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Cook County Recorder 25.50



**DEED IN TRUST**

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**THE GRANTOR (NAME AND ADDRESS)**

RUSSELL E. RUTH and JOANNE M.  
RUTH, a/k/a JOANNE M. MEDAK,  
Husband and wife  
1211 Elmwood  
Wilmette, IL 60091

(The Above Space For Recorder's Use Only)

of the Village of Wilmette County of Cook, and State of Illinois, in consideration of the sum of Ten and 00/100 (\$10.00) Dollars, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged hereby conveys and quit claims to RUSSELL E. RUTH as Trustee, under the terms and provisions of a certain Trust Agreement dated the 16th Trust day of February, 2001, and designated as Trust No. Russell E. Ruth Revocable and to any and all successors as Trustee appointed under said Trust Agreement, or who may be legally appointed, the following described real estate: (See reverse side for legal description.) **\*\*an undivided fifty percent (50%) interest in**

Permanent Index Number (PIN): 05-27-314-008

Village of Wilmette  
Real Estate Transfer Tax  
EXEMPT

Address(es) of Real Estate: 1211 Elmwood, Wilmette, IL 60091

Exempt - 6166  
Issued Date APR 17 2001

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD said real estate and appurtenances thereto upon the trusts set forth in said Trust Agreement and for the following uses:

1. The Trustee (or Trustees, as the case may be), is invested with the following powers: (a) to manage, improve, divide or subdivide the trust property, or any part thereof, (b) To sell on any terms, grant options to purchase, contract to sell, to convey with or without consideration, to convey to a successor or successors in trust, any or all of the title and estate of the trust, and to grant to such successor or successors in trust all the powers vested in the Trustee. (c) To mortgage, encumber or otherwise transfer the trust property, or any interest therein, as security for advances or loans. (d) To dedicate parks, street, highways or alleys, and to vacate any portion of the premises. (e) To lease and enter into leases for the whole or part of the premises, from time to time, but any such leasehold or renewal shall not exceed a single term of 199 years, and to renew, extend or modify any existing lease.

2. Any party dealing with the Trustee with regard to the trust property, whether by contract, sale, mortgage, lease or otherwise, shall not be required to see to the application of the purchase money, loan proceeds, rental or other consideration given, nor shall be required to see that the terms of the trust have been complied with, or to enquire into the powers and authority of the Trustee, and the execution of every contract, option, deal, mortgage or other instrument dealing with the trust property, shall be conclusive evidence in favor of every person relying upon or claiming under such conveyance or other instrument; that at the time of the execution and delivery of any of the aforesaid instruments, the Trust Agreement above described was in full force and effect; that said instrument so executed was pursuant to and in accordance with the authority granted the Trustee, and is binding upon the beneficiary or beneficiaries under said Trust Agreement; and if said instrument is executed by a successor or successors in trust, that he or they were duly appointed and are fully invested with the title, estate, rights, powers and duties of the preceding Trustee.

3. The interest of each and every beneficiary under said Trust Agreement and hereunder, and of all persons claiming under any of the beneficiaries, shall be only in the earnings, avails and proceeds arising from the sale or other disposition of the trust property, and such interest is hereby declared to be personal property only, and the beneficiary or beneficiaries of the trust shall not have any title or interest therein, legal or equitable, except as stated.



STATEMENT BY GRANTOR AND GRANTEE

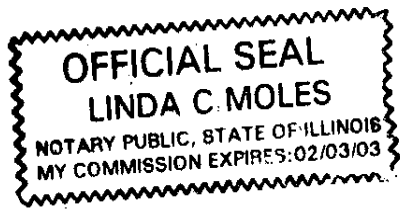
The grantor or his agent affirms that, to the best of his knowledge, the name of the grantee shown on the deed or assignment of beneficial interest in a land trust is either a natural person, an Illinois corporation or foreign corporation authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate in Illinois, a partnership authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate in Illinois, or other entity recognized as a person and authorized to do business or acquire title to real estate under the laws of the State of Illinois.

Dated: April 23, 2001

Signature: [Signature]  
Grantor or Agent

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said Barry P. Siegal this 23rd day of April, 2001.

[Signature]  
Notary Public



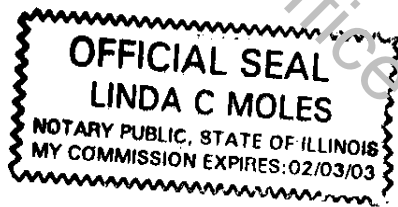
The grantee or his agent affirms and verifies that the name of the grantee shown on the deed or assignment of beneficial interest in a land trust is either a natural person, an Illinois corporation or foreign corporation authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate in Illinois, a partnership authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate in Illinois, or other entity recognized as a person and authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate under the laws of the State of Illinois.

Dated: April 23, 2001

Signature: [Signature]  
Grantee or Agent

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said Barry P. Siegal this 23rd day of April, 2001.

[Signature]  
Notary Public



NOTE: Any person who knowingly submits a false statement concerning the identity of a grantee shall be guilty of a Class C misdemeanor for the first offense and of a Class A misdemeanor for subsequent offenses.

(Attach to deed or ABI to be recorded in Cook County, Illinois, if exempt under the provisions of Section 4 of the Illinois Real Estate Transfer Tax Act.)