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BERWYN, IL 60402

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ERIC G CARPENTER
2139 N BISSELL
CHICAGO, IL 60614

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This Mortgage prepared by: K STEVENS
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MORTGAGE

THIS MORTGAGE IS DATED OCTOBER 13, 1998, between ERIC G CARPENTER, DIVORCED AND NOT SINCE REMARRIED, whose address is 2139 N BISSELL, CHICAGO, IL 60614 (referred to below as "Grantor"); and CITIZENS BANK-ILLINOIS, N.A., whose address is 3322 S OAK PARK AVE, BERWYN, IL 60402 (referred to below as "Lender").

GRANT OF MORTGAGE. For valuable consideration, Grantor mortgages, warrants, and conveys to Lender all of Grantor's right, title, and interest in and to the following described real property, together with all existing or subsequently erected or affixed buildings, improvements and fixtures; all easements, rights of way, and appurtenances; all water, water rights, watercourses and ditch rights (including stock in utilities with ditch or irrigation rights); and all other rights, royalties, and profits relating to the real property, including without limitation all minerals, oil, gas, geothermal and similar matters, located in COOK County, State of Illinois (the "Real Property"):

LOT 45 IN BLOCK 3 IN CUSHMAN'S RESUBDIVISION OF THE N 1/2 OF BLOCK 4 IN SHEFFIELD'S ADDITION TO CHICAGO, IN THE NE 1/4 OF SECTION 32, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 14, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

The Real Property or its address is commonly known as 2139 N BISSELL, CHICAGO, IL 60614. The Real Property tax identification number is 14-32-208-014.

Grantor presently assigns to Lender all of Grantor's right, title, and interest in and to all leases of the Property and all Rents from the Property. In addition, Grantor grants to Lender a Uniform Commercial Code security interest in the Personal Property and Rents.

DEFINITIONS. The following words shall have the following meanings when used in this Mortgage. Terms not otherwise defined in this Mortgage shall have the meanings attributed to such terms in the Uniform Commercial Code. All references to dollar amounts shall mean amounts in lawful money of the United States of America.

Credit Agreement. The words "Credit Agreement" mean the revolving line of credit agreement dated October 13, 1998, between Lender and Grantor with a credit limit of \$100,000.00, together with all renewals of, extensions of, modifications of, refinancings of, consolidations of, and substitutions for the Credit Agreement. The interest rate under the Credit Agreement is a variable interest rate based upon an index. The index currently is 8.250% per annum. The Credit Agreement has tiered rates and the rate that applies to Grantor depends on Grantor's credit limit. The interest rate to be applied to the credit limit shall be at a rate 2.000 percentage points above the index for a credit limit of \$14,999.99 and under, at a rate 1.500 percentage points above the index for a credit limit of \$15,000.00 to \$29,999.99, at a rate 1.000 percentage points above the index for a credit limit of \$30,000.00 to \$49,999.99, and at a rate equal to the index for a credit limit of \$50,000.00 and above, subject however to the following minimum and maximum rates. Under no circumstances shall the interest rate be less than 6.000% per annum or more than the lesser of 18.000% per annum or the maximum rate allowed by applicable law.

Existing Indebtedness. The words "Existing Indebtedness" mean the indebtedness described below in the Existing Indebtedness section of this Mortgage.

Grantor. The word "Grantor" means ERIC G CARPENTER. The Grantor is the mortgagor under this Mortgage.

Guarantor. The word "Guarantor" means and includes without limitation each and all of the guarantors, sureties, and accommodation parties in connection with the Indebtedness.

Improvements. The word "Improvements" means and includes without limitation all existing and future improvements, buildings, structures, mobile homes affixed on the Real Property, facilities, additions, replacements and other construction on the Real Property.

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Grant of Mortgagage. The words "Grant of Mortgagage" mean the property, interests and rights described above in the **Heai Property**. The words "Heai Property" mean the property, interests and rights described above in the **Related Documents**. The words "Related Documents" mean and include without limitation all promissory notes, credit agreements, loan agreements, collateral agreements, guarantees, security agreements, mortgages, deeds of trust, and all other instruments, agreements and documents, whether now or hereafter existing, executed in connection with the indebtedness.

