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**This Instrument Prepared By:**

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**Send Tax Notice To Grantees Address:**

Daniel Evans, Jr.  
2052 Highview Way  
Calera, Alabama 35040

**WARRANTY DEED**

**STATE OF ALABAMA  
COUNTY OF SHELBY**

**KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,**

That for and in consideration of **TWO HUNDRED NINETY NINE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND NO/100 (\$299,900.00) DOLLARS**, and other good and valuable consideration, this day in hand paid to the undersigned GRANTORS **JOEL D. SHORT and VICTORIA SHORT (WHO IS ONE AND THE SAME PERSON FORMERLY KNOWN AS VICTORIA RUSSO)**, husband and wife, (herein referred to as "Grantors"), in hand paid by the Grantees herein, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the Grantors do hereby give, grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the GRANTEE, **DANIEL EVANS, JR.**, (herein referred to as "Grantee"), Grantee's heirs and assigns, any and all of the respective Grantors' interest in the following-described Real Estate situated in, **SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA**, to wit:

Lot 979, according to the Final Plat of Waterford Highlands, Sector 4, Phase 2, as recorded in Map Book 36, Pages 15A and 15B, in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama.

**Subject to:**

1. General and special taxes or assessments for the year 2023 and subsequent years not yet due and payable.
2. Municipal improvements, taxes, assessments, and fire district dues against subject property, if any.
3. Mineral and mining rights not owned by Grantors.
4. Any applicable zoning ordinances.
5. Easements, encroachments, building set back lines, rights-of-ways as shown of record by recorded plat or other recorded instrument, including any amendments thereto.
6. All matters, facts, easements, restrictions, assessments, covenants, agreements and all other terms and provisions in Map Book 36, Page 15.

Victoria Short is one and the same person as Victoria Russo as grantee in that certain deed filed of record in Instrument #20210209000067260.

The purchase of the herein described real property is being financed in whole or in part by the proceeds of a purchase money mortgage being executed simultaneously herewith.

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**TO HAVE AND TO HOLD**, the tract or parcel of land above described together with all and singular the rights, privileges, tenements, appurtenances, and improvements unto the said Grantee, Grantee's heirs and assigns forever.

**AND SAID GRANTORS**, for said GRANTORS', GRANTORS' heirs, successors, executors and administrators, covenants with GRANTEE, and with GRANTEE'S heirs and assigns, that GRANTORS are lawfully seized in fee simple of the said Real Estate; that said Real Estate is free and clear from all liens and encumbrances, except as hereinabove set forth, and except for taxes due for the current and subsequent years, and except for any restrictions pertaining to the Real Estate of record in the Probate Office of SHELBY COUNTY; and that GRANTORS will, and GRANTORS' heirs, executors and administrators shall, warrant and defend the same to said GRANTEE, and GRANTEE'S heirs and assigns, forever against the lawful claims of all persons.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the said Grantors have hereunto set their hands and seals on this day of August 10, 2023.

**GRANTORS:**

Joel D. Short

Victoria Short  
 Victoria Short (who is one and the same person formerly known as Victoria Russo)

STATE OF Florida  
 COUNTY OF Okaloosa

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public, in and for said State and County, do hereby certify that Joel D. Short and Victoria Short (who is one and the same person formerly known as Victoria Russo), whose names are each signed to the above and foregoing conveyance, and who are each known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of this instrument, Joel D. Short and Victoria Short (who is one and the same person formerly known as Victoria Russo) each executed the same voluntarily with full authority, on the day the same bears date.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the said Grantors have hereunto set their hands and seals on this day of August 10, 2023.

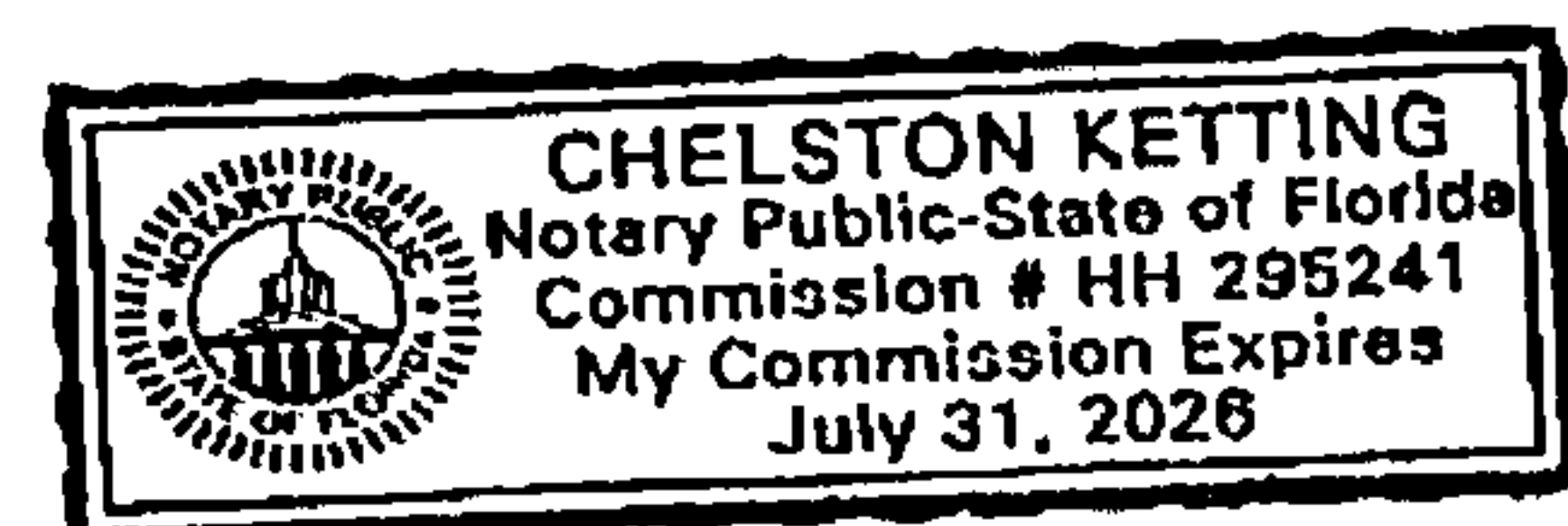
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 Notary Public

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

[Affix Seal Here]

Joel Short  
☐ Personally known, or  
☒ Produced Identification  
 Type: Notary

Victoria Short  
☐ Personally known, or  
☒ Produced Identification  
 Type: FL DL





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*Ann S. Byrd*

**Real Estate Sales Validation Form**

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

Grantor's Name Joel D. Short  
 Mailing Address Victoria Short  
2052 Highview Way  
Calera, AL 35040

Grantee's Name Daniel Evans, Jr.  
 Mailing Address 2052 Highview Way  
Calera, AL 35040

Property Address 2052 Highview Way  
Calera, AL 35040

Date of Sale 8/14/23  
 Total Purchase Price \$ 299,800.00  
 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  
☐ Sales Contract  
☐ 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 8/14/23

Print C. Ryan Sparks

Unattested

(verified by)

Sign

(Grantor/Grantee/Owner/Agent) circle one

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