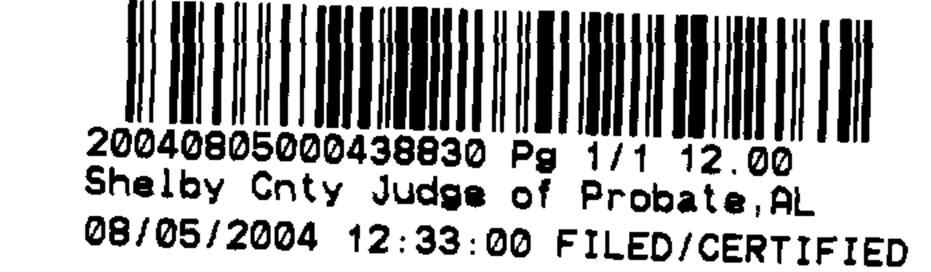
PARTIAL RELEASE



STATE OF ALABAMA) COUNTY OF SHELBY

In consideration of the payment of Ten and No/100 Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the undersigned, W. Larry Clayton, does hereby release the following described property from the lien of that certain mortgage from Nottingham, L.L.C. to W. Larry Clayton, recorded in Instrument #2000-21879, and amended in Instrument #20020507000212840, in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, provided, however, that this partial release shall not in any way affect the lien of W. Larry Clayton's mortgage on the balance of the property secured by the mortgage:

Lots 1 through 32, inclusive, according to the Final Plat of Nottingham Townhomes, Phase 2, as recorded in Map Book 33, at Page 111, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama; being situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this instrument on this the 21st day of July, 2004.

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Witness

W. Larry Clayton

STATE OF ALABAMA (COUNTY OF SHELBY)

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that W. Larry Clayton, whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day, that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal this 4 this day of July, 2004.

Notary Public

My commission expires: 5-21-07