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Shelby Cnty Judge of Probate, AL
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DURABLE AND SPECIFIC
POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That I, Thomas Marquardt, residing at 4341 Kings Mountain Ridge, Vestavia, AL 35242, Jefferson County, do hereby constitute and appoint my spouse, Wanda Marquardt my true and lawful attorney-in-fact to act for me and in my name, place and stead with respect to the sale pertaining thereto of the property located at 1168 Barkley Lane, Birmingham, AL 35242 and more particularly described as follows:

Lot 28, according to the Survey of Barkley Square, as recorded in Map Book 27, Page 32, in the Office of the Probate Judge of Shelby County, Alabama.

situated in Shelby County, Alabama, for me and in my name, place and stead by full covenant and warranty deed, to sale the premises heretofore described for such price and to grant, bargain, convey any of my right, title and interest in said premises or any part thereof, to execute any documents as deemed necessary for the sale of said premises on such terms as she shall in her sole discretion elects; to execute, acknowledge and deliver in my name any deed, instrument of conveyance, and any other documents that may be required for the transfer thereof of my interest therein; to attend the closing on my behalf and sign any and all documents necessary for the sale of the real property to Ladie P. Knight and Ronnie C. Knight.

GIVING AND GRANTING unto my said attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform every act necessary, requisite, or proper to be done to complete, or if in opinion of my said attorney-in-fact, to delay and/or postpone, the Closing as fully as I might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution and revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said attorney-in-fact shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof. My lawful attorney-in-fact as appointed herein is authorized to exercise the herein above granted powers as to any, all, or any part of the above described tract of real property.

I further authorize the said attorney-in-fact to perform all acts necessary for the negotiation of said sale, sales contract, leases and all other acts necessary for the execution of the within power.

This power of attorney shall not be affected by disability, incompetency, or incapacity of the principal, and shall be construed as a durable power of attorney under Ala. Code Section 26-1-2 (1975).

25th IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the said Thomas Marquardt have hereunto set my hand and seal this day of October, 2011.

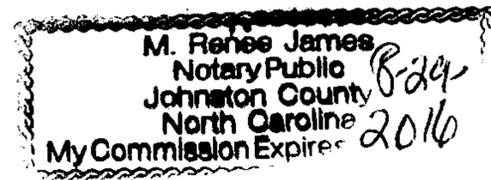
Thomas Marquardt (Seal)
Thomas Marquardt

STATE OF NC)
COUNTY OF Johnston)

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that Thomas R. Marquardt whose name is signed to the foregoing Durable and Specific Power of Attorney and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being fully informed of the contents of the foregoing instrument, he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

GIVEN under my hand and official seal this the 25th day of October, 2011.

M. Rense James
Notary Public
My commission expires:



[notarial seal]

This instrument prepared by:
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