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MORTGAGE

THIS MORTGAGE IS DATED OCTOBER 24, 1997, between ROBERT L. KRAUSE and MARY ANN KRAUSE F/N/A MARY ANN SAMOJEDNY, IN JOINT TENANCY, whose address is 6900 W. 115TH STREET, WORTH, IL 60482 (referred to below as "Grantor"); and Harris Trust and Savings Bank, whose address is 111 W. Monroe, P.O. Box 755, Chicago, IL 60690 (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 14 IN CRANDALL MANOR UNIT NO. 1, BEING A SUBDIVISION OF THE EAST 1/2 (EXCEPT THE EAST 30.5 ACRES THEREOF) OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 19, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 13, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

The Real Property or its address is commonly known as 6900 W. 115TH STREET, WORTH, IL 6048260677. The Real Property tax identification number is 24-19-124-010.

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 24, 1997, between Lender and Grantor with a credit limit of \$50,000.00, together with all renewals of, extensions of, modifications of, refinancings of, consolidations of, and substitutions for the Credit Agreement.

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Grammar. The word "Grantor" means ROBERT L. KRAUSE and MARY ANN KRAUSE F/N/A MARY ANN SAMOJEDNY. The Grantor is the mortgagor under this Mortgage.

The interest rate under the Credit Agreement is a variable interest rate based upon an index currently is 8.500% per annum. The interest rate to be applied to the outstanding account balance is currently 8.500% per annum. The interest rate to be applied to the outstanding maximum rate, under no circumstances shall the interest rate be more than the lesser of 18.000% per annum or the maximum rate a rate of 0.250 percentage points above the index, subject however to the following maximum rate. Under no circumstances shall the interest rate be more than the lesser of 18.000% per annum or the maximum rate allowed by applicable law.

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THIS MORTGAGE, INCLUDING THE ASSIGNMENT OF RENTS AND THE SECURITY INTEREST IN THE RENTS AND PERSONAL PROPERTY, IS GIVEN TO SECURE (1) PAYMENT OF THE INDEBTEDNESS AND (2) PERFORMANCE OF ALL OBLIGATIONS OF GRANTOR UNDER THIS MORTGAGE AND THE RELATED DOCUMENTS. THIS MORTGAGE IS INTENDED TO AND SHALL BE VALID AND HAVE PRIORITY OVER ALL SUBSEQUENT LIENS AND ENCUMBRANCES, INCLUDING STATUTORY LIENS, EXCEPTING SOLELY TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS LEVIED ON THE REAL PROPERTY, TO THE EXTENT OF THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT SECURED HEREBY. THIS MORTGAGE IS GIVEN AND ACCEPTED ON THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

PAYMENT AND PERFORMANCE. Except as otherwise provided in this Mortgage, Grantor shall pay to Lender all amounts secured by this Mortgage as they become due, and shall strictly perform all of Grantor's obligations under this Mortgage.

POSSESSION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE PROPERTY. Grantor agrees that Grantor's possession and use of the Property shall be governed by the following provisions:

Possession and Use. Until in default, Grantor may remain in possession and control of and operate and manage the Property and collect the Rents from the Property.

Duty to Maintain. Grantor shall maintain the Property in tenable condition and promptly perform all repairs, replacements, and maintenance necessary to preserve its value.

Hazardous Substances. The terms "hazardous waste," "hazardous substance," "disposal," "release," and "threatened release," as used in this Mortgage, shall have the same meanings as set forth in the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 9601, et seq. ("CERCLA"), the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986, Pub. L. No. 99-499 ("SARA"), the Hazardous Materials Transportation Act, 49 U.S.C. Section 1801, et seq., the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, 42 U.S.C. Section 6901, et seq., or other applicable state or Federal laws, rules, or regulations adopted pursuant to any of the foregoing. The terms "hazardous waste" and "hazardous substance" shall also include, without limitation, petroleum and petroleum by-products or any fraction thereof and asbestos. Grantor represents and warrants to Lender that: (a) During the period of Grantor's ownership of the Property, there has been no use, generation, manufacture, storage, treatment, disposal, release or threatened release of any hazardous waste or substance by any person on, under, about or from the Property; (b) Grantor has no knowledge of, or reason to believe that there has been, except as previously disclosed to and acknowledged by Lender in writing, (i) any use, generation, manufacture, storage, treatment, disposal, release, or threatened release of any hazardous waste or substance on, under, about or from the Property by any prior owners or occupants of the Property or (ii) any actual or threatened litigation or claims of any kind by any person relating to such matters; and (c) except as previously disclosed to and acknowledged by Lender in writing, (i) neither Grantor nor any tenant, contractor, agent or other authorized user of the Property shall use, generate, manufacture, store, treat, dispose of, or release any hazardous waste or substance on, under, about or from the Property and (ii) any such activity shall be conducted in compliance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations and ordinances, including without limitation those laws, regulations, and ordinances described above. Grantor authorizes Lender and its agents to enter upon the Property to make such inspections and tests, at Grantor's expense, as Lender may deem appropriate to 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 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.

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Excluded coverage shall procure and maintain policies of life as range with standard insurance of insurance. Grantor shall provide for the Real Property in an amount sufficient to avoid application of any cancellation 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. Grantor shall deliver to Lender certificates of coverage from each insurer containing a stipulation that coverage will not be cancelled or diminished without a 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 Estate 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 limit.
Such insurance for the term of the loan.

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

Evidence of Payment. Granter shall upon demand furnish, to Lender, satisfactory evidence of payment of all accruedings.

