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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF GREENVILDE

MORTGAGE OF REAL ESTATE

TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY CONCERN:

WHEREAS, We, Howard Searcy and Lucille H. Searcy

(hereinafter referred to as Mortgagor) is well and truly indebted unto Bank of Greer, Greer, S. C.

(hereinafter referred to as Mortgagee) as evidenced by the Mortgagor's promissory note of even date herewith, the terms of which are incorporated herein by reference, in the sum of Eight Thousand Five Hunghed (and no/100) due and payable

(\$8,500.00) at the rate of \$84.27 per month beginning thirty days from date and each month thereafter for 168 months.

with interest thereon from date at the rate of 8% per centum per annum, to be paid: monthly

WHEREAS, the Mortgagor may hereafter become indebted to the said Mortgagee for such further sums as may be advanced to or for the Mortgagor's account for taxes, insurance premiums, public assessments, repairs, or for any other purposes:

NOW, KNOW ALL MEN, That the Mortgagor, in consideration of the aforesaid debt, and in order to secure the payment thereof, and of any other and further sums for which the Mortgagor may be indebted to the Mortgagoe at any time for advances made to or for his account by the Mortgagoe, and also in consideration of the further sum of Three Doi'ars (\$3.00) to the Mortgagor in hand well and truly paid by the Mortgagoe 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 Mortgagoe, its successors and assigns:

"ALL that certain piece, parcel or lot of land, with all improvements thereon, or hereafter constructed thereon, situate, lying and being in the State of South Carolina, County of

ALL that piece, parcel or lot of land lying and being in Greenville. County, State of South Carolina, O'Neal Township on the eastern side of old O'Neal Road as shown on a plat of the property of Howard and Lucille H. Searcy prepared by Terry T. Dill; Registered Surveyor and dated April 3, 1973 and according to said plat having the following courses and distances:

BEGINNING at a point on the edge of old O'Neal Road 432 feet from the Jim Howard property line and running thence N. 81-15 E. 696 feet to a point; thence S. 80-15 E. 400 feet to a point; thence S. 15-13W 365 feet to a point; thence S. 68-18 W. 516 feet to a point; thence S. 81-00 W. 367 feet to the edge of Old O'Neal Road; thence along the edge of said Road N 16-42 W 400 feet to a point on the edge of the said road; thence N 09-34 W. 183 feet to the beginning point, containing 11.54 acres.

Together with all and singular rights, members, herditaments, and appurtenances to the same belonging in any way incident or appertaining, and of all the rents, issues, and profits which may arise or be had thereform, and including all heating, plumbing, and lighting fixtures now or hereafter attached, connected, or fitted thereto in any manner; it being the intention of the parties hereto that all such fixtures and equipment, other than the usual household furniture, by considered a part of the real estate.

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

The Mortgagor covenants that it is lawfully seizes of the premises heroinabove described in fee simple absolute, that it has good right and is lawfully authorized to sell, convey or encumber the same, and that the premises are free and clear of all liens and encumbrances except as provided herein. The Mortgagor further coverants to warrant and forever defend all and singular the said premises unto the Mortgagor forever, from and against the Mortgagor and all persons whomesever lawfully claiming the same or any part thereof.