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REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE AND SECURITY AGREEMENT

STATE OF ALABAMA)

SHELBY COUNTY)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That whereas, **EDWARDS SPECIALTIES, INC., an Alabama corporation,** has become justly indebted to **NORTH ALABAMA BANK**, with offices in Hazel Green, Alabama, (together with its successors and assigns, hereinafter called "Mortgagee") in the sum of **TWO MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND AND NO/100 ($2,500,000.00) DOLLARS**, together with interest thereon, as evidenced by a promissory note or notes of even date herewith.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and in order to secure the payment of said indebtedness and any renewals or extensions thereof and the interest thereon, and all other indebtedness (including future advances) now or hereafter owed by any of the above-named to Mortgagee, whether such indebtedness is primary or secondary, direct or indirect, contingent or absolute, matured or unmatured, joint or several, and otherwise secured or not (all being sometimes referred to collectively in this mortgage as the "secured indebtedness"), and to secure compliance with all of the covenants and stipulations hereinafter contained, the undersigned, **EDWARDS SPECIALTIES, INC., an Alabama corporation,** (whether one or more, hereinafter called "Mortgagors") do hereby assign, grant, bargain, sell and convey unto Mortgagee, the following described real property situated in Shelby County, State of Alabama, to-wit:

A parcel of land situated in the Southwest quarter of Section 22, Township 21 South, Range 3 West, Shelby County, Alabama, being more particularly described as follows:

Commence at the Northwest corner of said Section and thence run South along the West of line for a distance of 2649.75 feet to the Northwest corner of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter and the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence turn a deflection angle of 88 degrees 39 minutes 37 seconds to the left and run in an Easterly direction along the North line of said quarter-quarter for a distance of 2668.52 feet to the Northeast corner of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter; thence turn an interior angle of 91 degrees 38 minutes 00 seconds to the left and run in a Southerly direction along the East line of said quarter-quarter for a distance of 830.39 feet; thence turn an interior angle of 88 degrees 04 minutes 13 seconds to the left and run in a Westerly direction for a distance of 464.87 feet; thence turn an interior angle of 271 degrees 21 minutes 04 seconds to the left and run in a Southerly direction for a distance of 551.12 feet to a point on the Northernmost right of way line of Mission Hills Road (right of way varies); thence turn an interior angle of 83 degrees 09 minutes 24 seconds to the left and run in a Westerly direction along said right of way for a distance of 185.54 feet to the point of commencement of a curve to the left, said curve having a radius of 3859.72 feet, a central angle of 10 degrees 22 minutes 00 seconds, a chord distance of 697.40 feet; thence run along arc of said curve and along said right of way for a distance of 698.35 feet; thence run along a line tangent to said curve along said right of way for a distance of 419.95 feet to the point of commencement of a curve to the right, said curve having a radius of 5690.20 feet, a central angle of 04 degrees 03 minutes 00 seconds, a chord distance of 402.13 feet; thence run along arc of said curve and along said right of way for a distance of 402.22 feet; thence run along a line tangent to said curve and along said right of way for a distance of 502.26 feet to a point on the West line of Section 22; thence turn an interior angle of 90 degrees 48 minutes 42 seconds to the left and run in a Northerly direction along the West line of said Section for a distance of 1409.03 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING. Said parcel contains 3,419,647 square feet or 78.50 acres more or less.

Unless otherwise stated herein, the principal amount of the debt secured by this Mortgage shall not exceed the principal amount of this Mortgage as stated herein.

together with all present and future leases, subleases, rents and other revenues thereof and all rights, privileges, easements, tenements, interests, improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, including any after-acquired title and easements and all rights, title and interest now or hereafter owned by Mortgagors in and to all buildings and improvements, storm and screen windows and doors, gas, steam, electric, solar and other heating, lighting, ventilating, air-conditioning, refrigerating and cooking apparatus, elevators, plumbing, sprinklers, smoke, fire, and intrusion detection devices, trees, shrubs and flowers and other equipment and fixtures now or hereafter attached or appertaining to said premises, all of which shall be deemed to be real property and conveyed by this mortgage, and all of which real property, equipment and fixtures are sometimes hereinafter called the "mortgaged property".

