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REAL ESTATE/MORTGAGE FOR SOUTH CAROLINA

Donnie L. Merck and Ruby H. Merck THIS MORTGAGE is made and entered into by -Greenville residing in County, South Carolina, whose post office address is Route 5, Ford Circle, Greer . South Carolina herein called "Borrower," and:

WHEREAS Borrower is indebted to the United States of America, acting through the Farmers Home Administration, United States Department of Agriculture, herein called the "Government," as evidenced by one or more promissory note(s) or assumption agreement(s), herein called "note," which has been executed by Borrower, is payable to the order of the Government, authorizes acceleration of the entire indebtedness at the option of the Government upon any default by Borrower, and is described as follows:

Annual Rate Due Date of Final of Interest Date of Instrument Principal Amount Installment October 18, 2010 October 18, 1977 \$22,100.00

And the note evidences a loan to Borrower, and the Government, at any time, may assign the note and insure the payment thereof pursuant to the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, or Title V of the Housing Act of 1949;

And it is the purpose and intent of this instrument that, among other things, at all times when the note is held by the Government, or in the event the Government should assign this instrument without insurance of the note, this instrument shall secure payment of the note; but when the note is held by an insured holder, this instrument shall not secure payment of the note or attach to the debt evidenced thereby, but as to the note and such debt shall constitute an indemnity mortgage to secure the Government against loss under its insurance contract by reason of any default by Borrower:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the loan(s) and (a) at all times when the note is held by the Government, or in the event the Government should assign this instrument without insurance of the payment of the note, to secure prompt payment of the note and any renewals and extensions thereof and any agreements contained therein, including any provision for the payment of an insurance or other charge, (b) at all times when the note is held by an insured holder, to secure performance of Borrower's agreement herein to indemnify and save harmless the Government against loss under its insurance contract by reason of any default by Borrower, and (c) in any event and at all times to secure the prompt payment of all advances and expenditures made by the Government, with interest, as hereinafter described, and the performance of every covenant and agreement of Borrower contained herein or in any supplementary agreement, Borrower does hereby grant, bargain, sell, release, and assign unto the Government, with general warranty, the following property situated in the State of South Carolina, County(ies) of Greenville

All that piece, parcel or lot of land in the County of Greenville, State of South Carolina, situate, lying and being on the northwestern side of Ford Circle and being known and designated as Lot No. 34 on a plat of ENOREE ACRES Subdivision recorded in the RMC Office for Greenville County in Plat Book UUU at Page 181 and having such metes and bounds as shown thereon, reference to said plat being made for a more complete description.

This is the same property as that conveyed to the Mortgagors herein by deed from John P. Mann and Thomas C. Brissey recorded in the RMC Office for Greenville County in Deed Book 969 at Page 260 on March 7, 1973.

The mailing address of the Mortgagee herein is P. O. Box 10044, Federal Station, Greenville, South Carolina 29603.

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