Indebtedness. The word "Indebtedness" means all principal and interest payable under the Credit Agreement and any amounts expended by Lender to discharge obligations of Granter under this Mortgage, together with interest incurred by Lender to enforce obligations of Granter under this Mortgage, together with interest on such amounts as provided in this Mortgage. **Specificaly,** without limitation, this Mortgage secures a revolving line of credit and shall secure not only the amount which Lender has advanced to Granter under the Credit Agreement, but also any future amounts which Lender may advance to Granter under the Credit Agreement within twenty (20) years from the date of this Mortgage to the same extent as if such future agreement were made as of the date of the execution of this Mortgage. The revolving line of credit obligates Lender to make advances to Granter so long as Granter complies with all the terms of the

Lender shall be for Lender's purposes only and shall not be construed to create any responsibility or liability on the part of Lender to Grantor or to any other person. The representations and warranties contained herein are based on Grantor's due diligence in investigating the Property for hazardous waste and hazardous substances. Grantor hereby (a) releases and waives any future claims against Lender for indemnity or contribution in the event Grantor becomes liable for cleanup or other costs under any such laws, and (b) agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Lender against any and all claims, losses, liabilities, damages, penalties, and expenses which Lender may directly or indirectly sustain or suffer resulting from a breach of this section of the Mortgage or as a consequence of any use, generation, manufacture, storage, disposal, release or threatened release occurring prior to Grantor's ownership or interest in the Property, whether or not the same was or should have been known to Grantor. The provisions of this section of the Mortgage, including the obligation to indemnify, shall survive the payment of the Indebtedness and the satisfaction and reconveyance of the lien of this Mortgage and shall not be affected by Lender's acquisition of any interest in the Property, whether by foreclosure or otherwise.

Nuisance, Waste. Grantor shall not cause, conduct or permit any nuisance nor commit, permit, or suffer any stripping of or waste on or to the Property or any portion of the Property. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Grantor will not remove, or grant to any other party the right to remove, any timber, minerals (including oil and gas), soil, gravel or rock products without the prior written consent of Lender.

Removal of Improvements. Grantor shall not demolish or remove any Improvements from the Real Property without the prior written consent of Lender. As a condition to the removal of any Improvements, Lender may require Grantor to make arrangements satisfactory to Lender to replace such Improvements with Improvements of at least equal value.

Lender's Right to Enter. Lender and its agents and representatives may enter upon the Real Property at all reasonable times to attend to Lender's interests and to inspect the Property for purposes of Grantor's compliance with the terms and conditions of this Mortgage.

Compliance with Governmental Requirements. Grantor shall promptly comply with all laws, ordinances, and regulations, now or hereafter in effect, of all governmental authorities applicable to the use or occupancy of the Property. Grantor may contest in good faith any such law, ordinance, or regulation and withhold compliance during any proceeding, including appropriate appeals, so long as Grantor has notified Lender in writing prior to doing so and so long as, in Lender's sole opinion, Lender's interests in the Property are not jeopardized. Lender may require Grantor to post adequate security or a surety bond, reasonably satisfactory to Lender, to protect Lender's interest.

Duty to Protect. Grantor agrees neither to abandon nor leave unattended the Property. Grantor shall do all other acts, in addition to those acts set forth above in this section, which from the character and use of the Property are reasonably necessary to protect and preserve the Property.

DUE ON SALE - CONSENT BY LENDER. Lender may, at its option, declare immediately due and payable all sums secured by this Mortgage upon the sale or transfer, without the Lender's prior written consent, of all or any part of the Real Property, or any interest in the Real Property. A "sale or transfer" means the conveyance of Real Property or any right, title or interest therein, whether legal, beneficial, or equitable; whether voluntary or involuntary; whether by outright sale, deed, instalment sale contract, land contract, contract for deed, leasehold interest with a term greater than three (3) years, lease option contract, or by sale, assignment, or transfer of any beneficial interest in or to any land trust holding title to the Real Property, or by any other method of conveyance of Real Property interest. If any Grantor is a corporation, partnership or limited liability company, transfer also includes any change in ownership of more than twenty-five percent (25%) of the voting stock, partnership interests or limited liability company interests, as the case may be, of Grantor. However, this option shall not be exercised by Lender if such exercise is prohibited by federal law or by Illinois' law.