And for the consideration aforesaid, and as additional security for all of the indebtedness described above (including future advances), Mortgagors hereby assign and transfer to Mortgagee, and grant to Mortgagee a security interest in, all building materials, household appliances, equipment, fixtures and fittings of every kind or character now owned or hereafter acquired by Mortgagors, or any of them, located, whether permanently or temporarily, on the mortgaged property, or on any other property, which are or shall be purchased by

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Mortgagors, or any of them, for the purpose, or with the intention, of making improvements on the mortgaged property or on the premises located on said property. The personal property herein transferred includes, but is not limited to, all lumber, bricks, building materials, building stones, building blocks, sand, cement, steel, roofing materials, paint, doors, windows, storm doors, storm windows, glass, nails, wires and wiring, hardware, plumbing, plumbing fixtures, heating, ventilating and air conditioning equipment and appliances, electrical and gas equipment and appliances, pipes and piping, ornamental and decorative fixtures, trees, shrubs, flowers and in general all building materials, equipment, appliances and plants of every kind and character used or useful in connection with improvements to real property; provided, that to the extent the personal property described above consists of "household goods", as that term is defined in 12 C.F.R. Section 227.12(d), Mortgagee's security interest in those household goods is limited to a purchase money security interest; and provided, further, that if the mortgaged property includes the principal dwelling of any Mortgagor who is an individual, and if the securing of this mortgage of any particular other or future indebtedness would give rise to a right of rescission under 15 U.S.C. Section 1635 or the regulations promulgated thereunder, such other or future indebtedness will be secured by this mortgage only if all required notices of the right of rescission were timely and properly given.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same and every part thereof unto Mortgagee, its successors and assigns forever.

For the purpose of further securing the payment of said indebtedness Mortgagors warrant, covenant and agree with Mortgagee, its successors and assigns, as follows:

1. That they are lawfully seized in fee and possessed of the mortgaged property, except as otherwise stated herein, they have a good right to convey the same as aforesaid, and they will warrant and forever defend the title to the mortgaged property against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever, and that the mortgaged property is free and clear of all encumbrances, easements and restrictions not herein specifically mentioned.

2. That they will pay when due all taxes, assessments, or other liens or mortgages taking priority over this mortgage, and should default be made in the payment of the same, or any part thereof, or should Mortgagors default in the performance of any covenant under this mortgage (whether or not Mortgagors have defaulted in the payment of such taxes, assessments, liens, or mortgages), Mortgagee may pay the same (but Mortgagee is not obligated to do so). If the mortgaged property or any part thereof is a unit in a condominium or a planned unit development, Mortgagors shall perform all of Mortgagors' obligations under the declaration or covenants creating or covering the condominium or planned unit development, the bylaws and regulations of the condominium or planned unit development, and constituent documents. Should Mortgagors default in any of such obligations, Mortgagee may perform Mortgagors' obligations (but Mortgagee is not obligated to do so).

