## **AFFIDAVIT**

My name is, Douglas H. Ballard III. I am giving this Affidavit to Anchor Title, LLC and the Law Office of Jack R. Thompson Jr. to resolve any confusion or misunderstanding relating to the execution of that certain deed to Marceline Ruth Ballard and John Hayden Ballard dated May 11, 2020 and recorded in the Probate Court of Shelby County, Alabama. The legal description of said property is: Meadowlark Subdivision Lot 18, block 5, section 26, Township 20 South, Range 3 West, recorded in Map Book 7, Page 78, Shelby County, Alabama.

I was the successor Trustee to Frances W. Stephens in the Betty Ballard Living Trust. Frances W. Stephens resigned as Trustee on June 8, 2016. The terms of the trust provided that if Frances W. Stephens was unable to perform her duties as Trustee, I was empowered to act as Successor Trustee.

The terms of the Trust provided that if I was unable to act as Trustee then Regions Morgan Keegan Trust would be empowered to act as Trustee. To the best of my knowledge no one at Regions Morgan Keegan Trust ever acted as a Trustee of the Trust. I have no knowledge of any person at Morgan Keegan Trust who has any familiarity with the Trust or ever acted in any capacity as Trustee of the Trust.

Signed with my hand and seal this the \_\_\_\_\_\_/ \$ 1/2 June, 2021.

Douglas H. Ballard, III

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Signed this the  $\frac{12}{2}$  June, 2021, before me a Notary Public for the state of

Notary Public



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