

This Instrument Prepared By:

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Harold Nelson Knox, III  
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STATE OF ALABAMA )  
COUNTY OF SHELBY )

### STATUTORY WARRANTY DEED

**KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS**, that in consideration of One Hundred Eighty Five Thousand, Four Hundred and 00/100 Dollars (\$185,400.00) to the undersigned Thornton New Home Sales, Inc., an Alabama corporation ("Grantor"), in hand paid by Harold Nelson Knox, III ("Grantee"), the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the said Grantor does by these presents, grant, bargain, sell and convey unto Grantee the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lot 206, according to the Final Plat of Holland Lakes, Sector 3, as recorded in Map Book 37 Page 85 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama (the "Property").

Together with the nonexclusive easement to use the Common Areas as more particularly described in Holland Lakes Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions executed by the Grantor and filed for record as Instrument No. 20050425000196100 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama as has been amended or may be amended from time to time (the "Declaration").

*Harold Nelson Knox, III is one and the same as Harold N. Knox, III*  
TITLE IS VESTED IN THORNTON NEW HOMES SALES, INC. AS SURVIVOR IN ITS MERGER WITH HOLLAND LAKES, INC.

\$ 160,000.00 of a consideration as was paid from the proceeds of a mortgage loan.

Subject to: (1) Ad valorem taxes due and payable October 1, 2008 and all subsequent years thereafter; (2) Mineral and mining rights not owned by Grantor; (3) The easements, restrictions, assessments, covenants, agreements and all other terms and provisions of the Declaration and in Map Book 37 page 85 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama; (4) All easements, restrictions, reservations, agreements, rights-of-way, building setback lines and any other matters of record.

Grantee, by acceptance of this deed, acknowledges, covenants and agrees for itself and for its successors and assigns, that Grantor shall not be liable for and Grantee hereby waives, releases and forever discharges Grantor, its officers, agents, employees, directors, shareholders, partners, predecessors, contractors, subcontractors, mortgagees and each of their respective successors and assigns, from any and all liability claims and causes of action of any nature on account of loss, damage, or injuries to buildings, structures, improvements, personal property or to Grantee or any owner, occupants or other person who enters upon any portion of the Property as a result of or arising out of any past, present or future soil, surface and/or subsurface conditions, known or unknown, (including, without limitation, radon, sinkholes, underground mines,

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tunnels and limestone formations and deposits) under or upon the Property or any property surrounding, adjacent to or in close proximity with the Property.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Thornton New Home Sales, Inc., an Alabama corporation, by its (Closing Agent), Kara Bowman, who is authorized to execute this conveyance, has hereto set its signature and seal, this the 24th day of March, 2008.

THORNTON NEW HOME SALES, INC., AN ALABAMA CORPORATION

By: Kara Bowman  
Kara Bowman  
TITLE: Closing Agent

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON )

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, hereby certify that Kara Bowman, whose name as Closing Agent of Thornton New Home Sales, 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, 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 seal this the 24th day of March, 2008.

David P. Condon  
Notary Public David P. Condon  
My Commission Expires: NOTARY PUBLIC  
ALABAMA STATE-AT-LARGE

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