3. That they will keep the buildings and other improvements now or hereafter located on the mortgaged property and all building materials, appliances, equipment, fixtures and fittings now or hereafter located on the mortgaged property and the other personal property described above, continuously insured in such amounts, in such manner and with such companies as may be satisfactory to Mortgagee against loss by fire (including so-called extended coverage), wind and such other hazards (including flood and water damage) as Mortgagee may specify from time to time, and including builder's risk coverage if this is a construction mortgage, with loss, if any, payable to Mortgagee under a standard mortgagee's clause providing at least 30 days notice to Mortgagee before cancellation or lapse of such insurance, and will deposit with Mortgagee policies of such insurance or, at Mortgagee's election, certificates thereof, and will pay the premiums therefor as the same become due. Mortgagors may provide such insurance through an existing policy or a policy or policies independently obtained and paid for by Mortgagors. Mortgagee may, for reasonable cause, refuse to accept any policy of insurance offered or obtained by Mortgagors. Mortgagors shall give immediate notice in writing to Mortgagee of any loss or damage to the mortgaged property from any cause whatever. If Mortgagors fail to keep said property insured as above specified, Mortgagee may insure said property (but Mortgagee is not obligated to do so) for its insurable value or the unpaid balance of the secured indebtedness against loss by fire, wind and other hazards (including flood and water damage if required by Mortgagee) for the benefit of Mortgagors and Mortgagee or for the benefit of Mortgagee alone, at Mortgagee's election. The proceeds of all insurance on the mortgaged property and the other personal property described above shall be paid by the insurer to Mortgagee, which is hereby granted full power to settle and compromise claims under all policies, to endorse in the name of Mortgagors any check or draft representing the proceeds of any such insurance, and to demand, receive and give receipt for all sums becoming due thereunder. Insurance proceeds collected by or paid to Mortgagee may be credited on the indebtedness secured by this mortgage, less costs of collection, or may be used in repairing or reconstructing the improvements on the mortgaged property, at Mortgagee's election. No crediting of insurance proceeds to the secured indebtedness and no application of the insurance proceeds to repairing or reconstructing improvements on the mortgaged property shall, extend or postpone the due date of any scheduled payments of the secured indebtedness or reduce the amount of such payments. In the event of a dispute with any insurer regarding coverage, the amount of any loss, or the like, Mortgagee may bring an action or join in any action against the insurer, at Mortgagee's election. If Mortgagee elects not to bring an action or to join in any action

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and Mortgagors elect to pursue any claim or action against the insurer, Mortgagors agree to do so solely at their expense, and Mortgagors waive any right to require Mortgagee to join in the claim or action or to charge Mortgagee with any part of the expense of the claim or action even if Mortgagee benefits from it.

4. That commencing upon written request by Mortgagee and continuing until the secured indebtedness is paid in full, Mortgagors will pay to Mortgagee concurrently with, and on the due dates of, payments on the secured indebtedness a sum equal to the ground rents, if any, next due on the mortgaged property, plus the premiums that will next become due and payable on policies of fire, flood (if required by Mortgagee) and other hazard insurance covering the mortgaged property, plus water rents, fire district charges, taxes and assessments next due on the mortgaged property (all as estimated by Mortgagee), less any sums already paid to Mortgagee therefor, divided by the number of months or other payment periods to elapse before one month or payment period prior to the date when such ground rents, premiums, water rents, fire district charges, taxes and assessments will become due, such sums to be held by Mortgagee to pay said ground rents, premiums, water rents, fire district charges, taxes and assessments. All amounts mentioned in the preceding sentence and the amounts scheduled to be paid on the secured indebtedness shall be added together and the aggregate amount thereof shall be paid by Mortgagors each month or other payment period in a single payment to be applied by Mortgagee to the following items in the order set forth: (a) ground rents, taxes, water rents, fire district charges, assessments, fire, flood (if required by Mortgagee) and other hazard insurance premiums; (b) interest on the secured indebtedness; and (c) the balance, if any, shall be applied toward the payment of the principal sum of the secured indebtedness. Any excess funds accumulated under this paragraph after payment of the items herein mentioned shall be credited in calculating the monthly or other periodic payments of the same nature required hereunder in the subsequent year, but if the actual amount of any such item shall exceed the estimate therefor, Mortgagors shall forthwith pay the deficiency upon demand. If the mortgaged property is sold under foreclosure or is otherwise acquired by Mortgagee after default, any remaining balance of the accumulations under this paragraph shall be credited to the principal of the secured indebtedness as of the date of the foreclosure sale or as of the date the property is otherwise acquired.

5. That they will take good care of the mortgaged property and the personal property described above and will not commit or permit any waste thereon or thereof, and that they will keep the same repaired and at all times will maintain the same in as good condition as it now is, reasonable wear and tear alone excepted. If Mortgagors fail to make repairs to the mortgaged property, Mortgagee may make such repairs at Mortgagor's expense (but Mortgagee is not obligated to do so). Mortgagee, its agents and employees, may enter the mortgaged property and any improvements thereon at any reasonable time for the purpose of inspecting or repairing such improvements.

