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With Future Advance Clause

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The date of this Mortgage ("*Security Instrument*") is March 5, 2021.

When Recorded Return To:

Mortgagor

SHARON A BRAKEFIELD AKA SHARON
 BRAKEFIELD, Wife; HENRY J BRAKEFIELD AKA
 HENRY BRAKEFIELD, Husband;
 642 SOUTHERN HILLS DR
 CALERA, AL 35040-4837

Lender

Regions Bank
 Organized and existing under the laws of the state of
 Alabama
 201 Milan Parkway
 Birmingham, AL 35211

Indecomm Global Services
 1427 Energy Park Drive
 St. Paul, MN 55108

1. Conveyance. For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged, and to secure the Secured Debt (defined below) and Mortgagor's performance under this Security Instrument, Mortgagor grants, bargains, conveys, sells and mortgages to Lender, with power of sale, the following described property:

THE FOLLOWING LANDS AND PROPERTY, TOGETHER WITH ALL IMPROVEMENTS LOCATED THEREON, LYING IN SHELBY COUNTY, AL TO WIT: LOT 45, ACCORDING TO THE SURVEY OF SOUTHERN HILLS, AS RECORDED IN MAP BOOK 7, PAGE 72, IN THE PROBATE OFFICE OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA. SUBJECT TO: 1. TAXES FOR YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 1996 WHICH CONSTITUTES A LIEN BUT ARE NOT YET DUE AND PAYABLE UNTIL OCTOBER 1, 1997. 2. 35 FOOT BUILDING LINE AS SHOWN ON RECORDED MAP. 3. 7.5 FOOT EASEMENT ON NORTH AND EAST SIDES OF LOT AS SHOWN ON RECORDED MAP. 4. RESTRICTIONS AS SHOWN ON RECORDED MAP. 5. RESTRICTIONS AND COVENANTS APPEARING OF RECORD IN MISC. VOLUME 25, PAGE 684. 6. RIGHT-OF-WAY GRANTED TO ALABAMA POWER COMPANY RECORDED IN VOLUME 315, PAGE 215. THIS BEING THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED TO HENRY J. BRAKEFIELD AND SHARON A. BRAKEFIELD, HUSBAND AND WIFE, AS JOINT TENANTS, WITH RIGHT OF SURVIVORSHIP, DATED 07/31/1997 AND RECORDED ON 08/12/1997 IN INSTRUMENT NO. 1997-25549, IN THE SHELBY COUNTY RECORDERS OFFICE. PARCEL NO. 28 3 05 0 001 020.043

The property is located in SHELBY County at 642 SOUTHERN HILLS DR, CALERA, Alabama 35040-4837.

Together with all rights, easements, appurtenances, royalties, mineral rights, oil and gas rights, all water and riparian rights, ditches, and water stock and all existing and future improvements, structures, fixtures, and replacements that may now, or at any time in the future, be part of the real estate described above (all referred to as "*Property*"). When the Secured Debt (hereafter defined) is paid in full and all underlying agreements have been terminated, this Mortgage will become null and void.

2. Maximum Obligation Limit. The total principal amount secured by this Security Instrument at any one time shall not exceed \$25,000.00. This limitation of amount does not include interest and other fees and charges validly made pursuant to this Security Instrument. Also, this limitation does not apply to advances made under the terms of this Security Instrument to protect Lender's security and to perform any of the covenants contained in this Security Instrument.



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3. Secured Debt and Future Advances. The term "Secured Debt" is defined as follows:

(A) Debt incurred under the terms of all promissory note(s), contract(s), guaranty(ies) or other evidence of debt described below and all their extensions, renewals, modifications or substitutions.

The Credit Agreement and Disclosure signed by SHARON A BRAKEFIELD (the "Borrower") and dated the same date as this Security Instrument (the "Note"). Under the Note, the Lender agrees, subject to certain terms, conditions and limitations, to make advances to the Borrower in a principal amount outstanding not to exceed twenty five thousand and 00/100 Dollars (U.S. \$25,000.00). Borrower has promised to pay this debt with interest in regular periodic payments and to pay the debt in full not later than April 1, 2051.

