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STATE OF ALABAMA     )  
                                     :  
SHELBY COUNTY         )

**REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, THAT:

WHEREAS, **MASKE WOOD PROPERTIES, LLC**, an Alabama limited liability company ("Mortgagor") has become justly indebted to **LOUISE MASKE** ("Mortgagee") in the sum of Fifty-Nine Thousand Five Hundred and No/100 Dollars (\$59,500.00) evidenced by promissory note (the "Note") of even date herewith; and

WHEREAS, it is desired by Mortgagor to secure the prompt payment of said indebtedness with interest when the same falls due;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the said indebtedness and to secure the prompt payment of the same at maturity, Mortgagor does hereby grant, bargain, sell, and convey unto Mortgagee the following described real property (the "Mortgaged Property") situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Parcel A, according to the Survey of Louise Maske Properties, as recorded in Map Book 31, page 75, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama

SUBJECT TO the following:

1. Ad valorem taxes for the 2006 tax year and thereafter
2. Building setback line of 40 feet reserved from Shelby County Road No. 450 and Shelby County Highway No. 51 as shown by record plat
3. 4 foot easement for water line as shown by record plat
4. Transmission line permits to Alabama Power Company as shown by instruments recorded in Deed 149, page 388, and Deed 150, page 85, in said Probate Office
5. Easements for water lines as shown by instruments recorded in Real 249, page 174, and Real 313, page 383, in said Probate Office
6. Title to all minerals within and underlying the premises, together with all mining rights and other rights, privileges, and immunities relating thereto, including rights set out in Deed 149, page 576, in said Probate Office
7. Restrictions, limitations, conditions, and other provisions as set out in Map Book 31, page 75, in said Probate Office



This Mortgage is executed as required by the Articles of Organization and Operating Agreement of Mortgagor, and same have not been modified or amended.

Mortgagor shall have the right to subdivide part or all of the Mortgaged Property into lots. Mortgagee agrees to execute any such subdivision map or maps upon request by Mortgagor.

Part or all of the Mortgaged Property shall be released from this Mortgage as it is sold, transferred, or conveyed by Mortgagor. Such release shall require a pay down on the Note in an amount equal to the number of acres included in any such transfer multiplied by \$11,000 per acre.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the Mortgaged Property unto Mortgagee forever.

For the purpose of further securing the payment of said indebtedness, Mortgagor agrees to pay all taxes or assessments when legally imposed upon the Mortgaged Property and, should default be made in the payment of same, Mortgagee has the option of paying off the same. All amounts so expended by Mortgagee for taxes or assessments shall become a debt to Mortgagee, additional to the debt hereby specially secured, shall be covered by this Mortgage, shall bear interest from the date of payment by Mortgagee, and shall be at once due and payable.

UPON CONDITION, HOWEVER, that if Mortgagor pays said indebtedness and reimburses Mortgagee for any amounts Mortgagee may have expended for taxes or assessments and the interest thereon, then this conveyance shall be and become null and void; however, should (i) default be made in the payment of any sum expended by Mortgagee, (ii) said indebtedness hereby secured or any part thereof or the interest thereon remain unpaid at maturity; (iii) the interest of Mortgagee in the Mortgaged Property become endangered by reason of the enforcement of any prior lien or encumbrance thereon so as to endanger the debt hereby secured; (iv) any statement of lien is filed under the statutes of Alabama relating to the liens of mechanics and materialmen without regard to the existence or nonexistence of the debt or any part thereof or of the lien on which such statement is based, then in any one of said events, the whole of said indebtedness hereby secured shall at once become due and payable and this Mortgage subject to foreclosure as now provided by law in case of past due mortgages. Mortgagee shall be authorized to take possession of the Mortgaged Property and, with or without first taking possession, after giving notice by publishing once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks the time, place, and terms of sale in some newspaper published in said county and state, to sell the same in lots or parcels or en masse as Mortgagee may deem best in front of the Courthouse door in said county at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash and apply the proceeds of said sale: first, to the expense of advertising, selling, and conveying, including a reasonable attorney's fee; second, to the payment of any amounts that may have been expended or that may then be necessary to expend in paying insurance, taxes, and other encumbrances, with interest thereon; third, to the payment of said indebtedness in full, whether the same shall or shall not have fully matured at the date of said sale, but no interest shall be collected beyond the date of sale; and fourth, the balance, if any, to be paid over to Mortgagor. Mortgagor further agrees that Mortgagee may bid at said sale and purchase the Mortgaged Property if the highest bidder

