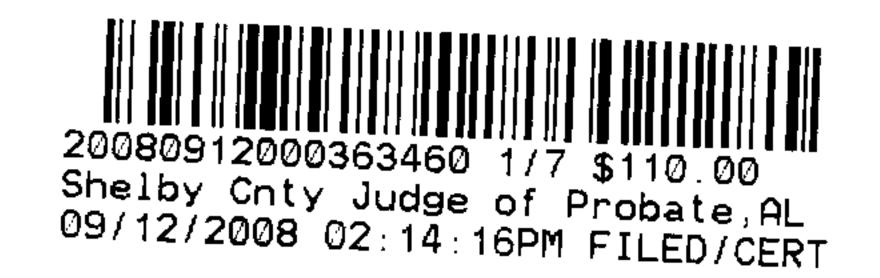
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## MEMORANDUM of LEASE

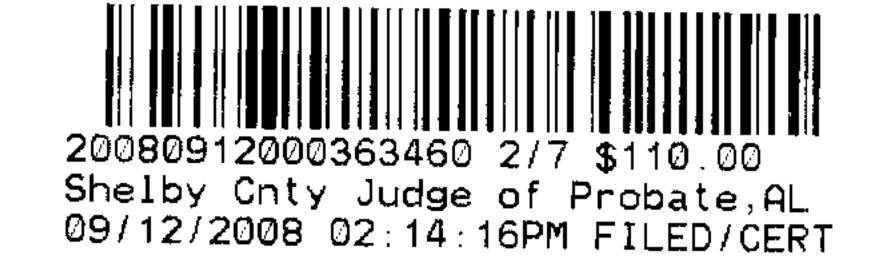
THIS MEMORANDUM of LEASE (the "Memorandum") is executed effective as of September, <u>/o</u> 2008(the "Effective Date"), by and between **ANDRESS COMPANY**, **INC.**, an Alabama corporation, whose address is 3112 Ryecroft Road, Birmingham, Alabama 35223-2716("Lessor"), and **HIGGINBOTHAM OIL COMPANY**, **INC.**, an Alabama corporation ("Lessee"), whose address is whose address is P.O. Box 1807, Pelham, Alabama 35124.

## PRELIMINARY STATEMENT:

Lessor and Lessee entered into that certain lease (the "Lease") executed by each party on August 7, 2001, whereby Lessor has leased to Lessee, and Lessee has rented and leased from Lessor, on and subject to the terms, provisions and conditions of the Lease, the real property described more particularly in the legal description attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by this reference (the "Premises"). Unless otherwise expressly provided herein, all defined terms used in this Memorandum shall have the same meanings as are ascribed to such terms in the Lease.

NOW, THEREFORE, Lessor and Lessee hereby make specific reference to the following terms, provisions and conditions of the Lease:

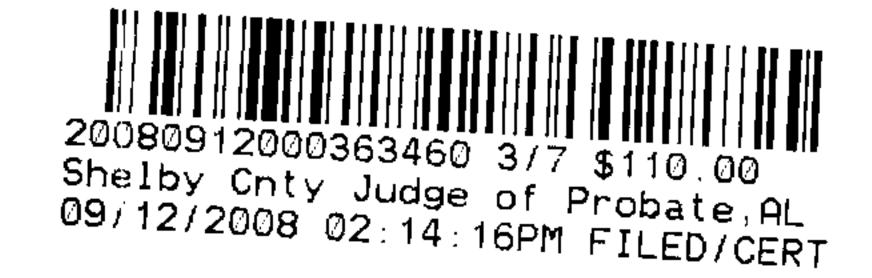
- 1. In consideration of the rentals and other sums to be paid by Lessee and of the other terms, covenants and conditions on Lessee's part to be kept and performed pursuant to the Lease, Lessor leases to Lessee, and Lessee takes and hires, the Premises. The term of the Lease commenced on December 1, 2005 and expires on November 30, 2010, unless extended as provided below or terminated sooner as provided in the Lease.
- 2. Provided that the Lessee is not in default of its obligations under the Lease, Lessee shall have two separate options to extend the term of the Lease for an additional period of five (5) years each on the terms and conditions set forth in the Lease.
- 3. Original copies of the Lease are in the possession of Lessor and Lessee. The Lease contains other terms not herein set forth but which are incorporated by reference herein for all purposes, and this Memorandum is executed for the purpose of placing parties dealing with the Premises on notice of the existence of the Lease and, where appropriate, its contents,



and shall ratify and confirm all other terms of the Lease as fully as if the same had been set forth herein. Additional information concerning the terms of the Lease can be obtained from Lessor or Lessee at the addresses set forth above.

- 4. This Memorandum is intended for recording purposes only, and does not modify, supersede, diminish, add to or change all or any of the terms of the Lease in any respect.
- 5. This Memorandum is recorded in connection with the granting by the Lessee of a leasehold mortgage on the Premises to Superior Bank, which is by execution hereof, consented to and approved by the Lessor.
- 6. This Memorandum may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Memorandum to be delivered as of the Effective Date.

