

MORTGAGE

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, } ss:  
COUNTY OF GREENVILLE

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TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY CONCERN:

**James D. Cordell** of  
**Greenville, South Carolina** , hereinafter called the Mortgagor, send(s) greetings:

WHEREAS, the Mortgagor is well and truly indebted unto THE INDEPENDENT LIFE AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Florida, hereinafter called the Mortgagee, as evidenced by a certain promissory note of even date herewith, the terms of which are incorporated herein by reference, in the principal sum of **Five Thousand and No/100- - - - -** Dollars (\$5000.00), with interest from date at the rate of **Five & One-Half** per centum (  $5\frac{1}{2}$ %) per annum until paid, said principal and interest being payable at the office of The Independent Life and Accident Insurance Company in Jacksonville, Florida, or at such other place as the holder of the note may designate in writing, in monthly installments of **Forty-One and No/100- - - - -** Dollars (\$41.00), commencing on the 1st day of **January**, 19 **57**, and on the 1st day of each month thereafter until the principal and interest are fully paid.

NOW, KNOW ALL MEN, That the Mortgagor, in consideration of the aforesaid debt and for better securing the payment thereof to the Mortgagee, and also in consideration of the further sum of Three Dollars (\$3) to the Mortgagor in hand well and truly paid by the Mortgagee at and before the sealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, has granted, bargained, sold, and released, and by these presents does grant, bargain, sell, and release unto the Mortgagee, its successors and assigns, the following-described real estate situated in the County of **Greenville**, State of South Carolina:

All that certain piece, parcel or lot of land in Greenville County, State of South Carolina, near the City of Greenville, being shown as the Western portion of lots # 14 and 15, Block 0, as shown on a plat of Highlands, recorded in Plat Book K at Pages 50 and 51, and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a stake on the Northern side of Washington Avenue, 92 feet from the intersection of Florida Avenue and Washington Avenue, and running thence N. 0-55 E. 146 feet to a stake; thence N. 89-45 W. 97.5 feet to a stake in line of lot 17; thence with the line of said lot, S. 0-43 W. 100 feet to an iron pin on Washington Avenue; thence with the Northern side of Washington Avenue, S. 63-00 E. 75.7 feet to a stake; thence continuing with said Avenue, S. 69-00 E. 31.8 feet to an iron pin the point of beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to the mortgagor by C. C. Davis by deed to be recorded.

Together with all and singular the rights, members hereditaments, and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any way incident or appertaining, and all of the rents, issues, and profits which may arise or be had therefrom, and including all heating, plumbing, and lighting fixtures and equipment now or hereafter attached to or used in connection with the real estate herein described.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, all and singular the said premises unto the Mortgagee, its successors and assigns forever.

The Mortgagor covenants that he is lawfully seized of the premises hereinabove described in fee simple absolute, that he has good right and lawful authority to sell, convey, or encumber the same, and that the premises are free and clear of all liens and encumbrances whatsoever. The Mortgagor further covenants to warrant and forever defend all and singular the premises unto the Mortgagee forever, from and against the Mortgagor and all persons whomsoever lawfully claiming the same or any part thereof.