6. That upon failure of Mortgagors to perform any covenant herein made, Mortgagee shall have the right and power at its election to perform such act on behalf of Mortgagors, but Mortgagee shall have no duty to perform such act or to give notice of its intention not to perform, whether or not it has performed or given notice of its intention not to perform on one or more previous occasions. All amounts expended by Mortgagee for insurance or for the payments of taxes or assessments or to discharge liens or mortgages, on the mortgaged property or other obligations of Mortgagors or to make repairs to the mortgaged property or any improvements thereon shall become a debt due Mortgagee, shall be payable at once without demand upon or notice to any person, shall bear interest at the rate of interest payable on the principal sum of the note described above, or if no such rate of interest is specified in the note or if the rate specified would be unlawful, at the rate of 8% per annum from the date of payment by Mortgagee until date paid by Mortgagors, and such debt and the interest thereon shall be secured by this mortgage. Upon failure of Mortgagors to reimburse Mortgagee for all amounts so expended, at the election of Mortgagee and with or without notice to any person, Mortgagee may declare the entire secured indebtedness to be due and payable and may foreclosure this mortgage as hereinafter provided or as provided by law.

7. That no delay or failure of Mortgagee to exercise any option to declare the maturity of any debt secured by this mortgage shall be deemed a waiver of the right to exercise such option or to declare such forfeiture either as to past, present or future defaults on the part of Mortgagors, and that the procurement of insurance or payment of taxes or other liens or assessments or performance of other obligations of Mortgagors by Mortgagee shall not constitute or be deemed to be a waiver of the right to accelerate the maturity of the secured indebtedness by reason of the failure of Mortgagors to procure such insurance or to pay such taxes, liens, assessments or obligations, it being agreed by Mortgagors that no terms or conditions contained in this mortgage can be waived, altered or changed except by writing signed by Mortgagee.

8. That those Mortgagors who are obligated to pay the secured indebtedness will well and truly pay and discharge such indebtedness as it shall become due and payable, including the note or notes described above, any renewals, increases or extensions thereof, and any other notes or obligations of such Mortgagors to Mortgagee, whether now or hereafter incurred; provided that, notwithstanding any provision of this mortgage to the contrary, those Mortgagors who are not obligors on any of the secured indebtedness make the conveyances,

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grants, representations and warranties herein made by Mortgagors, but are not personally obligated to pay any sum of money or perform any affirmative act under this mortgage.

9. That whether or not default has been made in the payment of any of the secured indebtedness, or in the performance of any of the terms or conditions of this mortgage, Mortgagee may give notice of the assignment of rents, income and profits herein made and may proceed to collect the rents, income and profits from the mortgaged property, either with or without the appointment of a receiver at Mortgagee's election (to which appointment Mortgagors hereby consent). Prior to any such notification by Mortgagee, Mortgagors shall have a limited license terminable at will by Mortgagee to collect such rents and other payments and to apply the same in whole or in part to the payment of the secured indebtedness as and when due. Any rents, income and profits collected by Mortgagee prior to foreclosure of this mortgage, less the costs of collecting the same, including any real estate or property management commissions and attorney's fees incurred, shall be credited first to advances made by Mortgagee pursuant to the terms of this mortgage and the interest thereon, then to interest due on the secured indebtedness, and the remainder, if any, shall be applied toward the payment of the principal sum of the secured indebtedness.

