THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY: Courtney Mason & Associates, P.C. 1904 Indian Lake Drive, Suite 100 Birmingham, Alabama 35244

GRANTEE'S ADDRESS: Brandi M. Ford 508 Treymoor Lake Circle Alabaster, Alabama 35007

STATE OF ALABAMA

CORPORATION GENERAL WARRANTY DEED

COUNTY OF SHELBY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That, for and in consideration of Ninety-One Thousand Nine Hundred and 00/100 (\$91,900.00) DOLLARS, and other good and valuable consideration, this day in hand paid to the undersigned GRANTOR, Carter Homes & Development, Inc., a corporation (hereinafter referred to as GRANTOR), the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the GRANTOR does hereby give, grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the GRANTEE, Brandi M. Ford, a single individual, (hereinafter referred to as GRANTEE), her heirs and assigns, the following described Real Estate, lying and being in the County of SHELBY, State of Alabama, to-wit:

Lot 503, according to the Survey of Weatherly, Aberdeen, Sector 18, as recorded in Map Book 21 page 148 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.

\$90,184.00 of the above-recited purchase price was paid from a mortgage loan closed simultaneously herewith.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, the tract or parcel of land above described together with all and singular the rights. privileges, tenements, appurtenances, and improvements unto the said GRANTEE, her heirs and assigns forever.

AND SAID GRANTOR, for said GRANTOR, GRANTOR'S heirs, successors, executors and administrators, covenants with GRANTEE, and with GRANTEE'S heirs and assigns, that GRANTOR are lawfully seized in fee simple of the said Real Estate; that said Real Estate is free and clear from all Liens and Encumbrances, except as hereinabove set forth, and except for taxes due for the current and subsequent years, and except for any Restrictions pertaining to the Real Estate of record in the Probate Office of said County; and that GRANTOR will, and GRANTOR'S heirs, executors and administrators shall, warrant and defend the same to said GRANTEE, and GRANTEE'S heirs and assigns, forever against the lawful claims of all persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said GRANTOR, as such Officer, has hereunto set his hand and seal this the 29th day of April, 1998.

Carter Homes & Development, Inc.

By: Rayburn Carter, Vice President

STATE OF ALABAMA)

COUNTY OF SHELBY)

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, hereby certify that Rayburn Carter, whose name as Vice President of Carter Homes & Development, Inc., 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, he, as such officer and with full authority, signed his name voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 29th day of April, 1998.

NOTARY PUBLIC
My Commission Expires: 10/3/200/

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