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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF GREENVILLE

TO ALL MIOM THUSE PRESENTS MAY CONCERN:

RUBIN GARY AND MARY GARY

of

Greenville County, South Carolina , hereinafter called the Mortgagor, send(s) greetings:

WHEREAS, the Mortgagor is well and truly indebted unto AIKEN-SPEIR, INC.

organized and existing under the laws of south Carolina . 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 THIRTEEN THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED FIFTY AND NO/100THS------ Dollars (\$13,450.00), with interest from date at the rate of eight and one-half per centum (8-1/2 %) per annum until paid, said principal and interest being payable at the office of Aiken-Speir, Inc., 265 West Cheves Street, in Florence, South Carolina 29501

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 situate, lying and being in Greenville County, State of South Carolina, located on the northern side of Pleasant Ridge Avenue, being known and designated as Lot No. 23 as shown on plat recorded in the R. M. C. Office for Greenville County in Plat Book P at page 93 and to a more recent plat entitled "Property of Rubin Gary and Mary Gary", dated May 12, 1975, prepared by Carolina Surveying Company and having according to said plat, the following metes and bounds, to-wit:

BEGINNING at an iron pin on the northern side of Pleasant Ridge Avenue at the joint front coener of Lots Nos. 24 and 23 and running thence with the line of Lot No. 24 N. 0-08 W. 160 feet to an iron pin; thence N. 89-52 E. 60 feet to an iron pin at the joint rear corner of Lots Nos. 23 and 22; thence with the line of Lot No. 22 S. 0-08 E. 160 feet to an iron pin on the northern side of Pleasant Ridge Avenue; thence with said Avenue S. 89-52 W. 60 feet to the point of beginning.

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 Mortgagoe forever, from and against the Mortgagor and all persons whomsoever lawfully claiming the same or any part thereof.

The Mortgagor covenants and agrees as follows:

1. That he will promptly pay the principal of and interest on the indebtedness evidenced by the said note, at the times and in the manner therein provided. Privilege is reserved to pay the debt in whole, or in an amount equal to one or more monthly payments on the principal that are next due on the note, on the first day of any month prior to maturity; provided, however, that written notice of an intention to exercise such privilege is given at least thirty (30) days prior to prepayment.

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