

ALABAMA
COUNTY OF SHELBY
LOAN NO.: 7184756877

PREPARED BY: JARED THOMAS PETT
FIRST AMERICAN MORTGAGE SOLUTIONS
1795 INTERNATIONAL WAY
IDAHO FALLS, ID 83402
WHEN RECORDED MAIL TO: FIRST AMERICAN MORTGAGE SOLUTIONS
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IDAHO FALLS, ID 83402, PH. 208-528-9895



RELEASE OF MORTGAGE

The undersigned, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS"), AS MORTGAGEE, AS NOMINEE FOR ARK-LA-TEX FINANCIAL SERVICES, LLC DBA BENCHMARK MORTGAGE, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, located at P.O. BOX 2026 FLINT, MICHIGAN 48501-2026, the current Mortgagee of that certain Mortgage described below, does hereby release and reconvey, without recourse, representation or warranty, expressed or implied to the persons legally entitled thereto, all of its right, title, and interest in and to the real estate described in said Mortgage, forever satisfying, releasing, cancelling, and discharging the lien from said Mortgage.

Said Mortgage dated MAY 24, 2022 executed by KENDRIC O HUGHLEY AND JULIE L HUGHLEY, JOINT SURVIVORSHIP, HUSBAND AND WIFE, Mortgagor, located at 1914 HIGHWAY 58, HELENA, ALABAMA 35080, to MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS"), AS MORTGAGEE, AS NOMINEE FOR ARK-LA-TEX FINANCIAL SERVICES, LLC DBA BENCHMARK MORTGAGE, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, Original Mortgagee, and recorded on JUNE 14, 2022 as Instrument No. 20220614000238620 in the office of the Judge of Probate for the County of SHELBY, State of ALABAMA.

AS DESCRIBED IN SAID MORTGAGE

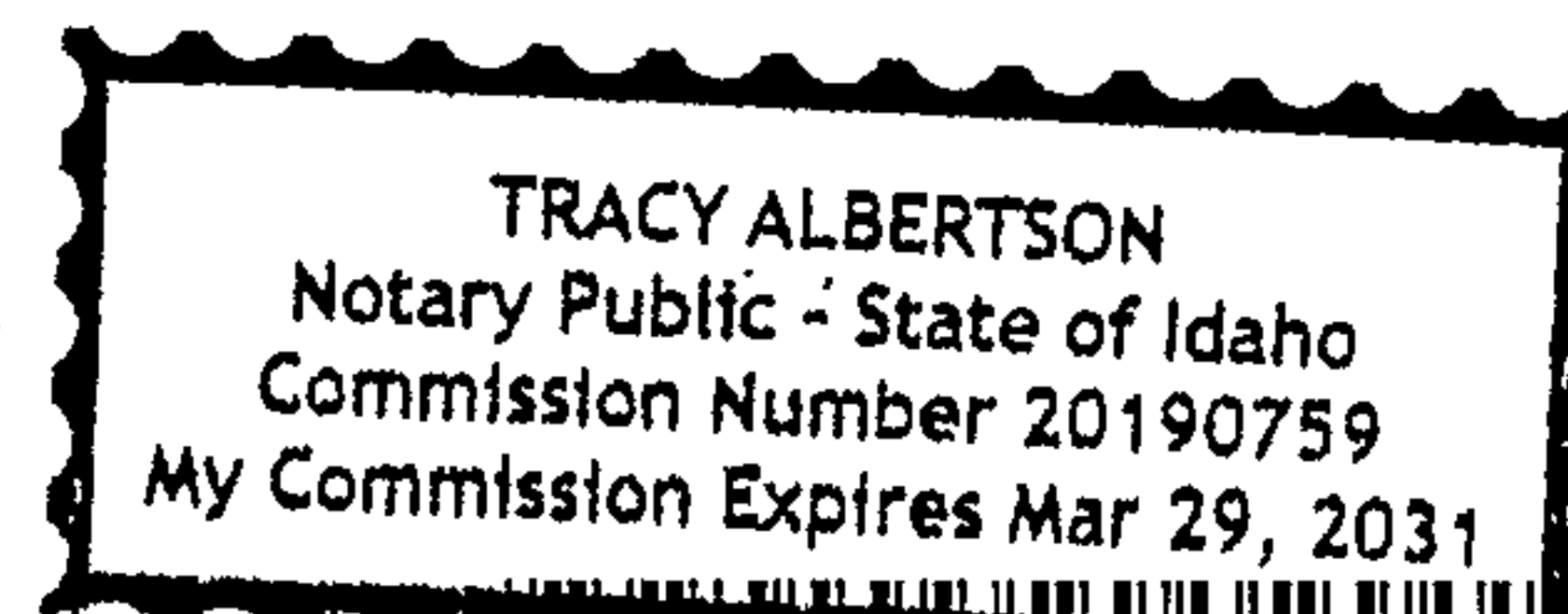
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Instrument to be executed on AUGUST 11, 2025. MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS"), AS MORTGAGEE, AS NOMINEE FOR ARK-LA-TEX FINANCIAL SERVICES, LLC DBA BENCHMARK MORTGAGE, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS

JTP
JARED THOMAS PETT, VICE PRESIDENT

STATE OF IDAHO COUNTY OF BONNEVILLE) ss.

On AUGUST 11, 2025, before me, TRACY ALBERTSON, personally appeared JARED THOMAS PETT known to me to be the VICE PRESIDENT of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS"), AS MORTGAGEE, AS NOMINEE FOR ARK-LA-TEX FINANCIAL SERVICES, LLC DBA BENCHMARK MORTGAGE, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS the corporation that executed the instrument or the person who executed the instrument on behalf of said corporation, and acknowledged to me that such corporation executed the same.

Tracy Albertson
TRACY ALBERTSON (COMM. EXP. 03/29/2031)
NOTARY PUBLIC



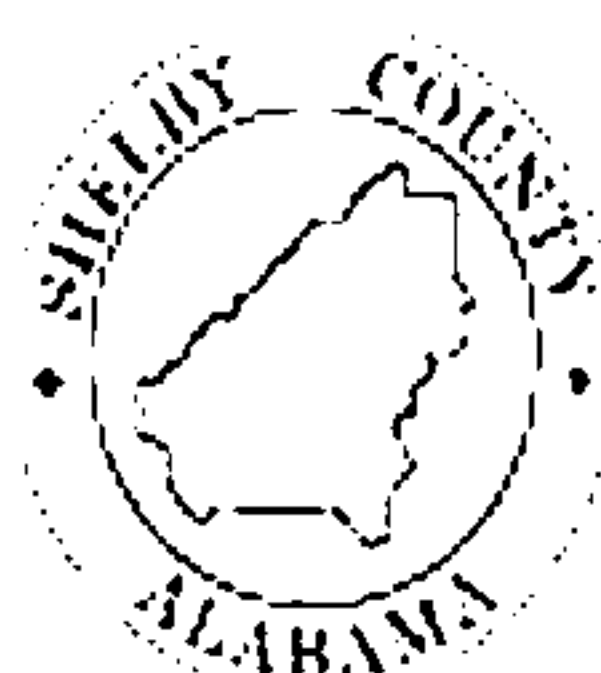
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