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ATTORNEYS' TITLE GUARANTY FUND, INC.

Box 260

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MORTGAGE

THIS MORTGAGE IS DATED MARCH 15, 1996 between James L. Bruce, an unmarried person, whose address is 919 South Highland, Oak Park, IL 60304 (referred to below as "Grantor"); and MID TOWN BANK AND TRUST COMPANY OF CHICAGO, whose address is 2021 N. Clark Street, Chicago, IL 60614-4794 (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"):

SEE EXHIBIT "A" ATTACHED HERETO AND MADE A PART HEREOF

The Real Property or its address is commonly known as 919 South Highland, Oak Park, IL 60304. The Real Property tax identification number is 16-17-301-017-0000. & 14-31-107-008-0000

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.

Grantor. The word "Grantor" means James L. Bruce. 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, fixtures, buildings, structures, mobile homes affixed on the Real Property, facilities, additions, replacements and other construction on the Real Property.

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determine compliance of the Property with this section of the Mortgage. Any inspections or tests made by 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 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, installment 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, 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 furnished in the contest proceedings.

Evidence of Payment. Grantor shall upon demand furnish to Lender satisfactory evidence of payment of the

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

EXPENDITURES BY LENDER. If Grantor fails to comply with any provision of this Mortgage, or if any action or proceeding is commenced that would materially affect Lender's interests in the Property, Lender on Grantor's behalf may, but shall not be required to, take any action that Lender deems appropriate. Any amount that Lender expends in so doing will bear interest at the rate charged under the Note from the date incurred or paid by Lender to the date of repayment by Grantor. All such expenses, at Lender's option, will (a) be payable on demand, (b) be added to the balance of the Note and be apportioned among and be payable with any installments to become due during either (i) the term of any applicable insurance policy or (ii) the remaining term of the Note, or (c) be treated as a balloon payment which will be due and payable at the Note's maturity. This Mortgage also shall not be construed as curing the default so as to bar Lender from any remedy that it otherwise would have rights or any remedies to which Lender may be entitled on account of the default. Any such action by Lender to secure payment of these amounts. The rights provided for in this paragraph shall be in addition to any other rights or powers available to Lender.

event or default as described below.

TAX AND INSURANCE RESERVES. Granator agrees to establish a reserve account to be retained from the loans proceeds in such amount deemed to be sufficient by Lender and shall pay monthly into that reserve account an amount equivalent to 1/12 of the annual real estate taxes and insurance premiums, as estimated by Lender, so as to provide sufficient funds for the payment of each year's taxes and insurance premiums one month prior to the date the taxes and insurance premiums become delinquent. Granator shall insure heretofore paid all assessments and other charges which may accrue against her under pay a monthly pro-rata share of such payments to the insurance company which may be insufficient to pay such taxes, insurance premiums, assessments and other charges, Granator shall prove to be responsible for the difference or demand of Lender. All such payments shall be carried in an interest-free reserve account until the difference is made up by Lender. All such payments shall be carried in connection with the original or a moratorium account, if this Mortgage is executed after the original or a moratorium account, in lieu of establishing such a reserve account, Lender shall have the right to draw upon the reserve (or pledge) premium, assessments, and other charges, Lender shall not be required to draw upon the reserve (or pledge) premium, assessments, and other charges, before paying it. Nothing in the Mortgage shall be construed as requiring Lender to do with respect to the reserve account, All amounts in the reserve account are hereby pledged to Lender to secure the indebtedness, and Lender is hereby authorized to withdraw and apply such amounts on the indebtedness upon the occurrence of an event of default as provided in the Mortgage.

PHOTOFERTY DURABLE INSURANCE: The following provisions relating to insuring the property, are a part of this mortgage.

Maintainance of Insurance. Granter shall procure and maintain policies of fire insurance with standards and procedures as outlined below to avoid application of any coinsurance clause, and with a standard mortgage clause in favor of Lender. Policies shall be written by such insurance companies and in such form as may be reasonably acceptable to Lender. Granter shall deliver to Lender certificates of coverage from each insurer containing a stipulation that coverage will not be canceled or diminished without a minimum of ten (10) days prior written notice to Lender and not containing any disclaimer that coverage will not be impaired in any way by any act, omission or default of Granter or providing liability to Lender for failure to give such notice. Each insurance policy also shall include an endorsement providing coverage in favor of Lender in any amount up to the maximum amount of the insurance.

Improvements on the Real Property. In an amount sufficient to avoid application of any coinsurance clause, and in such form as may be reasonable acceptable to Lender. Policies shall be written by such insurance companies with a standard mortgage clause in favor of Lender. Policies shall be written by Lender.

Expenditures of Insurance. Granter shall procure policies of fire insurance with standards and procedures as outlined below to avoid application of any coinsurance clause, and with a standard mortgage clause in favor of Lender. Policies shall be written by such insurance companies and in such form as may be reasonable acceptable to Lender. Policies shall be written by Lender.

