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Wachovia Mortgage Corporation
P. O. Box 90001
Raleigh, NC 27675-9000
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STATE OF ALABAMA )

COUNTY OF SHELBY )

## FORECLOSURE DEED

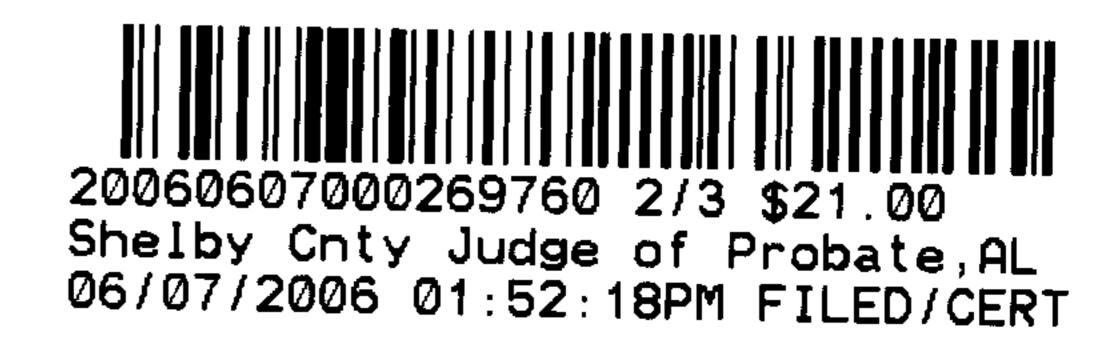
KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that

WHEREAS, heretofore, on, to-wit: the 21st day of August 2002, Robert J. Wade, an unmarried person, executed that certain mortgage on real property hereinafter described to SouthTrust Mortgage Corporation, which said mortgage was recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Inst. No. 2002082300040159, said mortgage having subsequently been transferred and assigned to Wachovia Bank, N.A.; and

WHEREAS, in and by said mortgage, the Transferee was authorized and empowered in case of default in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby, according to the terms thereof, to sell said property before the Courthouse door in the City of Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, after giving notice of the time, place, and terms of said sale in some newspaper published in said County by publication once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks prior to said sale at public outcry for cash, to the highest bidder, and said mortgage provided that in case of sale under the power and authority contained in same, the Transferee or any person conducting said sale for the Transferee was authorized to execute title to the purchaser at said sale; and it was further provided in and by said mortgage that the Transferee may bid at the sale and purchase said property if the highest bidder thereof; and

WHEREAS, default was made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, and the said Wachovia Bank, N.A. did declare all of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage subject to foreclosure as therein provided and did give due and proper notice of the foreclosure of said mortgage by

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publication in the Shelby County Reporter, a newspaper of general circulation published in Shelby County, Alabama, in its issues of March 22, 2006, March 29, 2006, and April 5, 2006; and

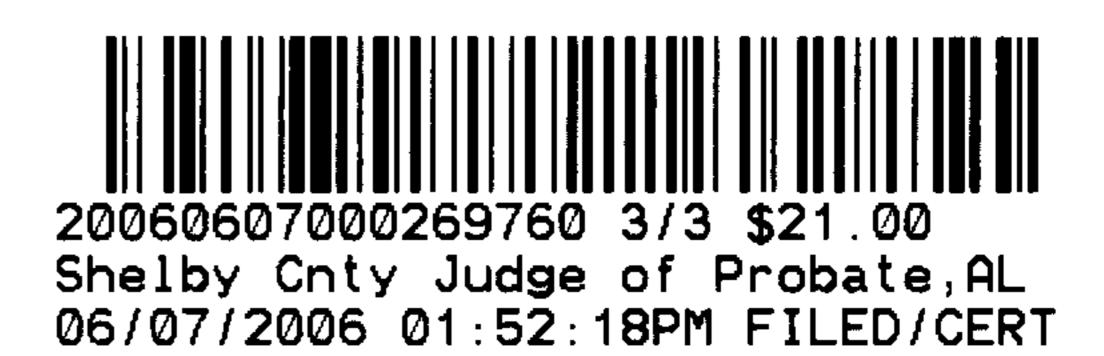
WHEREAS, on April 25, 2006, the day on which the foreclosure was due to be held under the terms of said notice, between the legal hours of sale, said foreclosure was duly conducted, and Wachovia Bank, N.A. did offer for sale and sell at public outcry in front of the Courthouse door in Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, the property hereinafter described; and

WHEREAS, Michael Corvin was the auctioneer who conducted said foreclosure sale and was the person conducting the sale for the said Wachovia Bank, N.A.; and

WHEREAS, Wachovia Bank, N.A. was the highest bidder and best bidder in the amount of Seventy-Two Thousand Four Hundred Twenty-Eight and 94/100 Dollars (\$72,428.94) on the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, the said Wachovia Bank, N.A., by and through Michael Corvin as auctioneer conducting said sale and as attorney-in-fact for said Transferee, does hereby grant, bargain, sell and convey unto Wachovia Bank, N.A. all of its right, title, and interest in and to the following described property situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lot 89, according to the Resurvey of Lots 1 through 64, 89 through 104, and A through C, of Applegate Manor, as recorded in Map Book 10, Page 25, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama; together with all of the rights, privileges, easements and appurtenant ownership interest in and to premises previously conveyed by Applegate Realty, Inc., by deed recorded in Real 65, Page 201 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, and more fully defined in the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions of Applegate Townhouse, as recorded in Real 63, Page 634 in said Probate Office.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the above described property unto Wachovia Bank, N.A., its successors/heirs and assigns forever; subject, however, to the statutory rights of redemption from said foreclosure sale on the part of those entitled to redeem as provided by the laws in the State of Alabama; and



also subject to all recorded mortgages, encumbrances, recorded or unrecorded easements, liens, taxes, assessments, rights-of-way, and other matters of record in the aforesaid Probate Office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Wachovia Bank, N.A., has caused this instrument to be executed by and through Michael Corvin, as auctioneer conducting said sale and as attorney-in-fact for said Mortgagee, and said Michael Corvin, as said auctioneer and attorney-in-fact for said Mortgagee, has hereto set his/her hand and seal on this 25th day of April, 2006.

Wachovia Bank, N.A.

By:

Michael Corvin, Auctioneer and Attorney-in-Fact

STATE OF ALABAMA )
COUNTY OF SHELBY )

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that Michael Corvin, whose name as auctioneer and attorney-in-fact for Wachovia Bank, N.A., is signed to the foregoing conveyance, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this date, that being informed of the conveyance, he/she, as such auctioneer and attorney-in-fact and with full authority, executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date for and as the act of said Transferee.

Given under my hand and official seal on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2006.

Notary/Public

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JANUARY 23, 2010

My Commission Expires:

This instrument prepared by:

Cynthia W. Williams

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