WARRANTY DEED

This Instrument Was Prepared By:

SEND TAX NOTICE TO:

Frank K. Bynum, Esquire #17 Office Park Circle Birmingham, Alabama 35223 Shawn E. Gilliam 1404 Belmont Lane Helena, AL 35080

STATE OF ALABAMA)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,

COUNTY OF SHELBY)

That in consideration of ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY FOUR THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$174,500.00), to the undersigned Grantors in hand paid by the Grantees herein, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, **GLENN O. STEPHENS AND WIFE CATHY STEPHENS**, (herein referred to as Grantors) do grant, bargain, sell and convey unto **SHAWN E. GILLIAM AND AMANDA J. GILLIAM** (herein referred to as Grantees), as joint tenants, with right of survivorship, the following described real estate, situated in the State of Alabama, County of Shelby, to-wit:

Lot 12, according to the Amended Map of Dearing Downs 5th Sector, as recorded in Map Book 10, Page 71, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama.

Subject to existing easements, restrictions, set back lines, right of ways, limitations, if any, of record.

\$174,500.00 of the purchase price recited above was paid from a mortgage loan closed simultaneously herewith.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD unto the said Grantees as joint tenants, with right of survivorship, their heirs and assigns, forever; it being the intention of the parties to this conveyance, that (unless the joint tenancy hereby created is severed or terminated during the joint lives of the Grantees herein) in the event one Grantee herein survives the other, the entire interest in fee simple shall pass to the surviving Grantee and if one does not survive the other, then the heirs and assigns of the Grantees herein shall take as tenants in common.

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seal, this 27th day of July, 2001.

GLENN O. STEPHENS

CATHY STEPHENS

STATE OF ALABAMA)
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON)

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that GLENN O. STEPHENS AND WIFE CATHY STEPHENS whose names are signed to the foregoing conveyance, and who are known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the conveyance, they executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 27th day of July 2001.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 11/20/2004

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SHELBY COUNTY JUDGE OF PROBATE 12.00