10. That unless Mortgagee's written consent has been obtained in advance, (a) they will not cause or allow possession of the mortgaged property to be in any other person or entity to the exclusion of Mortgagors; (b) they will not cut, remove, sell or contract to sell any standing timber from the mortgaged property; and (c) they will not sell, assign, transfer, convey, lease or sublet all or any part of the mortgaged property, or any oil, gas or mineral rights or other interest therein, excluding (i) the creation of a lien or encumbrance expressly subordinate to this mortgage, (ii) the creation of a purchase money security interest for household appliances, (iii) a transfer by devise, descent or by operation of law upon the death of a joint tenant, or (iv) the grant of any leasehold interest of one year or less (including all mandatory or optional renewal periods) not containing an option to purchase. Mortgagee may condition its consent to any such transfer of possession of, or an interest in, the mortgaged property upon the obligors' or transferee's agreeing to pay a greater rate of interest on all or any part of the secured indebtedness or to adjust the payment schedule of all or any part of the secured indebtedness, upon Mortgagee's approval of the creditworthiness of the transferee, and upon the transferee's payment to Mortgagee of a reasonable transfer or assumption fee. Upon breach by Mortgagors, or any of them, of the covenants herein contained, Mortgagee may, at its election, proceed to foreclose this mortgage as hereinafter provided or as provided by law.

11. That, except as otherwise expressly disclosed by Mortgagors to Mortgagee in writing on the date of this mortgage, no Hazardous Substance (as defined below) has been spilled, released, discharged or disposed of on or under the mortgaged property by Mortgagors, or, to the best of Mortgagors' knowledge, by any third party or any predecessor in interest or title to Mortgagors; no underground storage tanks, whether in use or not in use, are located in, on or under any part of the mortgaged property; Mortgagors and the mortgaged property are in compliance with all applicable local, state and federal environmental laws and regulations and Mortgagors will at all times, cause the mortgaged property to continue to be in compliance therewith; no notice has been received by Mortgagors from any governmental authority or any individual or entity claiming violation of any environmental protection law or regulation, or demanding compliance with any environmental protection law or regulation, or demanding payment, indemnity or contribution for any environmental damage or injury to natural resources, relating in any way to the mortgaged property, and Mortgagors will notify Mortgagee promptly in writing if any such notice is hereafter received by Mortgagors; and any Hazardous Substance used or produced in Mortgagors' business will be used, produced, stored and disposed of in strict compliance with all applicable environmental laws and regulations. Mortgagors will notify Mortgagee immediately if any Hazard Substance is spilled, released or discovered on or under the mortgaged property, and Mortgagors will take or cause to be taken such remedial action and work as may be necessary to be performed on the mortgaged property in order to remedy such spilled, released or discovered Hazardous Substance and to obtain a certificate of remediation or other certificate of compliance from all applicable governmental authorities. Upon Mortgagee's request, Mortgagors will promptly obtain, at Mortgagors' expense, and deliver to Mortgagee an environmental inspection report or update of a previous report, in form acceptable to Mortgagee, prepared by a competent and reputable environmental engineer reasonably satisfactory to Mortgagee. As used herein, the term "Hazardous Substance" includes, without limitation, any asbestos, urea formaldehyde foam insulation, explosive radioactive material, hazardous material, hazardous waster, hazardous or toxic substance, or related or unrelated substance or material which is defined, regulated, controlled, limited or prohibited in or by the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA) (42 U.S.C. Sections 9601 et seq.), the Hazardous Materials Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. Sections 1801 et seq.), the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) (42 U.S.C. Sections 6901 et seq.), the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. Sections 1251 et seq.), the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. Section 7401 et seq.), the Toxic Substances Control Act (15 U.S.C. Section 2601 et seq.), as any of the foregoing is now or hereafter amended, or in any other federal, state or local environmental law, ordinance, rule or regulation now or hereafter in effect.

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12. That Mortgagors will indemnify and hold Mortgagee harmless from and against any and all loss, cost, damage, claim, liability and expense (including attorney's fees and litigation expenses) incurred by Mortgagee on account of breach by Mortgagors' of any representation, warranty or covenant set forth in paragraph 11 above, or Mortgagors' failure to perform any covenant or obligations under paragraph 11, or Mortgagors' or the mortgaged property's failure to comply fully with all environmental laws and regulations, or any other matter related to environmental conditions on, under or affecting the mortgaged property. This paragraph 12 shall survive payment of the secured indebtedness, termination of the other provisions hereof, and exercise by Mortgagee of the power of sale herein contained.

