SEND TAX NOTICE TO: THOMAS S. WATSON AND CAROLE B. WATSON RUBY W. BALLENGER 3429 CHARINGWOOD LANE BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA 35242

WARRANTY DEED JOINTLY WITH REMAINDER TO SURVIVOR

STATE OF <u>ALABAMA</u> SHELBY COUNTY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that in consideration of the sum of Five Hundred and No/100 (\$500.00) and other valuable considerations to the undersigned GRANTOR (S), Thomas S. Watson and Carole Watson, husband and wife (hereinafter referred to as GRANTOR), in hand paid by the GRANTEE (S) herein, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said GRANTOR does by these presents GRANT, BARGAIN, SELL and CONVEY unto Thomas S. Watson and Carole B. Watson and Ruby W. Ballenger, hereinafter referred to as GRANTEE(S), for and during their joint lives and upon the death of either of them, then to the survivor of them in fee simple, together with every contingent remainder and right of reversion, the following described real estate, situated in County of Shelby, State of Alabama, to-wit:

Lot 7, Block 2, according to the Survey of Applecross, a Subdivision of Inverness, as recorded in Map Book 6, Page 42, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama.

Deed is being recorded for the purpose of adding Ruby W. Ballenger to title.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, to the said GRANTEE (S), for and during their joint lives together and upon the death of either of them, then to the survivor of them in fee simple, and to their heirs and assigns of such survivor forever, together with every contingent remainder and right of reversion.

And I/we do for myself (ourselves) and for my (our) heirs, executors and administrators covenant with the said GRANTEES, their heirs and assigns, that I am (we are) lawfully seized in fee simple of said premises; that they are free from all encumbrances, that I (we) have a good right to sell and convey the same to the said GRANTEE (S), their heirs and assigns forever, against the lawful claims all persons, except as to the hereinabove restrictive covenants, conditions, easements and ad valorem taxes of record and do hereby WARRANT AND WILL FOREVER DEFEND the title to said property and the possession thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I/we have hereunto set my/our hand and seal, this the $\underline{\mathcal{I}}$ day of October 2002.

THOMAS S. WATSON

CAROLE WATSON

day) of October/2002.

NOTARY PUBLIC

STATE OF ALABAMA JEFFERSON COUNTY

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said county and state hereby certify that Thomas S. Watson and Carole Watson whose name(s) is/are signed to the foregoing instrument, and who is/are known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, he/she/they, executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

GIVEN under my hand and seal this the I

My Comm. Exp.: 1/-03-03

THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY: CHRISTOPHER P. MOSELEY MOSELEY & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 3800 COLONNADE PARKWAY, SUITE 630 BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA 35243