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MORTGAGE

STATE OF ALABAMA }
COUNTY OF SHELBY }

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That Whereas, **Albert J. Knight**, a married man (hereinafter called “Mortgagor”, whether one or more) is justly indebted to **Carol R. Knight** (hereinafter called “Mortgagee”, whether one or more), in the sum of **One Hundred Twelve Thousand and no/100 Dollars (\$112,000.00)**, evidenced by one Promissory Note of this date in the amount of \$112,000.00, together with interest upon the unpaid portion thereof from date at the rate of five and one-half percent (5½ %) per annum, payable in monthly installments of Six Hundred Thirty-five and 92/100 Dollars (\$635.92) per month, until the entire indebtedness has been paid in full.

And Whereas, Mortgagor agreed, in incurring said indebtedness, that this mortgage should be given to secure the prompt payment thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises, said Mortgagor, Albert J. Knight, and all others executing this mortgage, do hereby grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the Mortgagee the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, State of Alabama, to-wit:

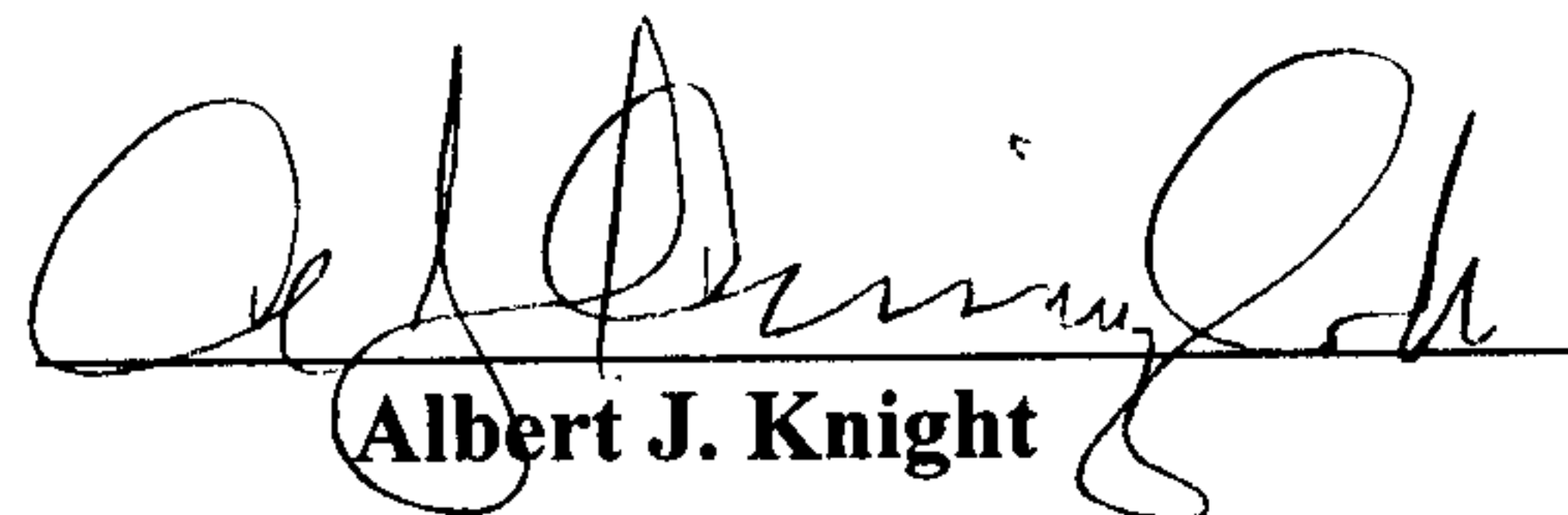
A parcel of land in the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 26, Township 21 South, Range 1 East, Shelby County, Alabama, described as follows:
Begin at the NE corner of said 1/4 1/4 section; thence run South along the 1/4 1/4 line 359.40 feet to a point on the 397 feet contour line on the North side of Lay Lake; thence run Northwest along said contour line of the following approximate courses and distances; turn right 111 deg. 39 min. 19 sec. a distance of 124.16 feet; thence right 74 deg. 01 min. 29 sec. a distance of 92.36 feet; turn left 15 deg. 01 min. 14 sec. a distance of 72.15 feet; turn left 109 deg. 53 min. 46 sec. a distance of 32.37 feet; turn right 76 deg. 16 min. 00 sec. a distance of 58.83 feet; turn left 67 deg. 29 min. 17 sec. a distance of 53.51 feet; turn right 31 deg. 21 min. 43 sec. a distance of 38.56 feet; turn right 28 deg. 22 min. 12 sec. a distance of 61.69 feet; turn right 13 deg. 58 min. 15 sec. a distance of 116.22 feet to a point on the North 1/4 1/4 line; thence turn right 126 deg. 23 min. 32 sec. and run East along said 1/4 1/4 line 391.62 feet to the point of beginning. Being situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Mortgagor shall have the right to prepay all or any part of the above stated indebtedness at any time, without penalty, by paying such amount of prepayment plus accrued interest as of such prepayment date.

