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CORPORATION FORM WARRANTY DEED, JOINTLY FOR LIFE WITH REMAINDER TO SURVIVOR

STATE OF ALABAMA

SHELBY COUNTY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,

That in consideration of ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY FIVE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED & NO/100--- (\$185,500.00) DOLLARS to the undersigned grantor, J. Elliott Corp. a corporation, (herein referred to as the GRANTOR), in hand paid by the GRANTEES herein, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said GRANTOR does by these presents, grant, bargain, sell and convey unto Stephanie Little Bennett and Mary K. Bennett (herein referred to as GRANTEES) for and during their joint lives and upon the death of either of them, then to the survivor of them in fee simple, together with every contingent remainder and right of reversion, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama:

Lot 16, according to the map of Royal Forest, as recorded in Map Book 14 page 44, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama; being situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Mineral and mining rights excepted.

Subject to existing easements, current taxes, restrictions, set-back lines and rights of way, if any, of record.

\$139,100.00 of the above-recited purchase price was paid from a mortgage loan closed simultaneously herewith.

GRANTEES' ADDRESS: 273 Baron Drive, Chelsea, Alabama 35043.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD to the said GRANTEES for and during their joint lives and upon the death of either of them, then to the survivor of them in fee simple, and to the heirs and assigns of such survivor forever, together with every contingent remainder and right of reversion.

And said GRANTOR does for itself, its successors and assigns, covenant with said GRANTEES, their heirs and assigns, that it 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, the said GRANTOR by its President, James W. Elliott, who is authorized to execute this conveyance, hereto set its signature and seal, this the 16th day of February, 1996.

J. Elliott Corp.

By:

James W. Elliott, President

STATE OF ALABAMA COUNTY OF SHELBY COUNTY 02/19/1996-05272 12:46 PM CERTIFIED SHELBY COUNTY JUDGE OF PROBATE

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said state, hereby certify that James W. Elliott whose name as the President of J. Elliott Corp., 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 16th day of February, 1996

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Notary Public 3-30-99