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pending as Civil Action No. 68-645 in the U. S. District Court, District of South Carolina, Greenville Division, for the recovery of damages to his property from the above described drainage, and

WHEREAS, Southern Railway Company while claiming an absolute right and easement to the said described drainage and denying any liability therefor, has made an offer of compromise of the plaintiff's claim whereunder it would pay to him the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars for a complete release by the undersigned of all present and future damages from said drainage and an agreement by the undersigned not to interfere with or obstruct the same in the future,

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of and to induce the payment at this time of the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars to Garland Whitlock by the Southern Railway Company, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by said Garland Whitlock, the undersigned, their heirs, successors and assigns, do hereby release, acquit and discharge Southern Railway Company, a Virginia corporation, its successors and assigns, from any and all actions, causes of action, claims, demands, damages, or costs, whether past, present, or occurring in the future, arising out of the collection of water by the said track embankment and the discharge of the same on the south side of the said right of way through the above described drain pipe.

The undersigned, for the above consideration, further agree not to obstruct or interfere with in any manner, the

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