

## **AUCTIONEER'S DEED**

## STATE OF ALABAMA COUNTY OF SHELBY

WHEREAS, MURIEL M. SMITH, an unmarried woman executed a mortgage to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. (MERS) acting solely as nominee for Countrywide Home Loans, Inc. on the 9th day of November, 2006 on that certain real property hereinafter described, which mortgage is recorded in Instrument No. 20061127000573090, of the records in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama; and

WHEREAS, in said mortgage the mortgagee was vested with full power and authority, upon the happening of a default in the payment of the principal note described in and secured by said mortgage or any installment of interest thereon, to sell said property hereinafter described at public outcry before the Courthouse door in the City of Columbiana, County of Shelby, Alabama, for cash to the highest bidder, after giving notice of the time, place and terms of sale by an advertisement published once a week for three successive weeks in a newspaper published in the City of Columbiana, Alabama; and

WHEREAS, default was made in the payment of said indebtedness described in and secured by said mortgage; and

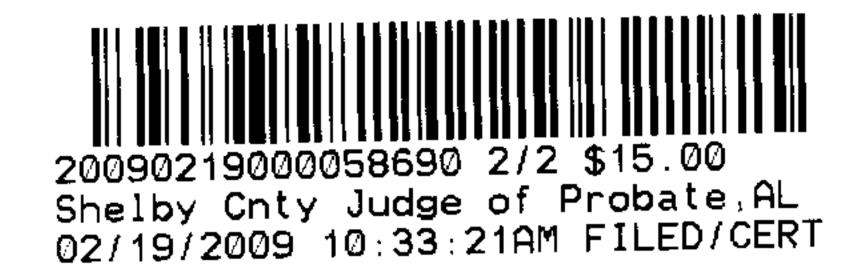
WHEREAS, notice of the time, place and purposes of said sale, as required by said mortgage has been given in The Shelby County Reporter, a newspaper published in the City of Columbiana, Alabama, by an advertisement published in the issues of said newspaper on January 7<sup>th</sup>, January 14<sup>th</sup> and January 21<sup>st</sup>, 2009,; fixing the time of the sale of said property to be during the legal hours of sale on the 2nd day of February, 2009, and the place of same at the front door of the Courthouse of Shelby County, in the City of Columbiana, Alabama, and the terms of the sale to be cash; and

WHEREAS, a sale has been made of the said real property hereinafter described during the legal hours of sale on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 2009, at the front door of the Courthouse of Shelby County, Alabama, in strict conformity with the powers of sale contained in the said mortgage, at which sale COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS, INC. was the highest and best bidder and did become the purchaser of the real property hereinafter described for the sum of \$117,865.00 cash in hand paid by said purchaser to Michael T. Atchison., as auctioneer who conducted the sale on behalf of the owner of said mortgage; the said Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. (MERS) acting solely as nominee for Countrywide Home Loans, Inc., by and through Michael T. Atchison as such auctioneer, and as its attorney-in-fact, and Muriel M. Smith by Michael T. Atchison, as their attorney-in-fact, under and by virtue of the authority contained in said mortgage, do hereby GRANT, BARGAIN, SELL AND CONVEY unto COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS, INC., its successors and assigns, the following described real property situated in the County of Shelby, State of Alabama, to-wit:

LOT 112, ACCORDING TO THE SURVEY OF THE COTTAGES OF SARATOGA SECTOR 2, PHASE 1, AS RECORDED IN MAP BOOK 34, PAGE 12, NOW KNOWN AS LOT 112, SARATOGA TOWNHOMES AS RECORDED IN MAP BOOK 37, PAGE 4, IN THE OFFICE OF THE JUDGE OF PROBATE OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA.

TOGETHER WITH all and singular the rights, privileges, tenements, hereditaments, easements and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in anywise appertaining; TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same unto the said **COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS, INC.**, the purchaser at said sale, its successors and assigns, forever; subject, however, to the statutory right of redemption on the part of those entitled to redeem as provided by the laws of the State of Alabama.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the said Muriel M. Smith, and Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. (MERS) acting solely as nominee for Countrywide Home Loans, Inc., have hereunto set their hands and seals by their said attorney-in-fact and auctioneer at said sale on this the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 2009.



BY: Michael T. Atchison

As Attorney-in-Fact and Auctioneer

## STATE OF ALABAMA COUNTY OF SHELBY

I, the undersigned Notary Public in and for said State and County, hereby certify that Michael T. Atchison, whose name as attorney-in-fact and auctioneer for Muriel M. Smith, and Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. (MERS) acting solely as nominee for Countrywide Home Loans, 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 said conveyance, he, as such attorney-in-fact and auctioneer, executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and notarial seal on this the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 2009

NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires: 3-19-12

Grantee's address:

5401 North Beach Street Mail Stop: FWTX-35 Fort Worth, Texas 76137

This instrument prepared by:

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