(B) All future advances from Lender to Mortgagor and/or Borrower or other future obligations of Mortgagor and/or Borrower to Lender under any promissory note, contract, guaranty, or other evidence of debt executed by Mortgagor and/or Borrower in favor of Lender after this Security Instrument whether or not this Security Instrument is specifically referenced. If more than one person signs this Security Instrument, each Mortgagor and/or Borrower agrees that this Security Instrument will secure all future advances and future obligations that are given to or incurred by any one or more Mortgagor and/or Borrower, or any one or more Mortgagor and/or Borrower and others. All future advances and other future obligations are secured by this Security Instrument even though all or part may not yet be advanced. All future advances and other future obligations are secured as if made on the date of this Security Instrument. Nothing in this Security Instrument shall constitute a commitment to make additional or future loans or advances in any amount. Any such commitment must be agreed to in a separate writing.

(C) All other obligations Mortgagor and/or Borrower owes to Lender, which may later arise, to the extent not prohibited by law, including, but not limited to, liabilities for overdrafts relating to any deposit account agreement between Mortgagor and/or Borrower and Lender.

(D) All additional sums advanced and expenses incurred by Lender for insuring, preserving or otherwise protecting the Property and its value and any other sums advanced and expenses incurred by Lender under the terms of this Security Instrument.

In the event that Lender fails to provide any required notice of the right of rescission, Lender waives any subsequent security interest in the Mortgagor's principal dwelling that is created by this Security Instrument.

This Security Instrument will not secure any other debt if Lender fails, with respect to that other debt, to fulfill any necessary requirements or to conform to any limitations of Regulation Z and X that are required for loans secured by the Property.

This Security Instrument will not secure any other debt if any part of the improvements on the Property is located in an area designated by the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency as a special flood hazard area.

4. Mortgage Covenants. Mortgagor agrees that the covenants in this section are material obligations under the Secured Debt and this Security Instrument. If Mortgagor breaches any covenant in this section, Lender may refuse to make additional extensions of credit and reduce the credit limit. By not exercising either remedy on Mortgagor's breach, Lender does not waive Lender's right to later consider the event a breach if it happens again.

Payments. Mortgagor agrees that all payments under the Secured Debt will be paid when due and in accordance with the terms of the Secured Debt and this Security Instrument.

Prior Security Interests. With regard to any other mortgage, deed of trust, security agreement or other lien document that created a prior security interest or encumbrance on the Property, Mortgagor agrees to make all payments when due and to perform or comply with all covenants. Mortgagor also agrees not to allow any modification or extension of, nor to request any future advances under any note or agreement secured by the lien document without Lender's prior written approval.



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11. Warranty of Title. Mortgagor warrants that Mortgagor is or will be lawfully seized of the estate conveyed by this Security Instrument and has the right to grant, bargain, convey, sell, and mortgage, with power of sale, the Property. Mortgagor also warrants that the Property is unencumbered, except for encumbrances of record.

12. Due on Sale or Encumbrance. Lender may, at its option, declare the entire balance of the Secured Debt to be immediately due and payable upon the creation of, or contract for the creation of, any lien encumbrance, a transfer or sale of all or any part of the Property. This right is subject to the restrictions imposed by federal law, as applicable.

13. Warranties and Representations. Mortgagor has the right and authority to enter into this Security Instrument. The execution and delivery of this Security Instrument will not violate any agreement governing Mortgagor or to which Mortgagor is a party.

14. Default. Mortgagor will be in default if any of the following occur:

Fraud. Any Borrower engages in fraud or material misrepresentation in connection with the Secured Debt that is an open end home equity plan.

Payments. Any Borrower on any Secured Debt that is an open end home equity plan fails to make a payment when due.

Property. Any action or inaction by Borrower or Mortgagor occurs that adversely affects the Property or Lender's rights in the Property. This includes, but is not limited to, the following: (a) Mortgagor fails to maintain required insurance on the Property; (b) Mortgagor transfers the Property; (c) Mortgagor commits waste or otherwise destructively uses or fails to maintain the Property such that the action or inaction adversely affects Lender's security; (d) Mortgagor fails to pay taxes on the Property or otherwise fails to act and thereby causes a lien to be filed against the Property that is senior to the lien of this Security Instrument; (e) a sole Mortgagor dies; (f) if more than one Mortgagor, any Mortgagor dies and Lender's security is adversely affected; (g) the Property is taken through eminent domain; (h) a judgment is filed against Mortgagor and subjects Mortgagor and the Property to action that adversely affects Lender's interest; or (i) a prior lienholder forecloses on the Property and as a result, Lender's interest is adversely affected.

