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STATE OF ALABAMA SHELBY COUNTY

## STATUTORY WARRANTY DEED (Joint Tenants With Rights of Survivorship)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That in consideration of Ten Thousand and 00/100 Dollars (\$10,000.00) to TWS HOMES, INC. ("Grantor"), in hand paid by THOMAS W. STRICKLAND & LYNDA C. STRICKLAND ("Grantees"), the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Grantor does by these presents grant, bargain, sell and convey unto Grantees, as joint tenants with rights of survivorship, together with every contingent remainder and right of reversion, the real estate situated in Shelby County, Alabama, being more particularly described as follows (the "Property"):

Lot 20, according to the Final Plat of Sterling Gate, Sector 2, Phase 2, as recorded in Map Book 36, page 86, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD to the said Grantees for and during their joint lives and upon the death of either of them, then to the survivor of them in fee simple, and to the heirs and assigns of such survivor forever, together with every contingent remainder and right of reversion. Grantor does for itself, its successors and assigns, covenant with said Grantees that it is lawfully seized in fee simple of said premises, that said premises are free from all encumbrances, that Grantor has a good right to sell and convey the same as aforesaid, and that Grantor will and its successors and assigns shall, warrant and defend the same to the said Grantees, their heirs, executors and assigns forever, against the lawful claims of all persons claiming by, under or through Grantor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Grantor, TWS Homes, Inc. has caused this conveyance to be executed by its duly authorized President this 27th day of September, 2006.

TWS HOMES, INC.:

By: Thomas W. Strickland

Its: President

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## STATE OF ALABAMA SHELBY COUNTY

I, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Thomas W. Strickland, whose name as President of TWS Homes, Inc., 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/she, as such officer and with full authority, executed the same voluntarily for and as the act of said corporation.

Given under my hand and official seal this 27 day of \_\_\_\_

2006.

Notary Public

My Commission expires:

Shelby County, AL 10/23/2006 State of Alabama

Deed Tax:\$10.00