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JOAN BEARDEN  
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STATE OF ALABAMA)

COUNTY OF SHELBY)

**WARRANTY DEED**

**Know All Men by These Presents:** That in consideration of NINETY ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS and 00/100 (\$91,000.00) to the undersigned grantor, JOE ROSE HOMEBUILDERS, INC. a corporation, in hand paid by the GRANTEES herein, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said GRANTOR, does by these presents, grant, bargain, sell and convey unto JOAN BEARDEN, (herein referred to as GRANTEES, whether one or more) the following described real estate, situated in SHELBY County, Alabama, to-wit:

LOT 33, ACCORDING TO THE SURVEY OF SUGAR HILL TOWNHOMES, AS RECORDED IN MAP BOOK 28, PAGE 115, IN THE PROBATE OFFICE OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA.

SUBJECT TO:

1. TAXES FOR THE YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2001 WHICH CONSTITUTES A LIEN BUT ARE NOT YET DUE AND PAYABLE UNTIL OCTOBER 1, 2002.
2. ANY PRIOR RESERVATION OR CONVEYANCE, TOGETHER WITH RELEASE OF DAMAGES OF MINERALS OF EVERY KIND AND CHARACTER, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO GAS, OIL, SAND, AND GRAVEL IN, ON AND UNDER SUBJECT PROPERTY.
3. BUILDING SETBACK LINE OF 25 FEET RESERVED FROM BOTH SUGAR HILL LANE AND HILLSPUN ROAD AS SHOWN BY PLAT.
4. TRANSMISSION LINE PERMIT(S) TO ALABAMA POWER COMPANY AS SHOWN BY INSTRUMENT(S) RECORDED IN DEED 141 PAGE 508 IN THE PROBATE OFFICE.
5. RIGHT(S) OF WAY(S) GRANTED TO SOUTH CENTRAL BELL BY INSTRUMENT(S) RECORDED IN REAL 50 PAGE 795 IN THE PROBATE OFFICE.
6. RESTRICTIONS, LIMITATIONS AND CONDITIONS AS SET OUT IN MAP BOOK 28 PAGE 115 IN THE PROBATE OFFICE.
7. RIGHTS OF OWNERS OF PROPERTY ADJOINING PROPERTY IN AND TO THE JOINT OR COMMON RIGHTS IN BUILDING SITUATED ON SAID LOTS, SUCH RIGHTS INCLUDE BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO ROOF, FOUNDATION, PARTY WALLS, WALKWAY AND ENTRANCE.

8. COVENANT RELEASING PREDECESSOR IN TITLE FROM ANY LIABILITY ARISING FROM SINKHOLES, LIMESTONE FORMATIONS, SOIL CONDITIONS OR ANY OTHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN SURFACE OR SUBSURFACE CONDITIONS THAT MAY NOW OR HEREAFTER EXIST OR OCCUR OR CAUSE DAMAGE TO SUBJECT PROPERTY, AS SHOWN BY INSTRUMENT RECORDED IN INST. #2001-34997 AND MAP BOOK 28 PAGE 115 IN THE PROBATE OFFICE.

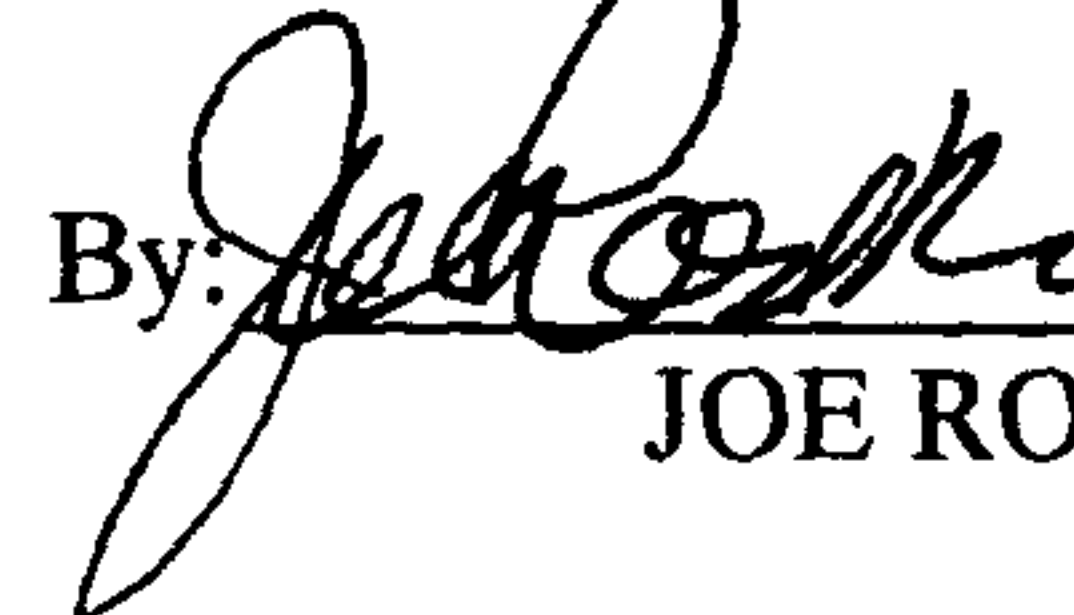
\$20,000.00 of the consideration herein was derived from a mortgage closed simultaneously herewith.

**TO HAVE AND TO HOLD** Unto the said GRANTEES, their heirs and assigns, forever.

And said GRANTOR does for itself, its successors and assigns, covenant with the said GRANTEES, his, her, or their heirs and assigns, that it is lawfully seized in fee simple of said premises; that they are free from all encumbrances, unless otherwise noted above; that it has a good right to sell and convey the same as aforesaid, and that it will and its successors and assigns shall warrant and defend the same to the said GRANTEES, his, her, or their heirs and assigns forever, against the lawful claims of all persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said GRANTOR, JOE ROSE HOMEBUILDERS, INC., by its PRESIDENT, JOE ROSE who is authorized to execute this conveyance, has hereunto set its signature and seal, this the 12th day of September, 2002.

JOE ROSE HOMEBUILDERS, INC.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
JOE ROSE, PRESIDENT

STATE OF ALABAMA)

COUNTY OF SHELBY)

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public, in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that JOE ROSE, whose name as PRESIDENT of JOE ROSE HOMEBUILDERS, INC., a corporation, 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, he or she, as such officer and with full authority, executed the same voluntarily for and as the act of said corporation.

Given under my hand this the 12th day of September, 2002.

  
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Notary Public

My commission expires: 9.29.02