Executive Officers. Any Borrower is an executive officer of Lender or an affiliate and such Borrower becomes indebted to Lender or another lender in an aggregate amount greater than the amount permitted under federal laws and regulations.

15. Remedies on Default. In some instances, federal and state law will require Lender to provide Mortgagor with notice of the right to cure or other notices and may establish time schedules for foreclosure actions. Subject to these limitations, if any, Lender may accelerate the Secured Debt and foreclose this Security Instrument in a manner provided by law if Mortgagor is in default. At the option of Lender, all or any part of the agreed fees and charges, accrued interest and principal shall become immediately due and payable, after giving notice if required by law, upon the occurrence of a default or anytime thereafter. In addition, Lender shall be entitled to all the remedies provided by law, including without limitation, the power to sell the Property, the terms of the Secured Debt, this Security Instrument and any related documents. All remedies are distinct, cumulative and not exclusive, and the Lender is entitled to all remedies provided at law or equity, whether or not expressly set forth. The acceptance by Lender of any sum in payment or partial payment on the Secured Debt after the balance is due or is accelerated or after foreclosure proceedings are filed shall not constitute a waiver of Lender's right to require complete cure of any existing default. By not exercising any remedy on Mortgagor's default, Lender does not waive Lender's right to later consider the event a default if it continues or happens again. If Lender initiates a judicial foreclosure, Lender shall give the notices as required by applicable law. If Lender invokes the power of sale, Lender shall publish the notice of sale, and arrange to sell all or part of the Property, as required by applicable law. Lender or its designee may purchase the Property at any sale. Lender shall apply the proceeds of the sale in the manner required by applicable law. The sale of any part of the



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Property shall only operate as a foreclosure of the sold Property, so any remaining Property shall continue to secure any unsatisfied Secured Debt and Lender may further foreclose under the power of sale or by judicial foreclosure.

16. Expenses; Advances on Covenants; Attorneys' Fees; Collection Costs. If Mortgagor breaches any covenant in this Security Instrument, Mortgagor agrees to pay all expenses Lender incurs in performing such covenants or protecting its security interest in the Property. Such expenses include, but are not limited to, fees incurred for inspecting, preserving, or otherwise protecting the Property and Lender's security interest. These expenses are payable on demand and will bear interest from the date of payment until paid in full at the highest rate of interest in effect as provided in the terms of the Secured Debt. Mortgagor agrees to pay all costs and expenses incurred by Lender in collecting, enforcing or protecting Lender's rights and remedies under this Security Instrument. This amount may include, but is not limited to, attorneys' fees, court costs, and other legal expenses. If the Secured Debt is subject to the *Alabama Mini-Code*, then reasonable attorneys' fees not to exceed 15% of the unpaid debt after default are available only when the original amount financed exceeds \$300 and the attorney is not the Lender's salaried employee. No attorneys' fees after default are available when the Secured Debt is an open-end credit plan and its unpaid balance is \$300 or less. To the extent permitted by the *United States Bankruptcy Code*, Mortgagor agrees to pay the reasonable attorneys' fees Lender incurs to collect the Secured Debt as awarded by any court exercising jurisdiction under the Bankruptcy Code. This Security Instrument shall remain in effect until released. Mortgagor agrees to pay for any recordation costs of such release.

17. Environmental Laws and Hazardous Substances. As used in this section, (1) "Environmental Law" means, without limitation, the *Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA)*, 42 U.S.C. 9601 et seq.), and all other federal, state and local laws, regulations, ordinances, court orders, attorney general opinions or interpretive letters concerning the public health, safety, welfare, environment or a hazardous substance; and (2) "Hazardous Substance" means any toxic, radioactive or hazardous material, waste, pollutant or contaminant which has characteristics which render the substance dangerous or potentially dangerous to the public health, safety, welfare or environment. The term includes, without limitation, any substances defined as "hazardous material," "toxic substances," "hazardous waste" or "hazardous substance" under any Environmental Law.