Minimum Coverage of Insurance. Granter shall procure and maintain policies of fire insurance with standards and procedures as outlined below to avoid application of any coinsurance clause, and with a standard mortgage clause in favor of Lender. Policies shall be written by such insurance companies and in such form as may be reasonable acceptable to Lender. Policies shall be written by Lender.

Maximum Limit of Insurance. The full unpaid principal balance of the loan, or the maximum limit of coverage that is available, whichever is less.

NOTICE OF CONSTRUCTION. Grantor shall notify Lender at least fifteen (15) days before any work is commenced, and any services are furnished, or any materials are supplied to the Project, if any mechanical's, materials, services or equipment are to be furnished to Lender to furnish to Lender advance assurances satisfactory to Lender that Lender can and will pay the cost of such improvements.

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.

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Title. Grantor warrants that: (a) Grantor holds good and marketable title of record to the Property in fee simple, free and clear of all liens and encumbrances other than those set forth in the Real Property description or in any 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. Subject to the exception in the paragraph above, Grantor warrants and will forever defend the title to the Property against the lawful claims of all persons. In the event any action or proceeding is commenced that questions Grantor's title or the interest of Lender under this Mortgage, Grantor shall defend the action at Grantor's expense. Grantor may be the nominal party in such proceeding, but Lender shall be entitled to participate in the proceeding and to be represented in the proceeding by counsel of Lender's own choice, and Grantor will deliver, or cause to be delivered, to Lender such instruments as Lender may request from time to time to permit such participation.

Compliance With Laws. Grantor warrants that the Property and Grantor's use of the Property complies with all existing applicable laws, ordinances, and regulations of governmental authorities.

CONDEMNATION.

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

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

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

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:

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

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 on Grantor which Grantor is authorized or required to deduct from payments on the Indebtedness secured by this type of Mortgage; (c) a tax on this type of Mortgage chargeable against the Lender or the holder of the Note; and (d) a specific tax on all or any portion of the indebtedness or on payments of principal and interest made by Grantor.

Subsequent Taxes. If any tax to which this section applies is enacted subsequent to the date of this Mortgage, this event shall have the same effect as 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) contests the tax as provided above in the Taxes and Liens section and deposits with Lender cash or a sufficient corporate surety bond or other security satisfactory 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

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RIGHTS AND REMEDIES ON DEFALT. Upon the occurrence of any Event of Default and at any time thereafter, all its option, may exercise any one or more of the following rights and remedies, in addition to any other

Insecurely. Lesser responsibility demands less responsibility.

Events Affecting Guarantor. Any of the preceding events with respect to any Guarantor or any of the Indebtedness or Decedents or Beneficiaries will render the Guarantor liable under this Agreement.

Breach of Other Agreement. Any breach by Granulator under the terms of any other agreement between Granulator and Lender is not remedied within any grace period provided therein, including without limitation any agreement concerning any indebtedness or other obligation of Granulator to Lender, whether existing now or after

respect, either how or at the time made or witnessed.

False Statements. Any warranty, representation or statement made or furnished to Lender by or on behalf of
Practical. Grantor under this Mortgage, the Note or the Related Documents is false or misleading in any material
portion thereof.

Default on Indebtedness. Failure of Grantor to make any payment when due on the indebtedness.

DEFUALT. Each of the following, at the option of Lender, shall constitute an event of default ("Event of Default") under this Mortgage:

Attorney-in-Fact. [§] 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 Attorney-in-Fact for the purpose of making, executing, delivering, recording, re-recording, all other timings as may be necessary or desirable; in Lender's sole opinion, to accomplish the matters referred to in the preceding paragraph.

and expenses incurred in connection with the matters referred to in this paragraph.

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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.

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

Sale of the Property. To the extent permitted by applicable law, Grantor hereby waives any and all right to have the property marshalled. In exercising its rights and remedies, Lender shall be free to sell all or any 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.

Notice of Sale. Lender shall give Grantor reasonable notice of the time and place of any public sale of the Personal Property or of the time after which any private sale or other intended disposition of the Personal Property is to be made. Reasonable notice shall mean notice given at least ten (10) days before the time of the sale or disposition.

Waiver; Election of Remedies. A waiver by any party of a breach of a provision of this Mortgage shall not constitute a waiver of or prejudice the party's rights otherwise to demand strict compliance with that provision or any other provision. Election by Lender to pursue any remedy shall not exclude pursuit of any other remedy, and an election to make expenditures or take action to perform an obligation of Grantor under this Mortgage after failure of Grantor to perform shall not affect Lender's right to declare a default and exercise its remedies under 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 adjudge reasonable as attorneys' fees at trial and on any appeal. Whether or not any court action is involved, all reasonable expenses incurred by Lender that in Lender's opinion are necessary at any time for the protection of its interest or the enforcement of its rights shall become a part of the Indebtedness payable on demand and shall bear interest from the date of expenditure until repaid at the rate provided for in the Note. Expenses covered by this paragraph include, without limitation, however subject to any limits under applicable law, Lender's attorneys' fees and Lender's legal expenses whether or not there is a lawsuit, including attorneys' fees for bankruptcy proceedings (including efforts to modify or vacate any automatic stay or injunction), appeals and any anticipated post-judgment collection services, the cost of searching records, obtaining title reports (including foreclosure reports), surveyors' reports, and appraisal fees, and title insurance, to the extent permitted by applicable law. Grantor also will pay any court costs, in addition to all other sums provided by law.

