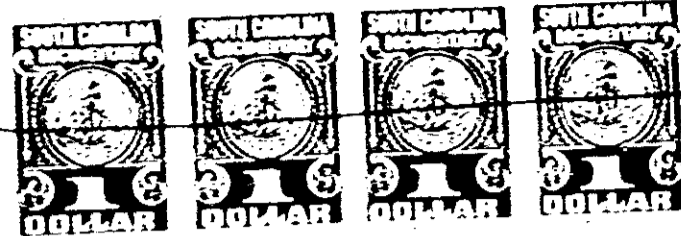




MORTGAGE



Robert L. and Nancy Lentz

WHEREAS I (we) (hereinafter also styled the mortgagor) in and by my (our) certain Note bearing even date herewith, stand firmly held and bound unto

Carolina Investors, Inc., Pickens, S. C. (hereinafter also styled the mortgagee) in the sum

\$ 12,035.52 payable in 84 equal installments of \$ 143.28 each, commencing on

28th day of May 1978 and falling due on the same of each subsequent month, as in and by the said Note and conditions thereof, reference hereinto had will more fully appear.

NOW KNOW ALL MEN, that the mortgagor(s) in consideration of the said debt, and for the better securing the payment thereof, according to the conditions of the said Note, which with all its provisions is hereby made a part hereof; and also in consideration of Three Dollars to the said mortgagee in hand well and truly paid, by the said mortgagor, at and before the sealing and delivery of these Presents, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have granted, bargained, sold and released, and by these Presents do grant, bargain, sell and release unto the said mortgagee, its heirs, successors and assigns forever, the following described real estate:

All that certain piece, parcel, or tract of land, situate, lying and being in Greenville and Laurens Counties, containing 5.6 acres, more or less, being shown and designated as the major portion of Lot 8, BENT TREE RANCHETTES, on a Plat prepared by J. L. Montgomery, III, dated April, 1973, revised September 16, 1974, and having, according to a more recent revision, the following metes and bounds:

BEGINNING at a point in the center of County Road and running thence with the new line shown of Lot 7, S 62-46 E, 859.65 feet to an iron pin in line of property now or formerly of Jones; thence with the line of Jones, "Fence the Line", 300 feet, more or less, to a point in or near branch; thence with branch as the line in a northwesterly direction to a point in the center of County Road; thence with the center line of County Road, S 12-28 W, 180 Feet; thence S. 26-56W, 100 feet; thence S. 41-44W, 75.0 feet; thence S 47-23 W, 130 feet to an iron pin, the beginning corner.

This conveyance is subject to all restrictions, set back lines, roadways, zoning ordinances, easements and rights of way, if any, affecting the above property.

This is a portion of the property conveyed to the Grantor herein by deed William H. Chapman, et al., dated March 31, 1975, recorded in the RMC Office for Greenville County in Deed Book 1016, page. 184.

This is the identical property conveyed to Robert L. Lentz, Jr. and Nancy L. Lentz by deed of Hazel R. Chandler on 4/14/78 and recorded April 18-78 in the Office of the RMC for Greenville County, S. C. in Book 1077, Page 212 TOGETHER with all and singular the rights, members, hereditaments and appurtenances to the said premises belonging, or in anywise incident or appertaining.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, all and singular the said Premises unto the said mortgagee, its (his) successors, heirs and assigns forever.

AND I (we) do hereby bind my (our) self and my (our) heirs, executors and administrators, to procure or execute any further necessary assurances of title to the said premises, the title to which is unencumbered, and also to warrant and forever defend all and singular the said Premises unto the said mortgagee its (his) heirs, successors and assigns, from and against all persons lawfully claiming, or to claim the same or any part thereof.

AND IT IS AGREED, by and between the parties hereto, that the said mortgagor(s) his (their) heirs, executors, or administrators, shall keep the buildings on said premises, insured against loss or damage by fire, for the benefit of the said mortgagee, for an amount not less than the unpaid balance on the said Note in such company as shall be approved by the said mortgagee, and in default thereof, the said mortgagor, its (his) heirs, successors or assigns, may effect such insurance and reimburse themselves under this mortgage for the expense thereof, with interest thereon, from the date of its payment. And it is further agreed that the said mortgagee its (his) heirs, successors or assigns shall be entitled to receive from the insurance moneys to be paid, a sum equal to the amount of the debt secured by this mortgage.

AND IT IS AGREED, by and between the said parties, that if the said mortgagor(s), his (their) heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, shall fail to pay all taxes and assessments upon the said premises when the same shall first become payable, then the said mortgagee, its (his) heirs, successors or assigns, may cause the same to be paid, together with all penalties and costs incurred thereon, and reimburse themselves under this mortgage for the sums so paid, with interest thereon, from the dates of such payments.

AND IT IS AGREED, by and between the said parties, that upon any default being made in the payment of the said Note, when the same shall become payable, or in any other of the provisions of this mortgage, that then the entire amount of the debt secured, or intended to be secured hereby, shall forthwith become due, at the option of the said mortgagee, its (his) heirs, successors or assigns, although the period for the payment of the said debt may not then have expired.

AND IT IS FURTHER AGREED, by and between the said parties, that should legal proceedings be instituted for the foreclosure of this mortgage, or for any purpose involving this mortgage, or should the debt hereby secured be placed in the hands of an attorney at law for collection, by suit or otherwise, that all costs and expenses incurred by the mortgagee, its (his) heirs, successors or assigns, including a reasonable counsel fee (of not less than ten per cent of the amount involved) shall thereupon become due and payable as a part of the debt secured hereby, and may be recovered and collected hereunder.

PROVIDED, ALWAYS, and it is the true intent and meaning of the parties to these Presents, that when the said mortgagor, his (their) heirs, executors or administrators shall pay, or cause to be paid unto the said mortgagee, its (his) heirs, successors or assigns, the said debt, with the interest thereon, if any shall be due, and also all sums of money paid by the said mortgagor, his (their) heirs, successors, or assigns, according to the conditions and agreements of the said note, and of this mortgage and shall perform all the obligations according to the true intent and meaning of the said note and mortgage, then this Deed of Bargain and Sale shall cease, determine and be void, otherwise it shall remain in full force and virtue.

AND IT IS LASTLY AGREED, by and between the said parties, that the said mortgagor may hold and enjoy the said premises until default of payment shall be made.

WITNESS my (our) Hand and Seal, this 14th day of April 1978

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of Robert L. Lentz (L.S.)

WITNESS Jerry C. [Signature] William L. Lentz (L.S.)

WITNESS [Signature]

FIRST HEREBY UNDERSTOOD THAT THIS MORTGAGE CONSTITUTES A VALID LIEN ON THE ABOVE DESCRIBED PROPERTY.

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