Mortgagor represents, warrants and agrees that:

- (A) Except as previously disclosed and acknowledged in writing to Lender, no Hazardous Substance is or will be located, stored or released on or in the Property. This restriction does not apply to small quantities of Hazardous Substances that are generally recognized to be appropriate for the normal use and maintenance of the Property.
- (B) Except as previously disclosed and acknowledged in writing to Lender, Mortgagor and every tenant have been, are, and shall remain in full compliance with any applicable Environmental Law.
- (C) Mortgagor shall immediately notify Lender if a release or threatened release of a Hazardous Substance occurs on, under or about the Property or there is a violation of any Environmental Law concerning the Property. In such an event, Mortgagor shall take all necessary remedial action in accordance with any Environmental Law.
- (D) Mortgagor shall immediately notify Lender in writing as soon as Mortgagor has reason to believe there is any pending or threatened investigation, claim, or proceeding relating to the release or threatened release of any Hazardous Substance or the violation of any Environmental Law.

18. Escrow for Taxes and Insurance. Until otherwise directed by Lender, Mortgagor will pay all taxes, assessments, leasehold payments, and insurance premiums as provided in this Security Instrument. Lender may, at any time, in its discretion, require Mortgagor to establish an escrow account and make escrow payments for such items. In such event, the following paragraphs will apply:

Mortgagor will pay to Lender amounts for (a) yearly taxes and assessments on the Property which under the law may be superior to this Security Instrument, (b) yearly leasehold payments or ground rents (if any), (c) yearly premiums for hazard or property insurance, (d) yearly premiums for flood insurance (if any), and (e) yearly premiums for mortgage insurance (if any). Mortgagor will pay those amounts to Lender unless Lender tells Mortgagor, in writing,



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that Mortgagor does not have to do so, or unless the law requires otherwise. Mortgagor will make those payments at the times required by Lender.

Lender will estimate from time to time Mortgagor's yearly taxes, assessments, leasehold payments or ground rents and insurance premiums, which will be called the "Escrow Items". Lender will use existing assessments and bills and reasonable estimates of future assessments and bills. The amounts that Mortgagor pays to Lender for Escrow Items under this section will be called the "Funds". Lender will collect and hold Funds in an amount not to exceed the maximum amount a lender for a federally related mortgage loan may require for Mortgagor's escrow account under the federal *Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act of 1974* (as amended), unless another law that applies to the Funds sets a lesser amount. If so, Lender will collect and hold Funds in the lesser amount.

Lender will keep the Funds in a savings or banking institution which has its deposits or accounts insured or guaranteed by a federal or state agency. If Lender is such an institution, Lender may hold the Funds. Lender will use the Funds to pay the Escrow Items. Lender will give Mortgagor, without charge, an annual accounting of the Funds. That accounting must show all additions to and deductions from the Funds and the reason for each deduction.

Lender may not charge Mortgagor for holding or keeping the Funds, for using the Funds to pay Escrow Items, for analyzing Mortgagor's payments of Funds, or for receiving, verifying and totaling assessments and bills. However, Lender may charge Mortgagor for these services if Lender pays Mortgagor interest on the Funds and if the law permits Lender to make such a charge. Lender may require Mortgagor to pay a one-time charge for an independent real estate tax reporting service used by Lender in accordance with the Secured Debts, unless applicable law provides otherwise. Lender will not be required to pay Mortgagor any interest or earnings on the Funds unless either (i) Lender and Mortgagor agree in writing, at the time Mortgagor signed this Security Instrument, that Lender will pay interest on the Funds; or (ii) the law requires Lender to pay interest on the Funds.


If the Funds held by Lender exceed the amounts permitted to be held by applicable law, Lender will account to borrower for the excess Funds in accordance with the requirements of applicable law. If the amount of the funds held by Lender at any time is not sufficient to pay the Escrow Items when due, Lender may notify borrower in writing, and, in such case, borrower will pay to Lender the amount necessary to make up the shortage or deficiency. Borrower shall make up the shortage or deficiency as Lender directs, subject to the requirements of applicable law.

