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SEND TAX NOTICE TO:
EQUINE PARTNERS, L.L.C.
#1, Shades Creek Parkway
Birmingham, Alabama
35209

STATE OF ALABAMA}
SHELBY COUNTY}

Warranty Deed

100-1998-38414

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That in consideration of **TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND AND 00/100 Dollars and No/100's (\$200,000.00.00)** to the undersigned grantor or grantors, **Priscilla W. Pearce, an unmarried woman**, (herein referred to as Grantors, whether one or more), in hand paid by the GRANTEEs herein, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said GRANTORS do grant, bargain, sell, and convey unto **EQUINE PARTNERS, L.L.C.** (herein referred to as GRANTEE, whether one or more), the following described real estate, situated in SHELBY County, Alabama:

Commence at the NE corner of the NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 20, Township 19 South, Range 1 West, and run thence South 580 feet; thence turn at a right angle and go 106 feet to a point on the South side of an unpaved road, which is the point of beginning of the parcel herein described; thence South 300 feet; thence West 300 feet; thence North 300 feet, more or less, to a point on the South side of said unpaved road; thence East along the South side of said unpaved road a distance of 300 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning; being situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

ALSO an Easement of a uniform width of 20 feet on and along said unpaved road to provide ingress and egress to and from the above described parcel and U.S. Highway 280. Being situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Subject to:
Ad valorem taxes for 1999 and subsequent years not yet due and payable until October 1, 1999.

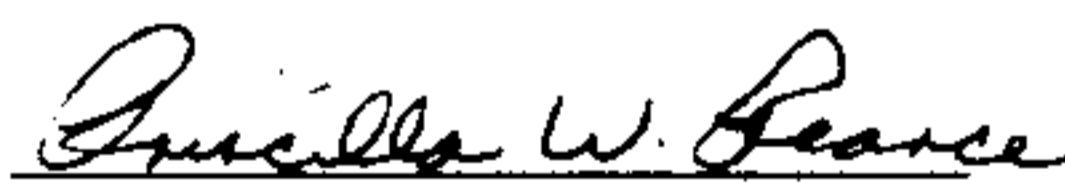
Easement(s) to South Central Bell as shown by instrument recorded in Deed Book 329 page 430 in Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama.

\$ All of the purchase price recited above was paid from a mortgage loan closed simultaneously herewith.

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

And I/we do for myself/ourselves, and for my/our heirs, executors and administrators, covenant with said GRANTEE their heirs and assigns, that I am/we are lawfully seized in fee simple of said premises, that they are free from all encumbrances, unless otherwise noted above, that I/we have a good right to sell and convey the same as aforesaid, and that I/we will and my/our heirs, executors and administrators shall warrant and defend the same to the said GRANTEE, their heirs and assigns forever, against the lawful claims of all persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I/we have hereto set my/our hand(s) and seal(s), this the 1st day of October, 1998.


Priscilla W. Pearce

STATE OF ALABAMA}
JEFFERSON COUNTY}

I, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Priscilla W. Pearce, whose name 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, she, executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 1st day of October, 1998.


Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 5/29/99

10/02/1998-38414
08:30 AM CERTIFIED
SHELBY COUNTY JUDGE OF PROBATE
001 CRH 208.50