

RECORDATION REQUESTED BY:

SOUTHTRUST EQUITY LINE
C/O STEWART TITLE
2700 HWY 280 SO. SUITE 60
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35223-

WHEN RECORDED MAIL TO:

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SEND TAX NOTICES TO:

DIANA M. WARD and JOHN M. WARD
4677 WOODDALE LANE
PELHAM, AL 35124

Inst # 1998-18402

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SHELBY COUNTY JUDGE OF PROBATE
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MODIFICATION OF MORTGAGE

THIS MODIFICATION OF MORTGAGE IS DATED APRIL 29, 1998, BETWEEN DIANA M. WARD and JOHN M. WARD, WIFE AND HUSBAND, (referred to below as "Grantor"), whose address is 4677 WOODDALE LANE, PELHAM, AL 35124; and SouthTrust Bank, National Association (referred to below as "Lender"), whose address is 5376 Highway 280, Birmingham, AL 35242.

MORTGAGE. Grantor and Lender have entered into a mortgage dated April 26, 1996 (the "Mortgage") recorded in SHELBY County, State of Alabama as follows:

RECORDED IN INST #1996-20086

REAL PROPERTY DESCRIPTION. The Mortgage covers the following described real property (the "Real Property") located in SHELBY County, State of Alabama:

LOT 19, ACCORDING TO THE SURVEY OF CHARPARRAL, SECOND SOUTH, AS RECORDED IN MAP BOOK 8, PAGE 142, IN THE PROBATE OFFICE OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA.

The Real Property or its address is commonly known as 4677 WOODDALE LANE, PELHAM, AL 35124.

MODIFICATION. Grantor and Lender hereby modify the Mortgage as follows:

INCREASE MORTGAGE AMOUNT FROM \$25,000.00 TO \$35,000.00. FOR MORTGAGE TAX PURPOSES, THIS LINE WAS INCREASED BY \$10,000.00..

CONTINUING VALIDITY. Except as expressly modified above, the terms of the original Mortgage shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect. Consent by Lender to this Modification does not waive Lender's right to require strict performance of the Mortgage as changed above nor obligate Lender to make any future modifications. Nothing in this Modification shall constitute a satisfaction of the promissory note or other credit agreement secured by the Mortgage (the "Note"). It is the intention of Lender to retain as liable all parties to the Mortgage and all parties, makers and endorser to the Note, including accommodation parties, unless a party is expressly released by Lender in writing. Any maker or endorser, including accommodation makers, shall not be released by virtue of this Modification. If any person who signed the original Mortgage does not sign this Modification, then all persons signing below acknowledge that this Modification is given conditionally, based on the representation to Lender that the non-signing person consents to the changes and provisions of this Modification or otherwise will not be released by it. This waiver applies not only to any initial extension or modification, but also to all such subsequent actions.

EACH GRANTOR ACKNOWLEDGES HAVING READ ALL THE PROVISIONS OF THIS MODIFICATION OF MORTGAGE, AND EACH GRANTOR AGREES TO ITS TERMS.

CAUTION — IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU THOROUGHLY READ THE CONTRACT BEFORE YOU SIGN IT.

GRANTOR:

x Diana M Ward (SEAL)
DIANA M. WARD

x John M Ward (SEAL)
JOHN M. WARD

LENDER:

SouthTrust Bank, National Association

By: [Signature]
Authorized Officer

This Modification of Mortgage prepared by:

Name: JOLEE FINDLEY
Address: P.O. BOX 830826
City, State, ZIP: BIRMINGHAM, AL 35282

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INDIVIDUAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF Alabama)
COUNTY OF Shelby) 88

I, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public in and for said county in said state, hereby certify that DIANA M. WARD and JOHN M. WARD, whose names 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 said Modification, they executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal this 29th day of April, 19 98

My Commission Expires July 19, 1999.

[Signature]
Notary Public
My Commission Expires July 19, 1999.

My commission expires _____

LENDER ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF _____)
COUNTY OF _____) 88

I, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public in and for said county in said state, hereby certify that _____
Given under my hand and official seal this _____ day of _____, 19 _____

Notary Public

My commission expires _____

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