TAXES AND LIENS. The following provisions relating to the taxes and liens on the Property are a part of this Mortgage.

Payment. Grantor shall pay when due (and in all events prior to delinquency) all taxes, payroll taxes, special taxes, assessments, water charges and sewer service charges levied against or on account of the Property, and shall pay when due all claims for work done on or for services rendered or material furnished to the Property. Grantor shall maintain the Property free of all liens having priority over or equal to the interest of Lender under this Mortgage, except for the lien of taxes and assessments not due, except for the Existing Indebtedness referred to below, and except as otherwise provided in the following paragraph.

Right To Contest. Grantor may withhold payment of any tax, assessment, or claim in connection with a good faith dispute over the obligation to pay, so long as Lender's interest in the Property is not jeopardized. If a lien arises or is filed as a result of nonpayment, Grantor shall within fifteen (15) days after the lien arises or, if a lien is filed, within fifteen (15) days after Grantor has notice of the filing, secure the discharge of the lien, or if requested by Lender, deposit with Lender cash or a sufficient corporate surety bond or other security satisfactory to Lender in an amount sufficient to discharge the lien plus any costs and attorneys' fees or other charges that could accrue as a result of a foreclosure or sale under the lien. In any contest, Grantor shall defend itself and Lender and shall satisfy any adverse judgment before enforcement against the Property. Grantor shall name Lender as an additional obligee under any surety bond furnisher in the contest proceedings.

Evidence of Payment. Grantor shall upon demand furnish to Lender satisfactory evidence of payment of the taxes or assessments and shall authorize the appropriate governmental official to deliver to Lender at any time a written statement of the taxes and assessments against the Property.

Notice of Construction. Grantor shall notify Lender at least fifteen (15) days before any work is commenced, any services are furnished, or any materials are supplied to the Property, if any mechanic's lien, materialmen's lien, or other lien could be asserted on account of the work, services, or materials. Grantor will upon request of Lender furnish to Lender advance assurances satisfactory to Lender that Grantor can and will pay the cost of such improvements.

PROPERTY DAMAGE INSURANCE. The following provisions relating to insuring the Property are a part of this Mortgage.

Maintenance of Insurance. Grantor shall procure and maintain policies of fire insurance with standard extended coverage endorsements on a replacement basis for the full insurable value covering all Improvements on the Real Property in an amount sufficient to avoid application of any coinsurance clause, and with a standard mortgagee clause in favor of Lender. Policies shall be written by such insurance companies and in such form as may be reasonably acceptable to Lender. Grantor shall deliver to Lender certificates of coverage from each insurer containing a stipulation that coverage will not be cancelled or diminished without a minimum of ten (10) days' prior written notice to Lender and not containing any disclaimer of the insurer's liability for failure to give such notice. Each insurance policy also shall include an endorsement providing that coverage in favor of Lender will not be impaired in any way by any act, omission or default of Grantor or any other person. Should the Real Property at any time become located in an area designated by the Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency as a special flood hazard area, Grantor agrees to obtain and maintain Federal Flood Insurance for the full unpaid principal balance of the loan, up to the maximum policy limits set under the National Flood Insurance Program, or as otherwise required by Lender, and to maintain such insurance for the term of the loan.

Application of Proceeds. Grantor shall promptly notify Lender of any loss or damage to the Property. Lender

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Subsequent Taxes. If any tax to which this section applies is enacted subsequent to the date of this
charge, this section shall have the same available remedies for an Event of Default as defined below, and Lender may
exercise any or all of its available remedies for an Event of Default as defined below, and Lender may
exercise any or all of its available remedies for an Event of Default as provided below unless Grantor either
(a) pays the tax before it becomes delinquent or (b) certifies that the tax as provided above in the Taxes and
Lens section and deposit with Lender such other security satisfactory to Lender.

