STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF SHELBY

KNOW ALL BY THESE PRESENTS:

THAT THE UNDERSIGNED, of the County of Bexar, State of Texas, the present legal and equitable Owner and Holder of that one certain Promissory Note in the original principal sum of \$195600.00, dated FEBRUARY 18TH, 1999, and executed by ALFRED L HESTER AND SUSANNE F HESTER HUSBAND AND WIFE payable to CASTLE MORTGAGE CORPORATION

more fully described in a Mortgage, duly recorded in Instrument No. 1999-08056, Certificate No., Mortgage Book, Page, of the Mortgage records of SHELBY County, ALABAMA; said Note being secured by the therein described lien.

FOR AND IN CONSIDERATION of the full and final payment of said Note, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have released and discharged, and by these presents do hereby release and discharge, the above described property from all liens held by the undersigned securing said Note.

Executed this March 27, 2001

Colonial Bank successor by merger to Colonial Mortgage Company

Attest:

B. SANTELLAN ASSISTANT SECRETARY

STATE OF Texas

COUNTY OF Bexar

ss.

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared J. BRAEUER, VICE PRESIDENT, and B. SANTELLAN, ASSISTANT SECRETARY of Colonial Bank

known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed on the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the purpose and consideration therein expressed, in the capacity therein stated and as the act and deed of said Corporation.

Given under my hand and seal of office on March 27, 2001.

E. J. Merchant Notary Public, State of Texas My Commission Expires JUNE 23, 2004

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Prepared By:

EVIE MERCHANT
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Inv. Pool L45-001 Inv. Number 626873479 Loan Number 12708114 PFDT: 01-02-26

RECORD AND RETURN TO:

ALFRED L HESTER
SUSANNE F HESTER
100 SHEFFIELD LN
BIRMINGHAM AL 35242-6893
MERCE 5301-27FEB01

PFAL - 061600DM MIN No.: 100010980004906722

Inst # 2001-12115

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SHELBY COUNTY JUDGE OF PROBATE
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