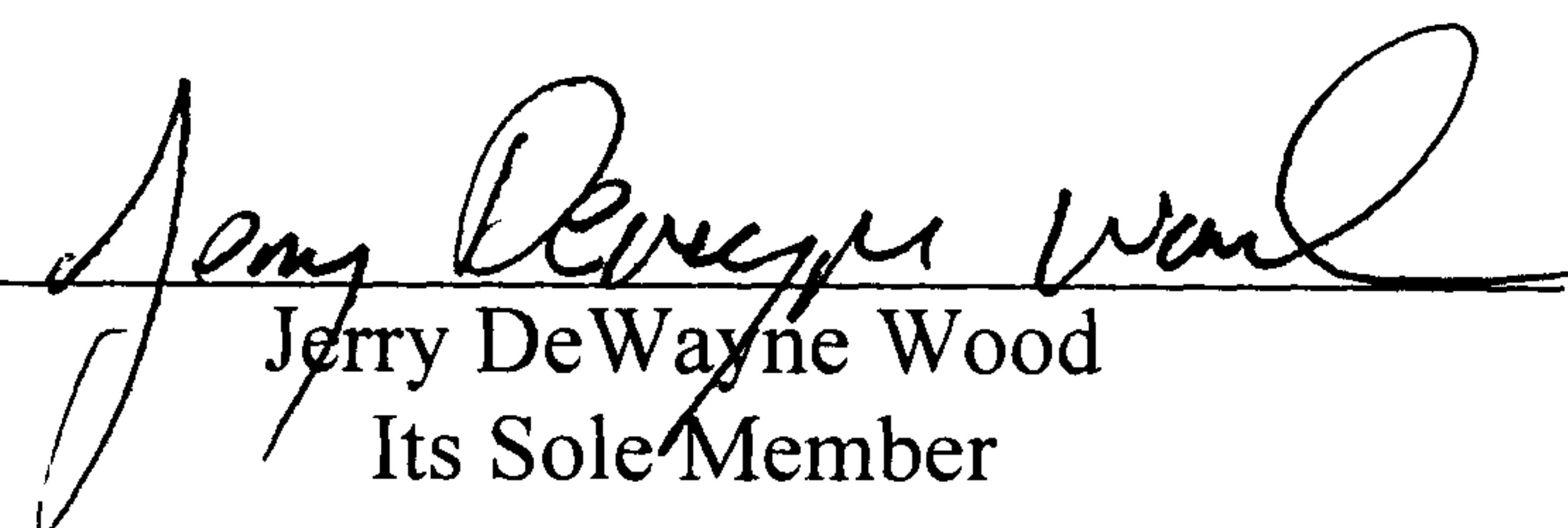


therefor as though a stranger hereto, and the person acting as auctioneer at such sale is hereby authorized and empowered to execute a deed to the purchaser thereof in the name of Mortgagor by such auctioneer as agent or attorney-in-fact. Mortgagor further agrees to pay a reasonable attorney's fee to Mortgagee for the judicial foreclosure, should the same be so foreclosed, said fee to be a part of the debt hereto secured.

Any estate or interest herein conveyed to Mortgagee or any right or power granted to Mortgagee in or by this Mortgage is hereby expressly conveyed and granted to the heirs, successors, agents, and assigns of Mortgagee.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Mortgagor has caused this Mortgage to be executed and delivered as of the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of November, 2005.