Taxes. The following shall constitute taxes to which this section applies: (a) a specific tax upon this type of Mortgage or upon all or any part of the indebtedness secured by this Mortgage; (b) a specific tax upon this type of Mortgage or upon all or any part of the indebtedness secured by this Mortgage; (c) a tax on this type of Mortgage; (d) a specific tax on all or any portion of the indebtedness or on payments of principal and interest made by Grantor; and (e) a specific tax on all or any portion of the indebtedness or on payments of principal and interest made by Grantor.

Current Taxes, Fees and Charges. Upon request by Lender, Gramtior shall execute such documents in addition to this Mortgage and take whatever other action is requested by Lender to perfect and continue Lender's interest in the Real Property. Gramtior shall remburse Lender for all taxes, as described below, together with all expenses incurred in recording or continuing or continuing this Mortgage, including without limitation all taxes, fees, documentary stamps, and other charges for recording or registering this Mortgage.

IMPOSITION OF TAXES, FEES AND CHARGES BY GOVERNMENTAL AUTHORITIES. The following provisions relating to governmental taxes, fees and charges are a part of this Mortgage:

Proceedings. If any proceeding in condemnation is filed, Granter shall promptly notify Lessee in writing, and Granter shall promptly take such steps as may be necessary to defend the action and obtain the award. Granter may be the nominal party in such proceeding, but Lessee shall be entitled to participate in the proceeding and to be represented in the proceeding by counsel of its own choice, and Granter will deliver to Lessee such instruments as may be requested by it from time to time to permit such cause to be delivered to Lessee.

Application of Net Proceeds. If all or any part of the Property is condemned by authority amending domain proceedings or by any proceeding of purchase in lieu of condemnation, Lender may at its election require that all or any portion of the net proceeds of the award shall be applied to the indemnities or the restoration of the Property. The net proceeds of the award shall mean the award after payment of all reasonable costs, expenses, and attorney fees incurred by Lender in connection with the condemnation.

CONDEMNATION. The following provisions relating to condemnation of the Property are a part of this Mortgage:

No Modification. Granato shall not enter into any agreement which修改s, amends or supplements any agreement between the parties hereto without first obtaining the written consent of Lender.

Existing Lien. The lien of this Mortgage securing the indebtedness may be secondary and inferior to an existing lien.

EXISTING INDEBTEDNESS The following provisions concerning existing indebtedness (the "Existing Indebtedness") are a part of this Mortgage.

Compliance With Laws. Grantor warrants that the Property and Grantor's use of the Property complies with all applicable laws, rules, regulations, ordinances, orders, permits, restrictions, covenants, agreements, and conditions of record or otherwise affecting the Property, including, without limitation, zoning, building, health, safety, fire, and environmental laws, rules, regulations, ordinances, orders, permits, restrictions, covenants, agreements, and conditions of record or otherwise affecting the Property.

Right, Plaintiff warrants that, (a) it will not transfer its interest in the Real Property in fee simple, free and clear of all liens and encumbrances set forth in the Real Property description or in the Existing Indebtedness set forth in the title insurance policy, title report, or final title opinion issued in favor of, and accepted by, Lender in connection with this Mortgage, and (b) Grantor has the full right, power, and authority to execute and deliver this Mortgage to Lender.

DEFENSE OF TITLE; WARRANTY The following provisions relating to ownership of the Property are a part of this Agreement.

such action by Lennder small not be construed as curting the default so as to bar Lennder from any remedy that otherwise would have had.

This Mortgagee also, will receive payment of these amounts. The rights provided for in this Agreement shall not be affected by any application for cancellation or discharge of this Note.

may well bear more than the rate provided for in the credit agreement or from the date incurred or paid by the debtor to the date of repayment by the creditor. All such expenses, at lenders' option, will (a) be payable on demand, (b) be payable with any instalment payments

PENDITURES BY LENDERE. If Grantor fails to comply with any provision of this Mortgage, including any provision to maintain Existing indebtedness in good standing as required below, or if any action or proceeding is commenced to affect Lender's interest in the Property, Lender on Garnor's behalf may, but shall not be required to, take any action that Lender deems appropriate. Any amount that Lender incurs in so doing will be reimbursed to Lender by Garnor.