LESSOR:

ANDRESS COMPANY, INC.,

By: Mane: Harry R Andrew III

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I, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that HR Andress III , whose name as resident of Andress Company, Inc., an Alabama corporation, 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 the said instrument, 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 seal, this  $\frac{10^{11}}{10^{11}}$  day of September, 2008.

[ NOTARIAL SEAL ]

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I, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Burnie Higginbotham, Jr., whose name as President of, Higginbotham Oil Company, Inc., an Alabama corporation, 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 the said instrument, he, 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 \_/O day of September, 2008.

[ NOTARIAL SEAL ]

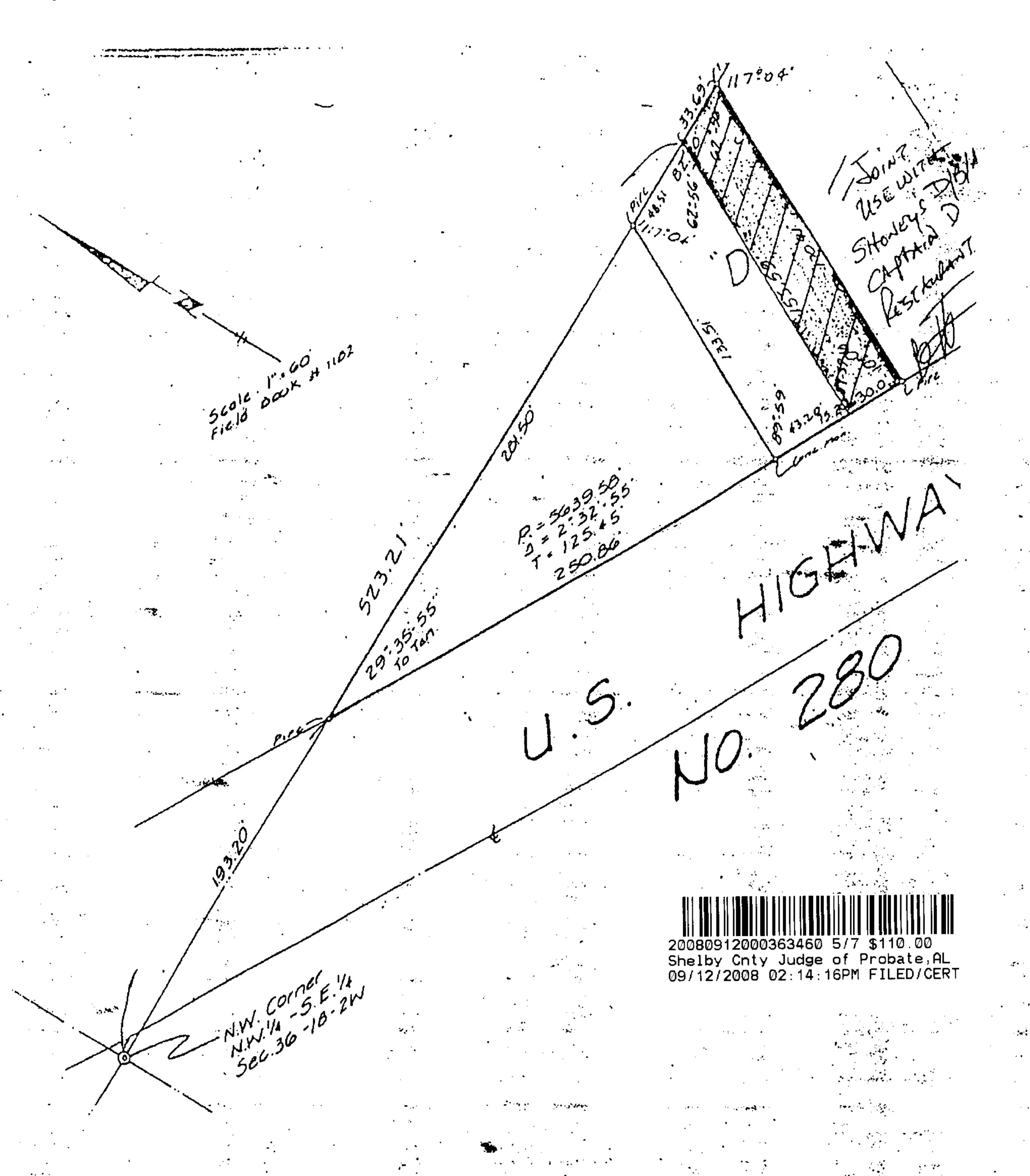
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Print Name Charles M HARDIN

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A part of the N.W.1/4 of the S.E.1/4 of Section 36, Township 18 South, Range 2 West, being more particularly described as follows:

Commence at the Northwest corner of said 1/4-1/4 section and run Easterly along the North line of said 1/4-1/4 section a distance of 523.21 feet to the point of beginning; thence continue along last stated course a distance of 33.69 feet to a point; thence 117 04' to the right in a Southwesterly direction a distance of 170.91 feet to a point on the Northeasterly Right-of-Way line of U.S. Highway No. 280; thence 89 59' to the right in a Northwesterly direction along said Right-of-Way line a distance of 30.0 feet to a point; thence 90 01' to the right in a Northeasterly direction a distance of 155.59 feet to the point of beginning.

Containing 4,897.48 square feet or 0.112 acre.

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