If, by reason of any default under this Security Instrument, Lender declares all Secured Debts due and payable, Lender may then apply any Funds against the Secured Debts.

When Mortgagor has paid all of the sums secured, Lender will promptly refund to Mortgagor any Funds that are then being held by Lender.

19. Joint and Individual Liability; Co-Signers; Successors and Assigns Bound. All duties under this Security Instrument are joint and individual. If Mortgagor signs this Security Instrument but does not sign an evidence of debt, Mortgagor does so only to mortgage Mortgagor's interest in the Property to secure payment of the Secured Debt and Mortgagor does not agree to be personally liable on the Secured Debt. If this Security Instrument secures a guaranty between Lender and Mortgagor, Mortgagor agrees to waive any rights that may prevent Lender from bringing any action or claim against Mortgagor or any party indebted under the obligation. These rights may include, but are not limited to, any anti-deficiency or one-action laws. The duties and benefits of this Security Instrument shall bind and benefit the successors and assigns of Mortgagor and Lender.

20. Severability; Interpretation. This Security Instrument is complete and fully integrated. This Security Instrument may not be amended or modified by oral agreement. Any section in this Security Instrument, attachments, or any agreement related to the Secured Debt that conflicts with applicable law will not be effective, unless that law expressly or impliedly permits the variations by written agreement. If any section of this Security Instrument cannot be enforced according to its terms, that section will be severed and will not affect the enforceability of the remainder of this Security Instrument. Whenever used, the singular shall include the plural and the plural the singular. The captions


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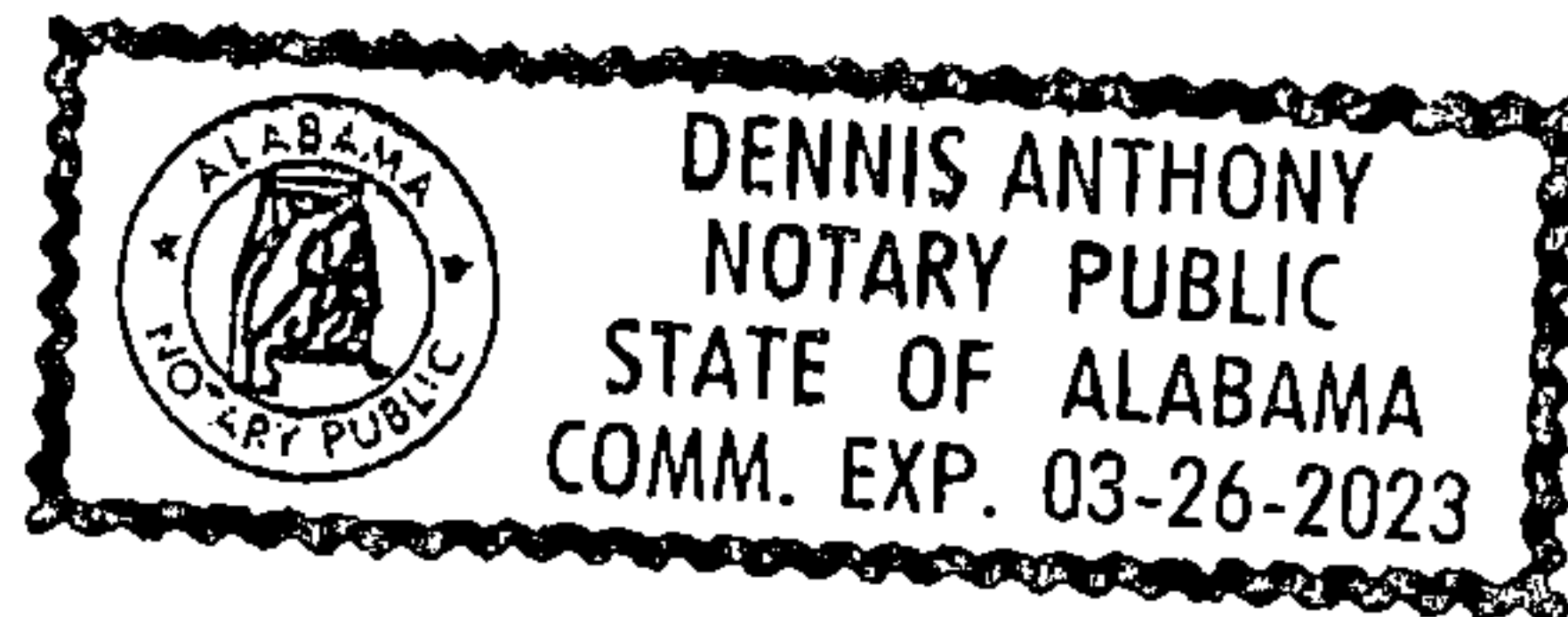
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I DENNIS RAY ANTHONY a notary public, hereby certify that SHARON A BRAKEFIELD whose name(s) is/are signed to the foregoing instrument, and who is/are known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, he/she/they executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand 03/05/2021