Excluding liability for wilful damage, the insurance will cover the following risks:

Unexpired Insurance at Sale. Any unexpired insurance shall accrue to the benefit of, and pass to, the purchaser of the Property covered by such insurance, or at any foreclosure sale of such Property.

Grantor is not in default hereunder. Any proceeds which have not been disbursed within 180 days after their receipt and which Lender has not committed to the restoration of the Property or restoration of their payment in full to the beneficiary such proceeds shall be paid to Grantor.

may make proof of loss if Granator fails to do so within fifteen (15) days of the casualty. Whether or not Lender's security is impaired, Lender may, at its election, apply the proceeds to the reduction of the indebtedness, pay them off, or the restoration and repair of the property. If Lender elects to apply the proceeds to repair or restore the property, Granator shall repair or replace the damaged property. If Lender elects to apply the proceeds to repair or replace the damaged property, if Lender's security is destroyed in a manner satisfactory to Lender, Granator shall, upon such

to Lender.

SECURITY AGREEMENT; FINANCING STATEMENTS. The following provisions relating to this Mortgage as a security agreement are a part of this Mortgage.

Security Agreement. This instrument shall constitute a security agreement to the extent any of the Property constitutes fixtures or other personal property, and Lender shall have all of the rights of a secured party under the Uniform Commercial Code as amended from time to time.

Security Interest. Upon request by Lender, Grantor shall execute financing statements and take whatever other action is requested by Lender to perfect and continue Lender's security interest in the Rents and Personal Property. In addition to recording this Mortgage in the real property records, Lender may, at any time and without further authorization from Grantor, file executed counterparts, copies or reproductions of this Mortgage as a financing statement. Grantor shall reimburse Lender for all expenses incurred in perfecting or continuing this security interest. Upon default, Grantor shall assemble the Personal Property in a manner and at a place reasonably convenient to Grantor and Lender and make it available to Lender within three (3) days after receipt of written demand from Lender.

Addresses. The mailing addresses of Grantor (debtor) and Lender (secured party), from which information concerning the security interest granted by this Mortgage may be obtained (each as required by the Uniform Commercial Code), are as stated on the first page of this Mortgage.

FURTHER ASSURANCES; ATTORNEY-IN-FACT. The following provisions relating to further assurances and attorney-in-fact are a part of this Mortgage.

Further Assurances. At any time, and from time to time, upon request of Lender, Grantor will make, execute and deliver, or will cause to be made, executed or delivered, to Lender or to Lender's designee, and when requested by Lender, cause to be filed, recorded, refiled, or rerecorded, as the case may be, at such times and in such offices and places as Lender may deem appropriate, any and all such mortgages, deeds of trust, security deeds, security agreements, financing statements, continuation statements, instruments of further assurance, certificates, and other documents as may, in the sole opinion of Lender, be necessary or desirable in order to effectuate, complete, perfect, continue, or preserve (a) the obligations of Grantor under the Credit Agreement, this Mortgage and the Related Documents, and (b) the liens and security interests created by this Mortgage on the Property whether now owned or hereafter acquired by Grantor. Unless prohibited by law or agreed to the contrary by Lender in writing, Grantor shall reimburse Lender for all costs and expenses incurred in connection with the matters referred to in this paragraph.

Attorney-in-Fact. If Grantor fails to do any of the things referred to in the preceding paragraph, Lender may do so for and in the name of Grantor and at Grantor's expense. For such purposes, Grantor hereby irrevocably appoints Lender as Grantor's attorney-in-fact for the purpose of making, executing, delivering, filing, recording, and doing all other things as may be necessary or desirable, in Lender's sole opinion, to accomplish the matters referred to in the preceding paragraph.