NOTICES TO GRANTOR AND OTHER PARTIES. Any notice under this Mortgage, including without limitation any notice of default and any notice of sale to Grantor, shall be in writing, may be sent by telefacsimile, and shall be effective when actually delivered, or when deposited with a nationally recognized overnight courier, or, if mailed, shall be deemed effective when deposited in the United States mail first class, registered mail, postage prepaid, directed to the addresses shown near the beginning of this Mortgage. Any party may change its address for notices under this Mortgage by giving formal written notice to the other parties, specifying that the purpose of the notice is to change the party's address. All copies of notices of foreclosure from the holder of any lien which has priority over this Mortgage shall be sent to Lender's address, as shown near the beginning of this Mortgage. For notice purposes, Grantor agrees to keep Lender informed at all times of Grantor's current address.

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

Amendments. This Mortgage, together with any Related Documents, constitutes the entire understanding and

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James L. Bruce

GRANTOR

AGREES TO ITS TERMS.

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

TERMINATION OF PAYMENTS BY AUTOMATIC DEBIT. The rate stated above is a special rate offered by Lennder on the strict condition that a checking account will be maintained with Lennder which will be automatically debited for payments due under the loan. If an account is not maintained with Lennder, sufficient balance when needed to be debited automatically for each payment is not available, then, at Lennder's option, the interest rate will increase 1.0% per annum, and such increase will be effective as of the last scheduled payment date provided that month in which the payment is not automatically debited. This increase will obligate to reinstate the term or interest rates if the default is cured or reinstated or voluntary action). Lennder shall have no obligation to reinstate the term or interest rates if the default or reinstatement of the automatic debiting procedure is requested.

Time is of the Essence. Time is of the essence in the performance of this Mortgage.
Waiver of Homeestead 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.
Waiver and Covenants. Lender shall not be deemed to have waived any right under this Mortgage (or under the Pleadings) unless such waiver is in writing and signed by Lender. No delay or omission on the part of Lender in exercising any right shall constitute 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 other party's right. A waiver by Lender in exercising any right shall not be deemed to have waived any right; rights under this Mortgage (or under the Pleadings) unless such waiver is in writing and signed by Lender. No delay or omission on the part of Lender in exercising any right shall not be deemed to have waived any right; rights under this Mortgage (or under the Pleadings) unless such waiver is in writing and signed by Lender.

This Mortgage shall be binding upon and interest of Girard or his successors in interest.

Severability. If a court of competent jurisdiction finds any provision of this Mortgage to be invalid or unenforceable as to any person or circumstance, such finding shall not render the provision invalid or unenforceable as to any other person or circumstances. It is also agreed that provisions of this Mortgage which are found to be invalid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this Mortgage.

used to interpret or define the provisions of this Mortgage.

Illinois. This mortgage loan is governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of

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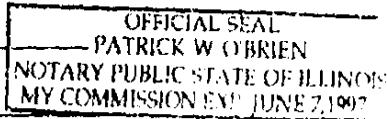
On this day before me, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared James L. Bruce, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the Mortgage, and acknowledged that he or she signed the Mortgage as his or her free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

Given under my hand and official seal this 15 day of NOVEMBER, 1996.

By Patrick W. O'Brien Residing at _____

Notary Public in and for the State of IL.

My commission expires _____



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EXHIBIT "A"

LEGAL DESCRIPTION:

LOT 13 IN BLOCK 4 IN VINCENT, BEING A SUBDIVISION OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 31, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 14, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

PERMANENT INDEX NUMBER:

14-31-107-008-0000

PROPERTY COMMONLY KNOWN AS:

2329 N. LEAVITT, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

EXHIBIT "A"

LEGAL DESCRIPTION:

LOT 35 (EXCEPT THE SOUTH 11 FEET THEREOF) AND LOT 36 (EXCEPT THE NORTH 9 FEET THEREOF) IN BLOCK 3 IN WEST HARRISON STREET SUBDIVISION OF THE NORTH 12 (EXCEPT RAILROAD RIGHT OF WAY) AND THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 17, TOWNSHIP 39 NORTH, RANGE 13, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

PERMANENT INDEX NUMBER:

16-17-301-017-0000

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919 SOUTH HIGHLAND, OAK PARK, ILLINOIS

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