

STATE OF ALABAMA)
SHELBY COUNTY)

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RELEASE OF LIEN

WHEREAS, ABC Rail Corporation, a corporation organized under the laws of Delaware and having its principal place of business in Chicago, Illinois (hereinafter "ABC"), and Robinson, Inc., a corporation organized under the laws of Alabama and having its principal place of business in Shelby County, Alabama (hereinafter "Robinson"), entered into a contract dated May 9, 1994 (hereinafter "machine shop contract") pursuant to which Robinson agreed to construct a new machine shop at ABC's Calera, Alabama facility and ABC agreed to pay Robinson the amount of four hundred eighty thousand dollars and no cents (\$480,000.00); and entered into a contract for the renovation of the Plant office (hereafter "office renovation") on a cost-plus basis.

WHEREAS, during the performance of the machine shop contract and office renovation, the parties agreed to certain changes in the scope of the work and corresponding changes in the contract price and all such changes have resulted in a total agreed upon price of Six Hundred, Seventy-six Thousand, Four Hundred Fifty-three & 58/100 (\$676,453.58), for Robinson's actual performance of the machine shop contract and office renovation.

WHEREAS, Robinson, in accordance with Sec. 15.4 of the machine shop contract, desires to release any right, title, interest, lien or claim it may have in ABC's Calera, Alabama facility pursuant to Alabama Code Section 35-11-210, et seq. arising out of its performance of the machine shop contract, and/or office renovation, but does not intend to release any right, title, interest, lien or claim it may otherwise have in ABC's Calera, Alabama facility arising out of the "No. 2 Electric Arc Furnace project" and the foundation subcontract with Promac, Inc.; the Electric Arc Furnace project and Promac, Inc. foundation subcontract being unrelated to the machine shop contract or office renovation, and Robinson having asserted a lien or liens arising out of the Electric Arc furnace project and Promac, Inc. foundation subcontract by that certain verified claim of lien executed by Robinson on December 19, 1994, and filed for record in the Office of the Judge of Probate for Shelby County, Alabama and there recorded on December 21, 1994 as instrument number 1994-37119.

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NOW, THEREFORE, Robinson, by and through its agent Osmond Robinson, hereby (a) acknowledges, for itself, its successors and assigns, the receipt and sufficiency of payments from ABC totaling Six Hundred, Seventy-six Thousand, Four Hundred Fifty-three & 58/100 (\$676,453.58), and constituting payment in full to Robinson of the total amount due Robinson from ABC for Robinson's entire performance of the machine shop contract, and office renovation, (b) acknowledges, for itself, its successors and assigns, that Robinson does not have any right, title, interest, lien or claim in ABC's Calera, Alabama facility or any other property, real or personal, of ABC whatsoever arising out of the performance of the machine shop contract, or office renovation, and (c) covenants for itself, its successors and assigns, to ABC, its successors and assigns that it (Robinson) will not assert any such above described lien against ABC, its successors or assigns.

FURTHERMORE, Robinson does not release by this instrument, and expressly excepts and/or reserves to itself, its successors and assigns any and all of the right, title, interest, lien or claim to which it is entitled pursuant to Alabama Code Section 35-11-210 et seq. arising out of Robinson's performance of the No. 2 Arc Furnace Project at ABC's Calera, Alabama facility, both as a contractor of ABC and/or as a contractor of Promac, Inc. (the general contractor of that project) and for the foundation subcontract with Promac, Inc.; that interest being specifically claimed in that certain verified claim of lien executed by Robinson on December 19, 1994 and filed for record in the Office of the Judge of Probate for Shelby County, Alabama on December 21, 1994 and there recorded as instrument number 1994-37119.

ROBINSON, INC.

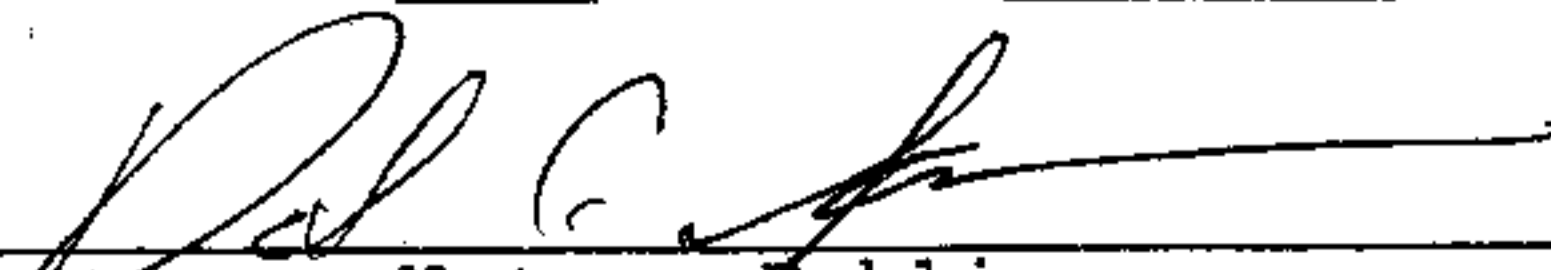
By 
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Its agent

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I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that Osmond Robinson, whose name as agent of Robinson, Inc. 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 representative and with full authority, executed the same voluntarily and as the act of Robinson, Inc. on the day and year set forth below.

Given under my hand, this the 10th day of March, 1995.


Notary Public
My commission expires: 15 Nov. 98

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