To Have And To Hold the above granted property unto the said Mortgagee, Mortgagee’s successors, heirs, and assigns forever; and for the purpose of further securing the payment of said indebtedness, the undersigned agrees to pay all taxes or assessments when imposed legally upon said premises, and should default be made in the payment of same, the said Mortgagee may at Mortgagee’s option pay off the same; and to further secure said indebtedness, first above named undersigned agrees to keep the improvements on said real estate insured against loss or damage by fire, lightning and tornado for the fair and reasonable insurable value thereof, in companies satisfactory to the Mortgagee, with loss, if any, payable to said Mortgagee, as Mortgagee’s interest may appear, and to promptly deliver said policies, or any renewal of said policies to said Mortgagee; and if undersigned fail to keep said property insured as above specified, or fail to deliver said insurance policies to said Mortgagee, then the said Mortgagee, or assigns, may at Mortgagee’s option insure said property for said sum, for Mortgagee’s own benefit, the policy if collected, to be credited on said indebtedness, less cost of collecting same; all amounts so expended by said Mortgagee for taxes, assessments or insurance, shall become a debt to said Mortgagee or assigns, additional to the debt hereby specially secured, and shall be covered by this Mortgage, and bear interest from date of payment by said Mortgagee, or assigns, and be at once due and payable.

Upon condition, however, that if the said Mortgagor pays said indebtedness, and reimburses said Mortgagee or assigns for any amounts Mortgagees may have expended for taxes, assessments, and insurance, and interest thereon, then this conveyance to be null and void; but should default be made in the payment of any sum expended by the said Mortgagee or assigns, or should said indebtedness hereby secured, or any part thereof, or the interest thereon, remain unpaid at maturity, or should the interest of said Mortgagee or assigns in said property become endangered by reason of the enforcement of any prior lien or incumbrance thereon, so as to endanger the debt hereby secured, then in any one of said events, the whole of said indebtedness hereby secured shall at once become due and payable, and this mortgage be subject to foreclosure as now provided by law in case of past due mortgages, and the said Mortgagee, agents or assigns, shall be authorized to take possession of the premises hereby conveyed, and with or without first taking possession, after giving twenty-one days' notice, by publishing once a week for three consecutive weeks, the time, place and terms of sale, by publication in some newspaper published in said County and State, sell the same in lots or parcels or en masse as Mortgagee, agents or assigns deem best, in front of the Court House door of said County, (or the division thereof) where said property is located, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, and apply the proceeds of the 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 it may then be necessary to expend, in paying insurance, taxes, or 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 day of sale; and Fourth, the balance, if any, to be turned over to the said Mortgagor and undersigned further agree that said Mortgagee, agents or assigns may bid at said sale and purchase said property, if the highest bidder therefor; and undersigned further agree to pay a reasonable attorney's fee to said Mortgagee or assigns, for the foreclosure of this mortgage in Chancery, should the same be so foreclosed, said fee to be a part of the debt hereby secured.

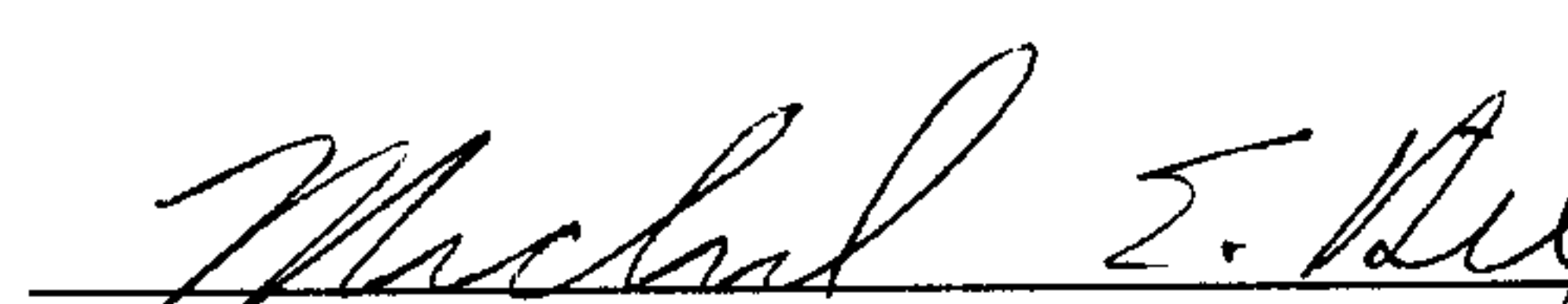
IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned, **Albert J. Knight**, has hereunto set his signature and seal, this 21st day of APRIL, 2008.

 (SEAL)
Albert J. Knight

STATE OF ALABAMA}
SHELBY COUNTY }

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that **Albert J. Knight**, whose name 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 executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal this 21st day of APRIL, 2008.

 (SEAL)
Notary Public