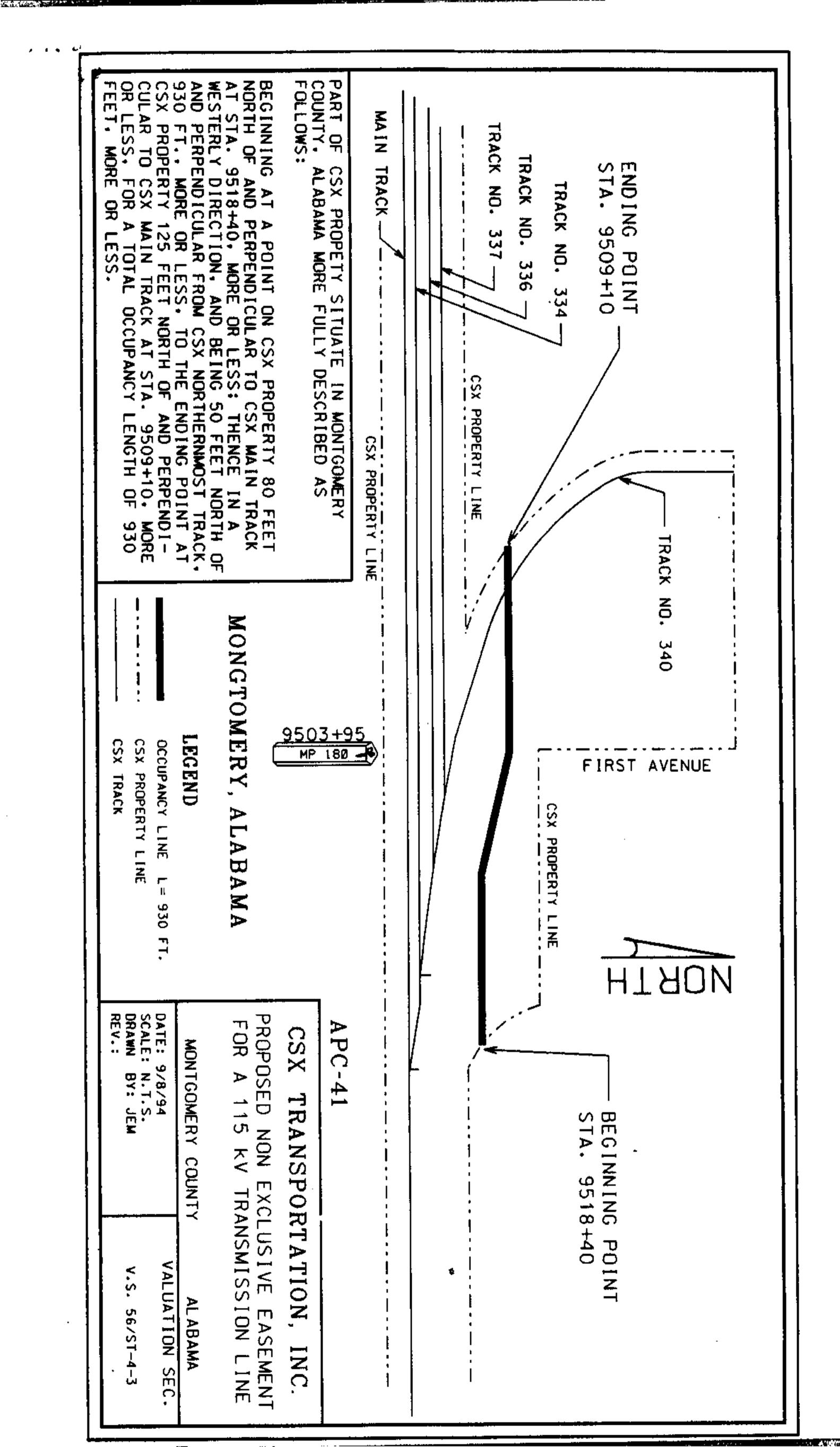


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