Dennis Ray Anthony
Notary Public

DENNIS RAY ANTHONY
(Print Name) ^{OK}
My commission expires: 03/26/2023



Acknowledgment

State of ALABAMA

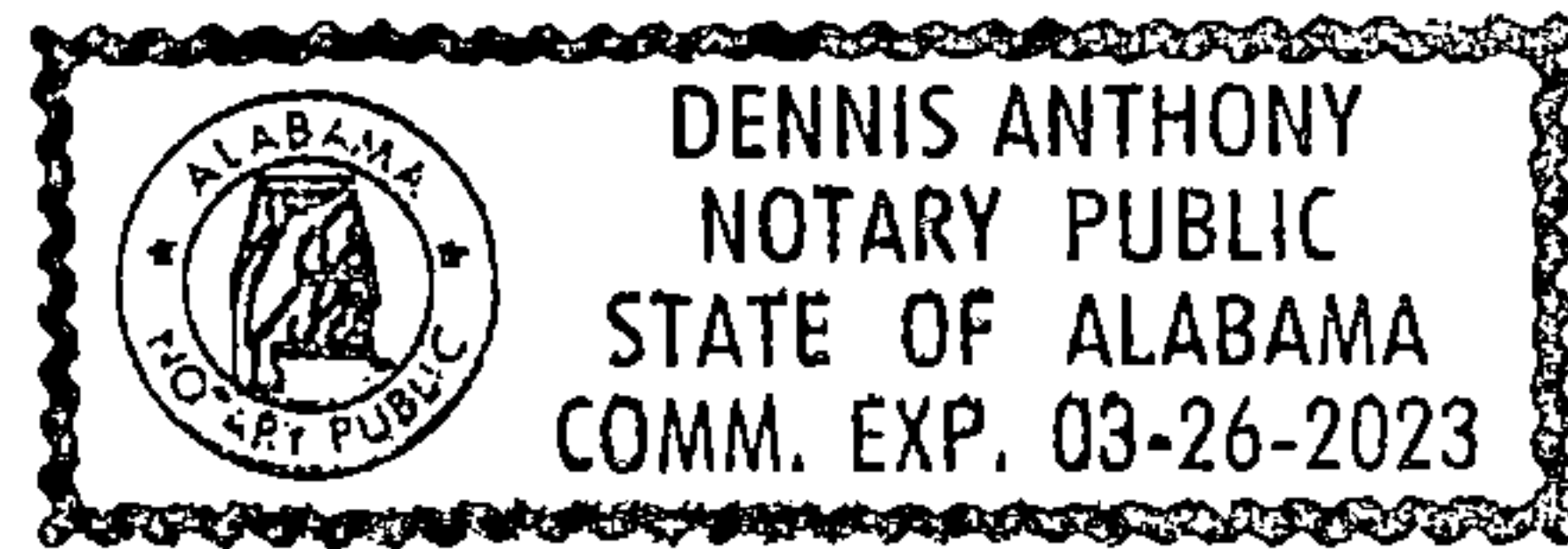
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I DENNIS RAY ANTHONY a notary public, hereby certify that HENRY J BRAKEFIELD, married to SHARON A BRAKEFIELD whose name(s) is/are signed to the foregoing instrument, and who is/are known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, he/she/they executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand 03/05/2021

Dennis Ray Anthony
Notary Public

DENNIS RAY ANTHONY
(Print Name)
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