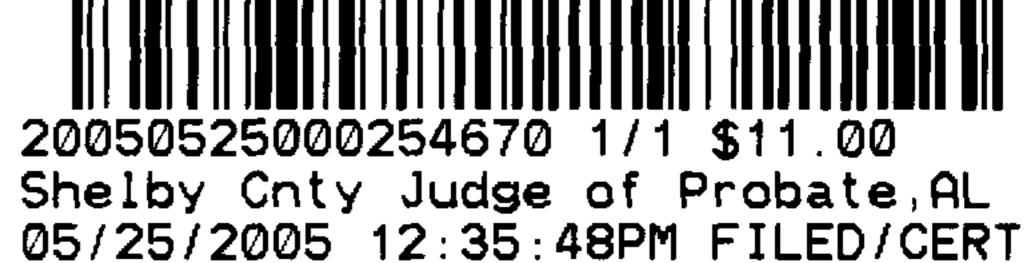
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DISCHARGE OF MORTGAGE

New South Federal Savings Bank #:0419569 "THOMAS" ID:F54/ Shelby, AL MERS #: 100020700004195698 VRU #:

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That MERS MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., hereinafter referred to as the Mortgagee, DOES HEREBY CERTIFY, that a certain Mortgage dated 06/06/2003, made and executed by JACOB A THOMAS & LEE ANN THOMAS HUSBAND AND WIFE, to secure payment of the principal sum of \$171,400.00 plus interest, originally to NEW SOUTH FEDERAL SAVINGS BANK, in the County of SHELBY and the State of ALABAMA, Recorded 06/12/2003 as Instrument No. 20030612000369360 Mortgage Book NA, Page NA, is now Paid and Satisfied, and is therefore discharged.

In all references in this instrument to any party, the use of a particular gender or number is intended to include the appropriate gender or number as the case may be.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Mortgagee has set his hand and has caused these presents to be signed by its duly authorized officer(s).

MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.

MERS, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.

VERONICA MITCHELL, ASST.

SECRETARY

SHEILA WOODWARD, ASST. VICE

PRESIDENT

STATE OF Alabama COUNTY OF Jefferson (Birmingham Div.)

before me, TERRI S. ZELLNER, a Notary Public in and for the County of Jefferson (Birmingham Div.) County, State of Alabama, personally appeared VERONICA MITCHELL, ASST. SECRETARY and SHEILA WOODWARD, ASST. VICE PRESIDENT, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity, and that by his/her/their signature on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon mehalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

Notary Expires: 05/07/2006

(This area for notarial seal) Prepared By: JEWELL PEOPLES, 210 AUTOMATION WAY, BIRMINGHAM ALABAMA 35210 EJP-20050517-0006 ALSHELB SHELBY AL BAT: 8455/0419569 KXALDOM1