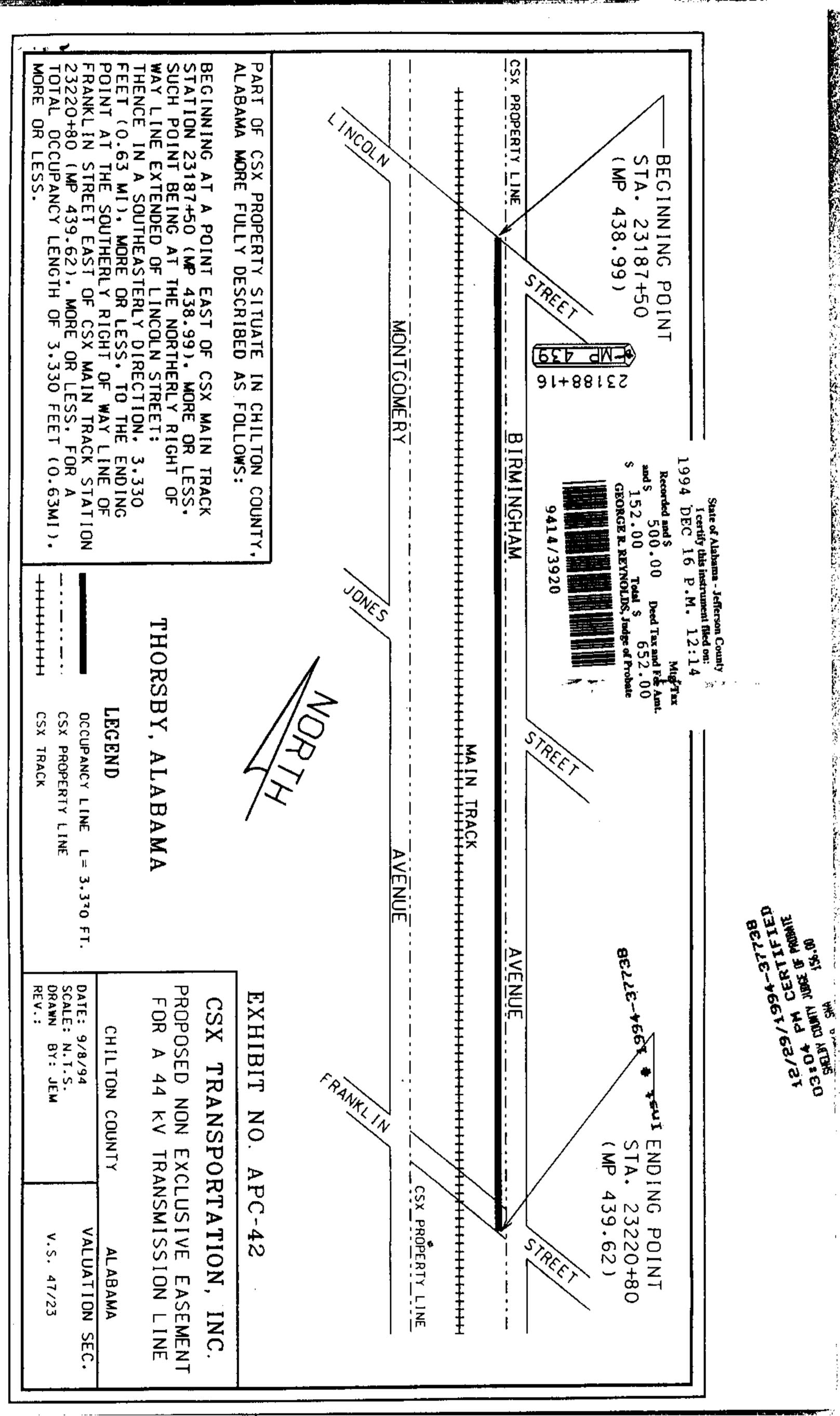






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