

DEED IN TRUST

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THE GRANTOR (NAME AND ADDRESS)

Jerome R. Baffa,  
divorced and not since  
remarried,  
  
8125 W. 88th Street

(The Above Space For Recorder's Use Only)

of the City of Hickory Hills County of Cook, and State of Illinois, in consideration of the sum of Ten & 00/100 (\$10.00) Dollars, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, hereby conveys and quit claims to Jerome R. Baffa as Trustee, under the terms and provisions of a certain Trust Agreement dated the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of DECEMBER, 19 96, and designated as Trust No. Jerome R. Baffa Trust Agreement, 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.)

Permanent Index Number (PIN): 23-02-201-042-0000

Address(es) of Real Estate: 8125 W. 88th Street, Hickory Hills, Illinois 60457

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 99 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.

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4. In the event of the inability, refusal of the Trustee herein named, to act, or upon his removal from the County James P. Baffa

is then appointed as Successor Trustee herein with like powers and authority as is vested in the Trustee named herein.

All of the covenants, conditions, powers, rights and duties vested hereby, in the respective parties, shall inure to and be binding upon their heirs, legal representatives and assigns.

If the title to any of the above real estate now is or hereafter shall be registered, the Registrar of Titles is directed not to register or note in the Certificate of Title, duplicate thereof, or memorial, the words "in trust" or "upon condition", or "with limitation", or words of similar import, in compliance with the statute of the State of Illinois in such case made and provided.

The Grantor        hereby waive § and release § any and all right and benefit under and by virtue of the Statutes of the State of Illinois providing for the exemption of homestead from sale or execution or otherwise.

DATED this 21<sup>st</sup> day of DECEMBER 1996

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME(S) BELOW SIGNATURE(S)

X Jerome R. Baffa  
Jerome R. Baffa

(SEAL)  
  
(SEAL)

"OFFICIAL SEAL"  
Ralph Muentzer  
Notary Public, State of Illinois  
My Commission Expires 11/3/97  
(SEAL)

State of Illinois, County of Cook ss. I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for

said County, in the State aforesaid, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that Jerome R. Baffa, divorced and not since remarried personally known to me to be the same person        whose name subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person, and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein set forth, including the release and waiver of the right of homestead.

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Ralph Muentzer  
Notary Public, State of Illinois  
My Commission Expires 11/3/97

IMPRESS SEAL HERE

Given under my hand and official seal, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of DECEMBER 1996

Commission expires        19      

This instrument was prepared by Ralph Muentzer, 218 N. Jefferson St., Suite 400  
(NAME AND ADDRESS)

Chicago, Illinois 60661

## Legal Description

LOT 16 IN HARTZ'S HILLS SUBDIVISION UNIT NO. 1, BEING A SUBDIVISION OF PART OF THE EAST 1/2 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 2, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 12, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO PLAT THEREOF REGISTERED IN THE OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF TITLES OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS ON OCTOBER 26, 1970, AS DOCUMENT NUMBER 2527745, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

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Ralph Muentzer  
Notary Public, State of Illinois  
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EXEMPT UNDER ILL. ESTATE TRANSFER TAX ACT SEC. 4 PER PAR.        AND COOK COUNTY ORD. 07164 PAR.       

DATE 8-5-97 SIGNATURE Ralph Muentzer SEND SUBSEQUENT

MAIL TO { Ralph Muentzer (Name)  
218 N. Jefferson St., Ste. 400 (Address)  
Chicago, Illinois 60661 (City, State and Zip)

Jerome R. Baffa (Name)  
8125 W. 88th St. (Address)  
Hickory Hills, Illinois 60457 (City, State and Zip)

OR RECORDER'S OFFICE BOX NO       

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## 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 8.5, 1997 Signature: [Signature]  
Grantor or Agent

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said COLLEEN Muentzer this 5<sup>th</sup> day of AUGUST, 1997.  
Notary Public [Signature]

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Ralph Muentzer  
Notary Public, State of Illinois  
My Commission Expires 11/3/97  
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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 8.5, 1997 Signature: [Signature]  
Grantee or Agent

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the said COLLEEN Muentzer this 5<sup>th</sup> day of AUGUST, 1997.  
Notary Public [Signature]

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Ralph Muentzer  
Notary Public, State of Illinois  
My Commission Expires 11/3/97  
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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, is exempt under the provisions of Section 4 of the Illinois Real Estate Transfer Tax Act.)