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CORPORATION FORM WARRANTY DEED

STATE OF ALABAMA  
SHELBY COUNTY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,

That in consideration of EIGHTY SIX THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED SIXTY SEVEN & NO/100 (\$86,267.00) DOLLARS to the undersigned grantor, Carter Homebuilders, Inc. a corporation, (herein referred to as the GRANTOR), in hand paid by the GRANTEE herein, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said GRANTOR does by these presents, grant, bargain, sell and convey unto Arthur J. Casarez, a single individual (herein referred to as GRANTEE, whether one or more), the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama:

Inst # 1997-06417

Lot 3, according to the survey of Willow Point, Phase I, as recorded in Map Book 21 page 101 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama; being situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

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

\$86,196.00 of the above-recited purchase price was paid from a mortgage loan closed simultaneously herewith.

GRANTEES' ADDRESS: 108 Willow Point Lane, Alabaster, Alabama 35007.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, To the said GRANTEE, his, her, or their heirs and assigns forever.

And said GRANTOR does for itself, its successors and assigns, covenant with said GRANTEE, his, her or their heirs and assigns, that it is lawfully seized in fee simple of said premises; that they are free from all encumbrances, 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 GRANTEE, his, her or their heirs, executors and assigns forever, against the lawful claims of all persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said GRANTOR by its Vice President, Rayburn Carter, who is authorized to execute this conveyance, hereto set its signature and seal, this the 27th day of February, 1997.

Carter Homebuilders, Inc.  
By: Rayburn Carter  
Rayburn Carter, Vice President

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09:35 AM CERTIFIED  
SHELBY COUNTY JUDGE OF PROBATE  
001 NCB 9.00

STATE OF ALABAMA  
COUNTY OF SHELBY COUNTY

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said state, hereby certify that Rayburn Carter whose name as the Vice President of Carter Homebuilders, 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 27th day of February, 1997

[Signature]  
Notary Public

COURTNEY H. MASON  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES  
3/5/99