Excess of Taxes. Granter shall authorize the appropriate government official to deliver to Lender all any time a written statement of the taxes and assessments made against the Property.

Notice of Contrauction. Granter shall notify Lender at least fifteen (15) days before any work is commenced, or other services are furnished, or any materials are supplied to the Project, Any mechanical, electrical, or other services are furnished to the Project, or any materials are furnished to Lender under such improvements.

Grantor will Upon request of Lender furnish to Lender evidence of payment of all accruedings.

Duty to Protect. Granitor agrees neither to abandon nor leave unattended the Property. Granitor 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.

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been disbursed within 180 days after their receipt and which Lender has not committed to the repair or restoration of the Property shall be used first to pay any amount owing to Lender under this Mortgage, then to prepay accrued interest, and the remainder, if any, shall be applied to the principal balance of the Indebtedness. If Lender holds any proceeds after payment in full of the Indebtedness, such proceeds shall be paid to Grantor.

Unexpired Insurance at Sale. Any unexpired insurance shall inure to the benefit of, and pass to, the purchaser of the Property covered by this Mortgage at any trustee's sale or other sale held under the provisions of this Mortgage, or at any foreclosure sale of such Property.

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 provided for in the Credit Agreement 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 credit line and be apportioned among and be payable with any installment payments to become due during either (i) the term of any applicable insurance policy or (ii) the remaining term of the Credit Agreement, or (c) be treated as a balloon payment which will be due and payable at the Credit Agreement's maturity. This Mortgage also will secure payment of these amounts. The rights provided for in this paragraph shall be in addition to any other rights or any remedies to which Lender may be entitled on account of the default. Any such action by Lender shall not be construed as curing the default so as to bar Lender from any remedy that it otherwise would have had.

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

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 Credit Agreement; 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.

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COLLECTIVE RENTS. Lender shall have the right, without notice to Grantor, to take possession of the Property and

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.

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

RIGHTS AND REMEDIES ON DEFECTIVE PROPERTY. 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:

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Afterney-in-Fact. If Granitor fails to do any of the things referred to in the preceding paragraph, Lender may do so for and in the name of Granitor and at Granitor's expense. For such purposes, Granitor hereby irrevocably appoints Lender as Granitor's attorney-in-fact for the purpose of making, executing, delivering, filling, 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.

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

COMMERCIAL Code), are as stated on the first page of this Mortgage.

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

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

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

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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 Credit Agreement 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 Credit Agreement. 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 (unless otherwise required by law), 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, certified or 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 agreement of the parties as to the matters set forth in this Mortgage. No alteration of or amendment to this Mortgage shall be effective unless given in writing and signed by the party or parties sought to be charged or bound by the alteration or amendment.

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

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MARY ANN KRAUSE F/N/A MARY ANN SAMOJEDNY

X ROBERT L. KRAUSE

GRANTOR:

GRANTOR AGREES TO ITS TERMS.

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

Waivers and Covenants. Lender shall not be deemed to have waived any rights under this Mortgage or the Related Documents 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 after notice constitute a waiver of or prejudice the party's right. A waiver by any party of a provision of this Mortgage after notice of any other course of dealing between Lender and Grantor shall not constitute a waiver of or prejudice the party's right. Any other course of dealing between Lender and Grantor shall not constitute a waiver of or prejudice the party's right. No prior waiver by Lender, nor any other course of dealing between Lender and Grantor, shall constitute a waiver of or prejudice the party's right. A waiver by any party of a provision of this Mortgage after notice of any other course of dealing between Lender and Grantor shall not constitute a waiver of or prejudice the party's right. Any other course of dealing between Lender and Grantor shall not constitute a waiver of or prejudice the party's right. The grantors acknowledge that the signature of any party on this Mortgage is sufficient to bind all parties to the terms of this Mortgage.

Time is of the essence. Time is of the essence in the performance of this Mortgage. 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. Successors and Assigns. Subject to the limitations stated in this Mortgage on transfer of ownership of this Mortgage, shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties, their successors and assigns, if any, and may be so modified, it shall be strucken and all other provisions of this Mortgage in all other respects, if modifiable, to be within the limits of enforceability or validity; however, if the offending provision cannot be so modified to be within the limits of enforceability or validity, any such offending provision shall be unenforceable as to any other person or circumstance, such finding shall not render that provision invalid or unenforceable as to any other person or circumstance, such finding shall not render this Mortgage to be invalid or 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 that provision invalid or severability. All obligations of Grantor under this Mortgage shall be joint and several, and all representations made by or for the benefit of Lender in any time held by or for the benefit of Lender in any capacity, without the written consent of Lender.

Merge. There shall be no merger of the interest or estate created by this Mortgage with any other interest or estate in the property at any time held by or for the benefit of Lender in any capacity, without the written consent of Lender. Used to interpret or define the provisions of this Mortgage. Capital Headings. Capital headings are for convenience purposes only and are not to be used to interpret the provisions of this Mortgage.

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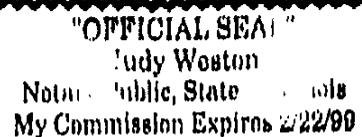
On this day before me, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared ROBERT L. KRAUSE and MARY ANN KRAUSE F/N/A MARY ANN SAMOJEDNY, to me known to be the individuals described in and who executed the Mortgage, and acknowledged that they signed the Mortgage as their free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

Given under my hand and official seal this 24th day of October, 1997.

By Judy Weston, residing at 400 N. 64th Street
Arlington, IL 60005

Notary Public in and for the State of ILLINOIS

My commission expires 02-22-99



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