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GRANTEE'S ADDRESS: Bettie M. Sim 3508 Crossings Circle Hoover, Alabama 35242

JOINT SURVIVORSHIP DEED

Shelby Cnty Judge of Probate, AL 02/20/2004 11:20:00 FILED/CERTIFIED

COUNTY OF SHELBY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That, for and in consideration of Five Hundred and 00/100 (\$500.00) DOLLARS, and other good and valuable consideration, this day in hand paid to the undersigned GRANTOR, Bettie M. Sim, a single individual (hereinafter referred to as GRANTOR), the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the GRANTOR does hereby give, grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the GRANTEES, Bettie M. Sim and William A. Sim (hereinafter referred to as GRANTEES), for and during their joint lives and upon the death of either, then to the

survivor of them in fee simple, together with every contingent remainder and right of reversion, the following described Real Estate, lying and being in the County of SHELBY, State of Alabama, to-wit:

Lot 89, according to the Survey of Caldwell Crossings, as recorded in Map Book 29, Page 9, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama. Mineral and mining rights excepted.

Subject to existing easements, current taxes, restrictions and covenants, set-back lines and rights of way, if any, of record.

Bettie M. Sim is the surviving grantee of that certain deed as recorded in Inst. #20020827000408130, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, the other grantee, William C. Sim, having died on or about the 16th day of May, 2003.

> THE PREPARER OF THIS DOCUMENT HAS NOT EXAMINED TITLE TO THE PROPERTY DESCRIPED HE AND MAKES NO CERTIFICATION AS TO TITLE.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, the tract or parcel of land above described together with all and singular the rights, privileges, tenements, appurtenances, and improvements 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, forever.

AND SAID GRANTOR, for said GRANTOR, GRANTOR'S heirs, successors, executors and administrators, covenants with GRANTEES, and with GRANTEES' heirs and assigns, that GRANTOR are lawfully seized in fee simple of the said Real Estate; that said Real Estate is free and clear from all Liens and Encumbrances, except as hereinabove set forth, and except for taxes due for the current and subsequent years, and except for any Restrictions pertaining to the Real Estate of record in the Probate Office of said County; and that GRANTOR will, and GRANTOR'S heirs, executors and administrators shall, warrant and defend the same to said GRANTEES, and GRANTEES' heirs and assigns, forever against the lawful claims of all persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said GRANTOR has hereunto set her hand and seal this the 17 day of February, 2004.

Bettie M. Sim

STATE OF ALABAMA)

COUNTY OF SHELBY)

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, hereby certify that Bettie M. Sim, a single individual. whose name 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 Instrument signed her name voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 17 day of February, 2004.

NOTARY PUBLIC
My Commission Expires: 5/4/08