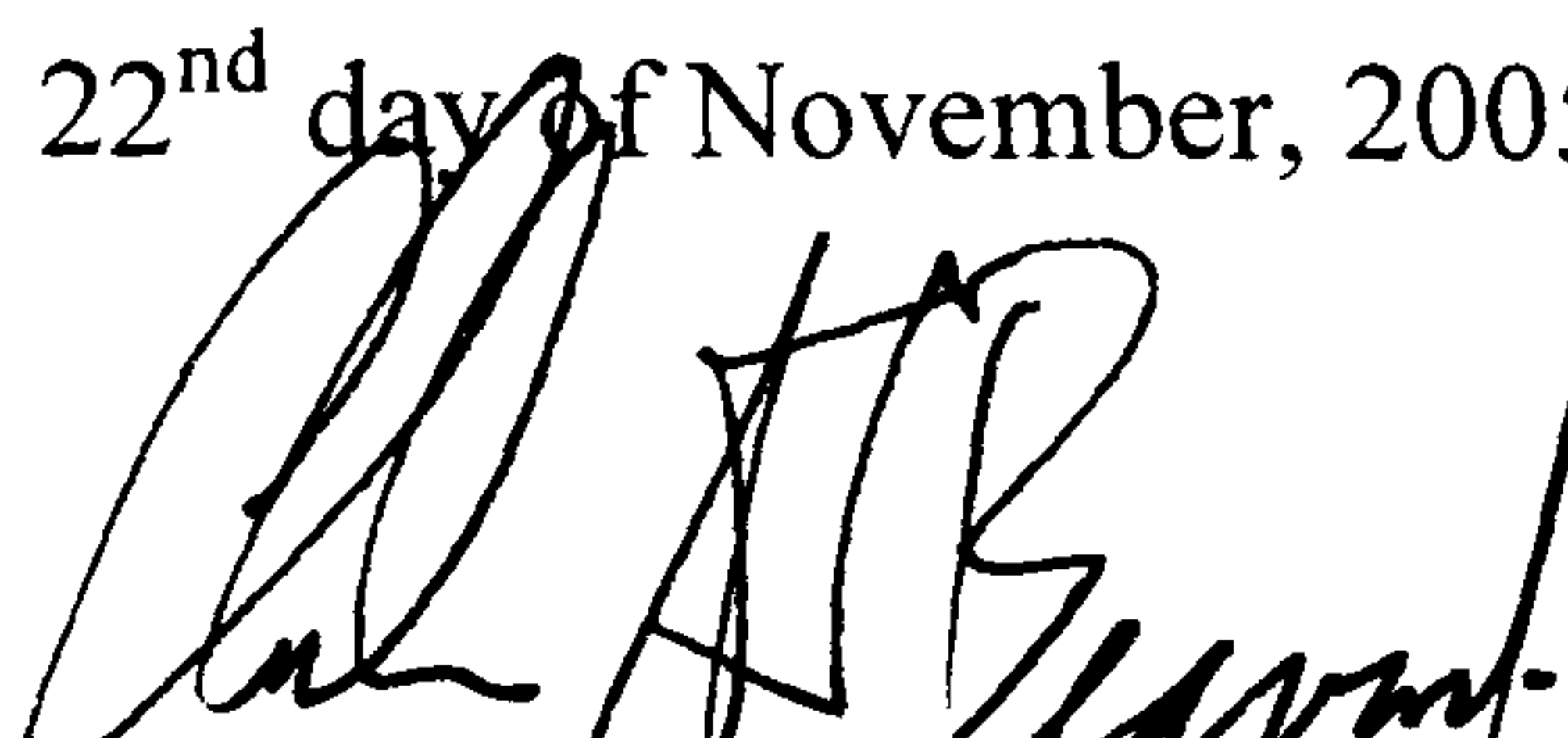
MASKE WOOD PROPERTIES, LLC

By   
Jerry DeWayne Wood  
Its Sole Member

STATE OF ALABAMA     )  
                                  :  
JEFFERSON COUNTY     )

I, the undersigned, a notary public in and for said county in said state, hereby certify that Jerry Dewayne Wood, whose name as Sole Member of Maske Wood Properties, LLC, an Alabama limited liability company, 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 said instrument, he, as such member and with full authority, executed the same voluntarily for and as the act of said company.

Given under my hand and official seal the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of November, 2005.

  
Notary Public

[NOTARIAL SEAL]

My commission expires: Aug '07