13. That if this is a Construction Mortgage which secures an obligation incurred for the acquisition costs of the mortgaged property and/or the construction of an improvement on such property, that Mortgagors will perform and comply with the terms of any construction loan agreement made with Mortgagee with regard to such improvement.

14. That all the covenants and agreements of Mortgagors herein contained shall extend to and bind their respective heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, and that such covenants and agreements and all options, rights, privileges and powers herein given, granted or secured to Mortgagee shall inure to the benefit of the successors and assigns of Mortgagee. The obligations of the Mortgagors hereunder are joint and several. The provisions of this mortgage and of the note or notes secured hereby are severable, and that the invalidity or unenforceability of any provision of this mortgage or of any such note or notes shall not affect the validity and enforceability of the other provisions of this mortgage or of such note or notes. The remedies provided to Mortgagee herein are cumulative with the rights and remedies of Mortgagee under any other agreement, at law and in equity, and such rights and remedies may be exercised concurrently or consecutively. Time is of the essence with respect to every covenant contained in this mortgage. This mortgage also constitutes a financing statement, and a carbon or photostatic copy of this mortgage may be filed as a financing statement in any public office. As used in this mortgage, the term "Mortgagors" also means "Mortgagors, or any of them"; the singular includes the plural and vice versa; and the use of one gender includes all other genders.

15. **All parties to this Mortgage hereby waive the right to any jury trial in any action, proceeding or counterclaim brought by any party against any other party. (Initial Here _____)**

UPON CONDITION, HOWEVER, that if all Mortgagors shall well and truly pay and discharge all the secured indebtedness (including, without limitation, extensions, renewals and increases of the original indebtedness and all future advances) as the same shall become due and payable and shall in all things do and perform all acts and covenants by them herein agreed to be done or performed in strict accordance with the tenor and effect thereof, and if there is no outstanding commitment or agreement by Mortgagee to make advances, incur obligations or otherwise give value under any agreement, including, without limitation, agreements providing for future advances, open-end, revolving or other lines of credit, or letters of credit, then and in that event only this conveyance and the security interest herein granted shall be and become null and void (except the agreements of indemnity made in paragraph 12 above, which shall survive termination of this mortgage); but should default be made in the payment when due (whether as originally scheduled or upon acceleration of maturity) of the secured indebtedness, or any part thereof or any renewals, extensions or increases thereof or any interest thereon, or should default be made in the repayment of any sum expended by Mortgagee under the authority of any provision of this mortgage, or should the interest of Mortgagee in the mortgaged property or any of the personal property described above become endangered by reason of the enforcement of any lien or encumbrance thereon, or should a petition to condemn all or any part of the mortgaged property be filed by any authority, person or entity having power of eminent domain, or should any law, either state or federal, be passed imposing or authorizing the imposition of a specific tax upon this mortgage or the secured indebtedness or permitting or authorizing the deduction of any such tax from the principal or interest secured by this mortgage or by virtue of which any tax or assessment upon the mortgaged property shall be charged against the owner of this mortgage, or should at any time any of the covenants contained in this mortgage or in any note or other evidence of secured indebtedness be declared invalid or unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, or if any of the Mortgagors is a corporation and should any owner of the voting stock of such corporation sell or otherwise transfer 5% or more of the outstanding voting stock of such corporation to any person or entity, or if any of the Mortgagors is a partnership (general, limited or limited liability) and should the partnership dissolve or should any general partner of such partnership withdraw, be replaced by the limited partners, die or become incompetent, or if any of the Mortgagors is a limited liability company and any member thereof withdraws or is removed, or is a managed limited liability company, if any manager resigns or is removed, or should Mortgagors fail to do and perform any other act or thing herein required or agreed to be done, then in any of said events the whole of the secured indebtedness, or any portion or part thereof which may at said date not have been paid, with interest thereon, shall at once become due and payable and this mortgage subject to foreclosure at the option of Mortgagee, notice of the exercise of such option being hereby expressly waived by Mortgagors, and Mortgagee shall have the right to enter upon and take possession of the mortgaged property and after or without taking such possession to sell the same (or such part of parts thereof as Mortgagee may from time to time elect

