

WARRANTY DEED

This instrument was prepared by:
B. Christopher Battles
3150 Highway 52 West
Pelham, AL 35124

Send tax notice to:
Garry L. Merrell
4080 Eagle Ridge Court
Birmingham, AL 35242

STATE OF ALABAMA

COUNTY OF SHELBY

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DEEDS 1/2

Know All Men by These Presents: That in consideration of **Two Hundred Forty-Five Thousand and no/100 Dollars (\$245,000.00)**, to the undersigned Grantor, in hand paid by the Grantee herein, the receipt where is acknowledged, I, **SUSAN C. WILKENS, an unmarried woman** (herein referred to as Grantor) grant, bargain, sell and convey unto **GARRY L. MERRELL** (herein referred to as Grantee), the following described real estate, situated in **Shelby County, Alabama**, to-wit:

Lot 52, according to the Survey of The Hills at Brookhighland, as recorded in Map Book 37, Page 105, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama.

THE PURCHASE OF THE HEREIN DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY IS BEING FINANCED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY PROCEEDS OF A PURCHASE MONEY MORTGAGE BEING EXECUTED SIMULTANEOUSLY HERewith.

Subject to mineral and mining rights if not owned by Grantor.

Subject to existing easements, restrictions, set-back lines, rights of way, limitations, if any of record.

\$245,000.00 of the purchase price herein above has been paid by a purchase money mortgage loan closed simultaneously herewith.

And I do, for myself and for my heirs, executors and administrators, covenant with said Grantee, his heirs and assigns, that I am lawfully seized in fee simple of said premises; that he is free from all encumbrances, unless otherwise stated above; that I have a good right to sell and convey the same as aforesaid; that I will, and my heirs, executors and administrators shall warrant and defend the same to the said Grantee, his heirs and assigns forever, against the lawful claims of all persons.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 14th day of April, 2017.


SUSAN C. WILKENS

STATE OF ALABAMA

COUNTY OF SHELBY

I, B. CHRISTOPHER BATTLES, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that **SUSAN C. WILKENS**, 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 this conveyance, she executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal this 14th day of April, 2017

B. CHRISTOPHER BATTLES
Notary Public, State of Alabama
Alabama State At Large
My Commission Expires
January 31, 2021


Notary Public
My Commission Expires: 01/31/2021

Real Estate Sales Validation Form

This Document must be filed in accordance with Code of Alabama 1975, Section 40-22-1

Grantor's Name Susan C. Wilkens
Mailing Address 20637 Blueberry Ln #38
Fairhope, AL 36532

Grantee's Name Gary L. Merrell
Mailing Address 4080 Eagle Ridge Court
Birmingham, AL 35242

Property Address 4080 Eagle Ridge Court
Birmingham, AL 35242

Date of Sale 04/14/2017
Total Purchase Price \$ 245,000.00

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Or
Actual Value \$
Or
Assessor's Market Value \$

The purchase price or actual value claimed on this form can be verified in the following documentary evidence: (check one) (Recordation of documentary evidence is not required)

Bill of Sale
X Sales Contract
X Closing Statement
Appraisal
Other

If the conveyance document presented for recordation contains all of the required information referenced above, the filing of this form is not required.

Instructions

Grantor's name and mailing address - provide the name of the person or persons conveying interest to property and their current mailing address.

Grantee's name and mailing address - provide the name of the person or persons to whom interest to property is being conveyed.

Property address - the physical address of the property being conveyed, if available.

Date of Sale - the date on which interest to the property was conveyed.

Total purchase price - the total amount paid for the purchase of the property, both real and personal, being conveyed by the instrument offered for record.

Actual value - if the property is not being sold, the true value of the property, both real and personal, being conveyed by the instrument offered for record. This may be evidenced by an appraisal conducted by a licensed appraiser or the assessor's current market value.

If no proof is provided and the value must be determined, the current estimate of fair market value, excluding current use valuation, of the property as determined by the local official charged with the responsibility of valuing property for property tax purposes will be used and the taxpayer will be penalized pursuant to Code of Alabama 1975 § 40-22-1 (h).

I attest, to the best of my knowledge and belief that the information contained in this document is true and accurate. I further understand that any false statements claimed on this form may result in the imposition of the penalty indicated in Code of Alabama 1975 § 40-22-1 (h).

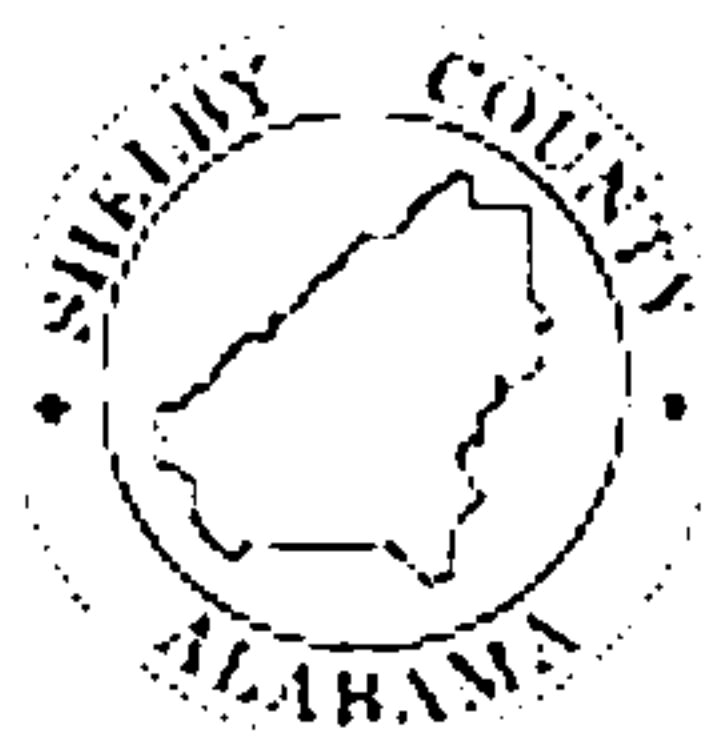
Date

Print B. CHRISTOPHER BATTLES

Unattested (verified by)

Sign (Grantor/Grantee/Owner/Agent) circle one

Form RT-1



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Official Public Records
Judge James W. Fuhrmeister, Probate Judge,
County Clerk
Shelby County, AL
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James W. Fuhrmeister