

STATE OF ALABAMA  
COUNTY OF SHELBY

PARTIAL RELEASE FROM LIEN OF MORTGAGE

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That, for a valuable consideration in hand paid the undersigned **NEW SOUTH FEDERAL SAVINGS BANK**, an Federally Chartered Savings Bank, does hereby release the hereinafter particularly described property from the lien of that certain Mortgage executed by **Stirling Group**, which said Mortgage was recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Instrument Number **2001/44269**, and for said consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned do hereby release all of the right, title and interest of the undersigned in and to the following described property situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lots 20 and 22 according to the Survey of Meadow Brook Townhomes-Phase III, as recorded in Map Book 28, Page 135, Shelby County, Alabama Records.

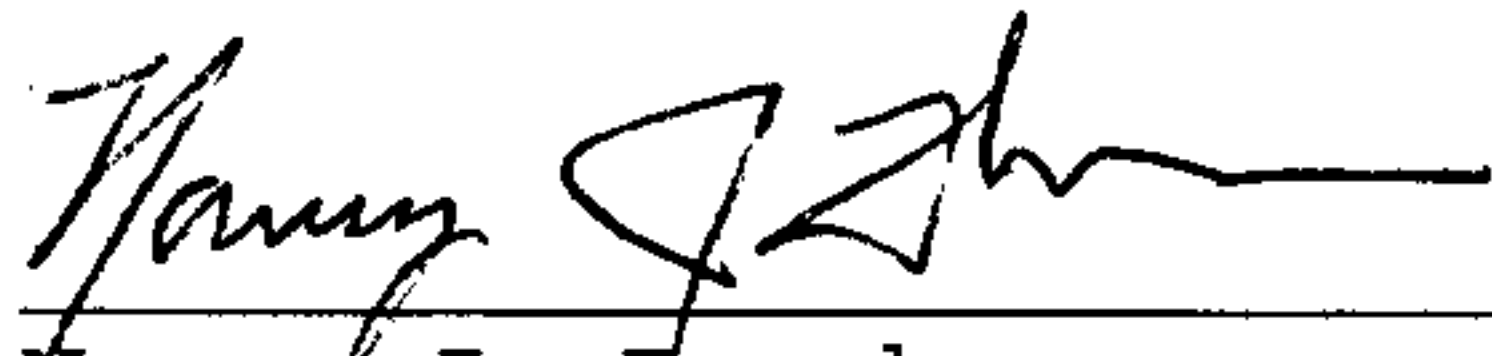
It is expressly understood and agreed that this Partial Release shall in no way and to no extent whatever, affect the lien of said mortgage as to the remainder of the property described in and secured by said mortgage.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this release to be executed by its duly authorized officers on this the 23 day of May, 2003.

**NEW SOUTH FEDERAL SAVINGS BANK**

By:   
Steven L. Copeland  
Its Senior Vice President

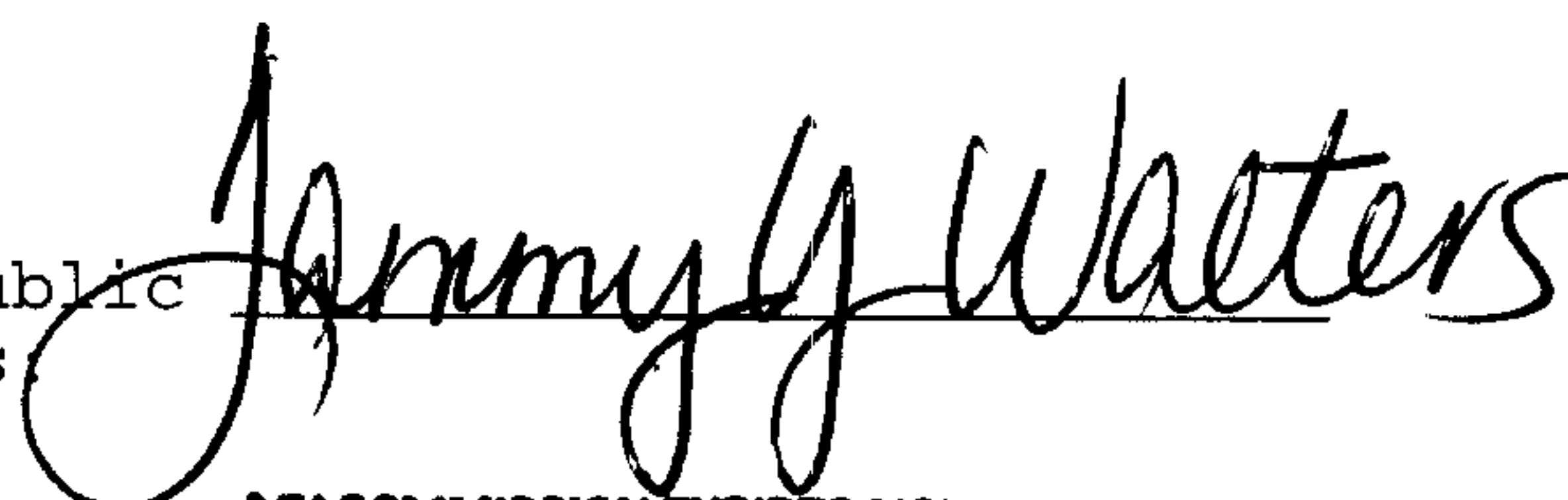
ATTEST:

By:   
Nancy J. Forshaw  
Its Assistant Secretary  
STATE OF ALABAMA  
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON

I, the undersigned Notary Public in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Steven L. Copeland and Nancy J. Forshaw, whose names as Senior Vice President and Assistant Secretary, respectively, of **NEW SOUTH FEDERAL SAVINGS BANK**, an Alabama Corporation, are signed to the foregoing release and conveyance, and who are known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that being informed of the contents of the said release and conveyance, they, as such officers and with full authority, executed the same voluntarily for and as the act of said corporation.

Given under my hand and official seal, this 23 day of May, 2003.

Notary Public  
My commission expires

  
**MY COMMISSION EXPIRES NOV. 14, 2006**