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to sell) at the front or main door of the courthouse of the County (or the division thereof) where said property, or any substantial and material part of said property, is located, at public outcry for cash, after first giving notice of the description of the property to be sold and the time, place and terms of such sale by publication once a week for three consecutive weeks prior to said sale in some newspaper published in said county or counties in which the property to be sold is located (or if no newspaper is published in any such county, then in a newspaper published in an adjoining county); and upon the payment of the purchase price, Mortgagee or the auctioneer at said sale is authorized to execute to the purchaser for and in the name of Mortgagors a good and sufficient deed to the property sold. Mortgagee shall apply the proceeds of any sale or sales under this mortgage as follows: First, to the expenses of advertising, selling, preparing the property for sale and conveying, including reasonable attorney's fees (including attorney's fees incurred by Mortgagee in connection with any proceeding seeking to enjoin the foreclosure of this mortgage or otherwise challenging the right of Mortgagee to foreclose this mortgage or sell any of the mortgaged property under this mortgage and attorneys' fees incurred in connection with any appeal); second, to the payment of any amounts that may have been expended or that may then be necessary to expend in paying insurance, taxes, assessments, and other liens and mortgages, and in making repairs, with interest thereon; third, to the payment of the secured indebtedness and interest thereon in such order as Mortgagee may elect, whether such debts shall or shall not have fully matured at the date of said sale; and fourth, the balance, if any, to be paid over to Mortgagors or to whomsoever then appears of record to be the owner of Mortgagors' interest in said property. Mortgagee may bid and become the purchaser of the mortgaged property at any sale hereunder. Mortgagors hereby waive any requirement that the mortgaged property be sold in separate tracts and agree that Mortgagee may, at its option, sell said property en masse regardless of the number of parcels hereby conveyed. The power of sale granted herein is a continuing power and shall not be fully exercised until all of the mortgaged property not previously sold shall have been sold or all of the indebtedness and other obligations secured hereby have been satisfied in full. And upon the occurrence of any such event described above, with respect to all of the mortgaged property, which is personal property, Mortgagee shall have the rights and remedies of a secured party after default by its debtor under the Alabama Uniform Commercial Code, and shall have, without limitation, the right to take possession of any of the property herein transferred which is personal property and, with or without taking possession thereof, to sell the same at one or more public or private sale, or to proceed as to both the real property, and personal property in accordance with Mortgagee's rights and remedies in respect of the real property, at the election of Mortgagee. At Mortgagee's request, Mortgagors agree to assemble such property and to make the same available to Mortgagee at such place as Mortgagee shall reasonably designate. Mortgagors hereby waive, to the extent permitted by law, any requirement of a judicial hearing and notice of the time and place of any public sale or of the time after which any private sale or other intended disposition of said property, or any part thereof, will be held and agree that any required notice which cannot be waived shall be sufficient if delivered to Mortgagors, or mailed to Mortgagors at the address set forth above, or such other address as Mortgagors shall have furnished to Mortgagee in writing for that purpose, not less than five days before the date of such sale or other intended disposition of said property.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, **EDWARDS SPECIALTIES, INC.,** has caused these presents to be executed by its duly authorized officer on this 28th day of October, 2005.

EDWARDS SPECIALTIES, INC.

By: _____
Its President

STATE OF ALABAMA)
:
COUNTY OF MADISON)

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said county and in said state, hereby certify that, **ALDEN R. EDWARDS,** whose name as President of **EDWARDS SPECIALTIES, INC., an Alabama corporation** 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 conveyance, he, as such officer and with full authority, executed the same voluntarily for and as the act of said corporation.

Given under my hand and seal this the 28th day of October, 2005.

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Notary Public
My Commission Expires: 7-1-

JAMES G. HARRISON NOTARY PUBLIC ALABAMA STATE AT LARGE

THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY: JAMES G. HARRISON; STEPHENS, MILLIRONS, HARRISON & GAMMONS, P.C.
2430 L & N Drive, Huntsville, Alabama 35801