FULL PERFORMANCE. If Grantor pays all the Indebtedness when due, terminates the credit line account, and otherwise performs all the obligations imposed upon Grantor under this Mortgage, Lender shall execute and deliver to Grantor a suitable satisfaction of this Mortgage and suitable statements of termination of any financing statement on file evidencing Lender's security interest in the Rents and the Personal Property. Grantor will pay, if permitted by applicable law, any reasonable termination fee as determined by Lender from time to time. If, however, payment is made by Grantor, whether voluntarily or otherwise, or by guarantor or by any third party, on the Indebtedness and thereafter Lender is forced to remit the amount of that payment (a) to Grantor's trustee in bankruptcy or to any similar person under any federal or state bankruptcy law or law for the relief of debtors, (b) by reason of any judgment, decree or order of any court or administrative body having jurisdiction over Lender or any of Lender's property, or (c) by reason of any settlement or compromise of any claim made by Lender with any claimant (including without limitation Grantor), the Indebtedness shall be considered unpaid for the purpose of enforcement of this Mortgage and this Mortgage shall continue to be effective or shall be reinstated, as the case may be, notwithstanding any cancellation of this Mortgage or of any note or other instrument or agreement evidencing the Indebtedness and the Property will continue to secure the amount repaid or recovered to the same extent as if that amount never had been originally received by Lender and Grantor shall be bound by any judgment, decree, order, settlement or compromise relating to the Indebtedness or to this Mortgage.

DEFAULT. Each of the following, at the option of Lender, shall constitute an event of default ("Event of Default") under this Mortgage: (a) Grantor commits fraud or makes a material misrepresentation at any time in connection with the credit line account. This can include, for example, a false statement about Grantor's income, assets, liabilities, or any other aspects of Grantor's financial condition. (b) Grantor does not meet the repayment terms of the credit line account. (c) Grantor's action or inaction adversely affects the collateral for the credit line account or Lender's rights in the collateral. This can include, for example, failure to maintain required insurance, waste or destructive use of the dwelling, failure to pay taxes, death of all persons liable on the account, transfer of title or sale of the dwelling, creation of a lien on the dwelling without Lender's permission, foreclosure by the holder of another lien, or the use of funds or the dwelling for prohibited purposes.

RIGHTS AND REMEDIES ON DEFAULT. Upon the occurrence of any Event of Default and at any time thereafter, Lender, at its option, may exercise any one or more of the following rights and remedies, in addition to any other rights or remedies provided by law:

Accelerate Indebtedness. Lender shall have the right, at its option without notice to Grantor to declare the entire Indebtedness immediately due and payable, including any prepayment penalty which Grantor would be required to pay.

UCC Remedies. With respect to all or any part of the Personal Property, Lender shall have all the rights and remedies of a secured party under the Uniform Commercial Code.

Collect Rents. Lender shall have the right, without notice to Grantor, to take possession of the Property and collect the Rents, including amounts past due and unpaid, and apply the net proceeds, over and above Lender's costs, against the Indebtedness. In furtherance of this right, Lender may require any tenant or other user of the Property to make payments of rent or use fees directly to Lender. If the Rents are collected by Lender, then Grantor irrevocably designates Lender as Grantor's attorney-in-fact to endorse instruments received in payment thereof in the name of Grantor and to negotiate the same and collect the proceeds. Payments by tenants or other users to Lender in response to Lender's demand shall satisfy the obligations for which the payments are made, whether or not any proper grounds for the demand existed. Lender may exercise its rights under this subparagraph either in person, by agent, or through a receiver.

Mortgagee in Possession. Lender shall have the right to be placed as mortgagee in possession or to have a receiver appointed to take possession of all or any part of the Property, with the power to protect and preserve the Property, to operate the Property preceding foreclosure or sale, and to collect the Rents from the Property and apply the proceeds, over and above the cost of the receivership, against the Indebtedness. The mortgagee in possession or receiver may serve without bond if permitted by law. Lender's right to the appointment of a receiver shall exist whether or not the apparent value of the Property exceeds the Indebtedness by a substantial amount. Employment by Lender shall not disqualify a person from serving as a receiver.

Judicial Foreclosure. Lender may obtain a judicial decree foreclosing Grantor's interest in all or any part of the Property.

