

RELEASE

STATE OF ALABAMA )

COUNTY OF SHELBY )

That, for value received NATIONSBANK, N.A. [formerly known as NationsBank, N.A. (Carolinas)], a national banking association, as Agent ("Mortgagee"), does hereby release and forever discharge from the lien and operation of that certain mortgage in the original principal sum of \$2,583,690.00, given to it by BROWN MOULDING COMPANY, INC. dated September 15, 1995, and filed for record in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama as Instrument No. 1995-25866, all of the property described in Exhibit A attached thereto and made a part thereof.

It is understood and agreed, that it is the intention of the Mortgagee to release the above described real property from the lien of the above described mortgage and security agreement, secured thereby, and without affecting or impairing the validity of any other lien or security interest held by the Mortgagee as security for any indebtedness owed by Brown Moulding Company, Inc. to the Mortgagee.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said NATIONSBANK, N.A., a national banking association, as Agent, has caused this instrument to be executed in its name by Diana Hamner Inman as its Vice President, and its bank seal to be affixed hereto and attested by Jacqueline MacRorie, as its Assistant Secretary, both of whom are thereunto duly authorized, for and on behalf of said association on this the 9<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1997.

NATIONSBANK, N.A. [f/k/a NationsBank, N.A. (Carolinas)], as Agent

ATTEST:

By: Jacqueline MacRorie  
JACQUELINE MACRORE  
Assistant Secretary

By: Diana Hamner Inman  
Diana Hamner Inman  
Senior Vice President

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA )  
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COUNTY OF MECKLENBURG )

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Diana Hamner Inman and Jacqueline MacRorie, whose names as Vice President and Assistant Secretary, respectively, of NATIONSBANK, N.A. [f/k/a NationsBank, N.A. (Carolinas)], a national banking association, as Agent, are signed to the foregoing instrument, and who are known to me, acknowledged before me on this day, that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, they as such officers and with full authority, executed the same voluntarily for and as the act of said association.

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 9<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1997.

Juan M. Beatty  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

12-17-2000  
(Notarial Seal)

THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY  
AND AFTER RECORDING MAIL TO:  
Moore & Van Allen, PLLC (DJQ)  
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