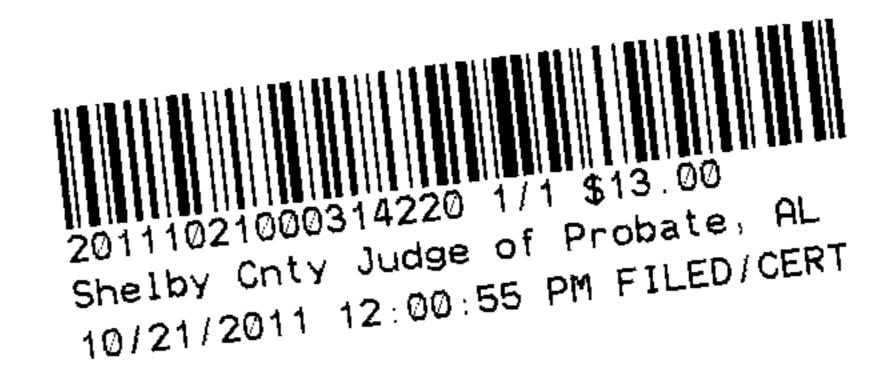
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STATE OF ALABAMA

COUNTY OF SHELBY

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MORTGAGE RELEASE

FOR AND IN CONSIDERATION OF ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) and other good the undersigned, Synovus Bank, formerly known as Columbus Bank and Trust, successor in interest through name change and by merger with First Commercial Bank, as lender, by virtue of that certain Real Estate Mortgage and Security Agreement recorded on 8/4/2006 does hereby release and discharge from the lien of that certain mortgage executed on 6/26/2006 by Hardy, Toby R. and Hardy, Susan T. and recorded as Instrument # 20060804000377290 all in the Probate Office of Shelby County, AL.

Synovus Bank, formerly known as Columbus Bank and Trust, successor in interest through name change and by merger with

First Commercial Bank

Sharon Mink

Authorized Agent

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF FORSYTH

I the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that **Sharon Mink**, whose name is signed to the foregoing satisfaction as Authorized Agent of **Synovus Bank**, formerly known as Columbus Bank and Trust, successor in interest and through name change and by merger with First Commercial Bank, who is known to me and has full authority, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, she with full authority executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

FEB. 14, 2013

Given under my hand and seal this 14th October, 2011.

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This document prepared by:

Cance C. Walker, Notary Public

Expression Date: 14th February, 2013

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