Deficiency Judgment. If permitted by applicable law, Lender may obtain a judgment for any deficiency remaining in the Indebtedness due to Lender after application of all amounts received from the exercise of the rights provided in this section.

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GRANTOR:

AGREES TO ITS TERMS.

GRANTOR ACKNOWLEDGES HAVING READ ALL THE PROVISIONS OF THIS MORTGAGE, AND GRANTOR

Waiver of Homestead Exemption. Grantor hereby releases and waives all rights and benefits of the homestead exemption laws of the State of Illinois as to all indebtedness secured by this Mortgage, unless such waiver is in writing and signed by Lender. No delay or omission on the part of Lender in exercising any right shall operate as a waiver of such right or any other right. A waiver by any party of a provision of this Mortgage shall not constitute a waiver of or prejudice the party's rights under this Mortgage or any other provision of this Mortgage.

Successors and Assigns. Subject to the limitations stated in this Mortgagee can transfer of Grantor's interest, this Mortgagee shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties, their successors and assigns. If ownership of the Property becomes vested in a person other than Grantor, Lender, without notice to Grantor, may grant or otherwise dispose of the Property to his/her successors or assigns without releasing him/her from the obligation to pay the principal amount and interest due under the original mortgage agreement.

Consent of Lender. If a court of competent jurisdiction finds any provision of this Mortgage to be invalid or severable, it will interpret such provision so as to effectuate the intent of the parties. No provision of this Mortgage shall be stricken and all other provisions of this Mortgage in all other respects shall remain valid and enforceable.

Capítulo Headings. Capítulo headlings in this Mortgage are for convenience purposes only and are not to be used to interpret or define the provisions of this Mortgage.

APPLICABLE LAW. This Mortgage has been delivered to Lender and accepted by Lender in the State of Illinois. This Mortgage shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Illinois.

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS. The following miscellaneous provisions are a part of this Mortgage:

Attorneys' Fees; Expenses. If Lender institutes any suit or action to enforce any of the terms of this Mortgage, Lender shall be entitled to recover such sum as the court may adjudicate reasonable expenses incurred fees at trial and on any appeal. Whether or not any court action is involved, all reasonable expenses incurred by Lender in the defense of its rights shall become a part of the indebtedness payable on demand and shall bear interest from the date of its commencement until repaid at the rate provided for in the Credit Agreement. Expenses covered by this paragraph include, without limitation, however subject to any limits under applicable law, Lender's attorney's fees and Lender's legal expenses (including foreclosure reports, surveys, reports, and appraisal fees, and title insurance, to the extent permitted by applicable law). Granite also will pay any court costs, in addition to all other sums provided by law.

constitutes a waiver by or prejudges the party's rights otherwise to demand specific performance under its provision or any other provision.

Waiver; Election of Remedies. A waiver by any party of a breach of a provision of this Mortgage shall not
the sale or disposition.

Sale of the Property. 10. The Extent permitted by Applicable Law, Grandor hereby waives any right to have the property together or separately, in one sale or by separate sales. Lender shall be free to sell all or part of the property together or separately, in one sale or by separate sales. Lender shall be entitled to bid at any public sale on all or any portion of the property.

Other Remedies. Lender shall have all other rights and remedies provided in this Mortgage or the Credit Agreement or available at law or in equity.

X Eric G Carpenter
ERIC G CARPENTER

Signed, acknowledged and delivered in the presence of:

X Kimberly A Zajac
Witness Kimberly A Zajac
X Kevin Kosobucki
Witness Kevin Kosobucki

INDIVIDUAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF Illinois)
COUNTY OF Berwyn)) ss

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• OFFICIAL SEAL •
• LAURA G. SALINAS •
• Notary Public, State of Illinois •
• My Commission Expires 6-19-2001 •
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On this day before me, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared ERIC G CARPENTER, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the Mortgage, and acknowledged that he or she signed the Mortgage as his or her free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

Given under my hand and official seal this 13th day of October, 1998.
By Laura Salinas Residing at Berwyn.

Notary Public in and for the State of Illinois

My commission expires 6-19-2001