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THIS MORTGAGE ("SECURITY INSTRUMENT") is given on July 21, 1998

The Mortgagor(s) are/is KEITH EDWARDS & DONNA EDWARDS

("Borrower"). This Security Instrument is given to DOROTHY T. BENNETT (Lender). Borrower owes Lender the principal sum of Six Thousand Dollars (\$ 6,000.00). This debt is evidenced by Borrower's Note dated the same date as this Security Instrument ("Note"), which provides for monthly payments, with the full debt, if not paid earlier due and payable on August 1, 1999. This Security Instrument secures to Lender:(a) the repayment of the debt evidenced by the Note, with interest and all renewals, extensions and modifications; (b) the payment of all other sums, with interest advanced under paragraph 7 to protect the security of this Security Instrument; and (c) the performance of Borrower's covenants and agreements under this Security Instrument and the Note. For this purpose, Borrower does hereby mortgage, grant and convey to Lender the following described property located in Cook County Illinois.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION:

See Attached Legal Exhibit "A"

Lawyers Title Insurance Corporation

COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 10804 Prospect Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

REAL ESTATE INDEX NUMBER: 25-18-405-039-0000

TOGETHER WITH all improvements now or hereafter erected on the property, and all easements, rights, apputenances, rents, royalties, mineral, oil and gas rights and profits, water rights and stock and all fixtures now or herafter a part of the property. All replacements and additions should also be covered by this Security Instrument. All of the foregoing is referred to in this Security Instrument as the "Property".

BORROWER COVENANTS that Borrower is lawfully seised of the estate hereby conveyed and has the right to mortgage, grant and convey the property and that the property is unencumbered except for encumbrances of record. Borrower warrants and will defend generally the title to the property is against all claims and demands, subject to any encumbrances of record.

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## EXHIBIT "A"

THAT PART OF LOT 3 LYING NORTHERLY OF A LINE 71 FEET SOUTHERLY MEASURED AT RIGHT ANGLES TO AND PARALLEL WITH THE NORTHERLY LINE OF SAID LOT 3 (EXCEPT THE NORTHERLY 37 FEET THEREOF) IN THE RESUBDIVISION OF LOTS 11,12,13 AND 14 IN HOPKINSON'S RESUBDIVISION OF LOTS 4,8,9 AND 10 IN BLOCK 13, IN WASHINGTON HEIGHTS, A SUBDIVISION OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4, OF SECTION 18, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 14 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, AND LOTS 11,12,13,14 AND 15 IN THE SUBDIVISION OF LOTS 15,21,22,23 AND 24 OF HOPKINSON'S RESUBDIVISION OF LOTS 4,8,9 AND 10 IN BLOCK 13 AFORESAID, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

CKA 10304 South Prospect, Chicago, Illinois

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THIS SECURITY INSTRUMENT combines uniform covenants for national use and non-uniform covenants with limited variations by jurisdiction to constitute a uniform security instrument covering real property.

UNIFORM COVENANTS: Borrower and Lender covenant and agree as follows:

1. Payment of Principal and Interest; Prepayment; and Late Charges. Borrower shall promptly pay when due the principal of and interest on the debt evidenced by the Note and any prepayment and late charges due under the Note.

2. Funds for Taxes and Insurance. Subject to applicable law or to written waiver by Lender. Borrower shall pay to Lender on the day monthly payments are due under the Note, until the Note is paid in full, a sum ("Funds") equal to one-twelfth of: (a) yearly taxes and assessments which may attain priority over this Security Instrument; (b) yearly leasehold payments or ground rents on the Property, if any; (c) yearly hazard insurance premiums and (d) yearly mortgage insurance premiums, if any. These items are called "escrow items". Lender may estimate the funds due on the basis of current data and reasonable estimates of future escrow items.

The funds shall be held in an institution the deposits or accounts of which are insured or guaranteed by a federal or state agency (including Lender if Lender is such an institution). Lender shall apply the funds to pay the escrow items. Lender may not charge for holding and applying the Funds, analyzing the account or verifying the escrow items, unless Lender pays Borrower interest on the Funds and applicable law permits Lender that interest shall not be required to pay Borrower any interest or earnings on the Funds. Lender shall give to Borrower, without charge an annual accounting of the Funds showing credits and debts to the funds and the purpose for which each debit to the Funds was made. The funds are pledged as additional security for the sums secured by this Security Instrument.

If the amount of the Funds held by Lender together with the future monthly payments of funds payable prior to the due dates of the escrow items shall exceed the amount required to pay the escrow items when due, the excess shall be at Borrower's option, either promptly repaid to Borrower or credited to Borrower on monthly payments of Funds. If the amount of the Funds held by Lender is not sufficient to pay the escrow items when due, Borrower shall pay to Lender any amount necessary to make up the deficiency in one or more payments as required by Lender.

Upon payment in full all sums secured by this Security Instrument, Lender shall promptly refund to Borrower any funds held by Lender. If under paragraph 19 the Property is sold or acquired by Lender, Lender shall apply no later than immediately prior to the sale of the property or its acquisition by Lender any funds held by Lender at the time of application as a credit against the sums secured by this Security Instrument.

3. Application of Payments. Unless applicable law provides otherwise, all payments received by Lender under paragraphs 1 and 2 shall be applied first to late charges due

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under the Note; second, to prepayment charges due under the Note; third, to amounts payable under paragraph 2; fourth, to interest due and last, to principal due.

4. Charges, Liens. Borrower shall pay all taxes, assessments, charges, fines and impositions attributable to the Property which may attain priority over this Security Instrument, and lease hold payments or ground rents, if any. Borrower shall pay these obligations in the manner provided in paragraph 2 or if not paid in that manner, Borrower shall pay them on time directly to the person owed payment. Borrower shall pay them on time directly to the person owed payment. Borrower shall promptly furnish to Lender all notices of amounts to be paid under this paragraph. If Borrower makes these payments directly, Borrower shall promptly furnish to Lender receipts evidencing the payments.

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Borrower shall promptly discharge any lien which has priority over this Security Instrument unless Borrower: (a) agrees in writing to the payment of the obligation secured by the lien in a manner acceptable to Lender; (b) contests in good faith the lien or defends against enforcement of the lien in legal proceedings which in the Lender's opinion operate to prevent the enforcement of the lien or forfeiture of any part of the Property; or (c) secures from the holder of the lien an agreement satisfactory to Lender subordinating the lien to this Security Instrument. If Lender determines that any part of the Property is subject to a lien, which may attain priority over this Security Instrument, Lender may give Borrower a Notice identifying the lien. Borrower shall satisfy the lien or take one or more of the actions set forth above within 10 days of giving them notice.

5. Hazard Insurance. Borrower shall keep the improvements now existing or hereafter erected on the Property insured against the loss by fire, hazards included within the term "extended coverage" and any other hazards for which Lender requires insurance. This insurance shall be maintained in the amounts for the periods that Lender requires. The insurance carrier providing the insurance shall be chosen by Borrower subject to Lender's approval which shall not be unreasonably withheld.

All insurance policies and renewals shall be acceptable to Lender and shall include a standard mortgagee clause. Lender shall have the right to hold the policies and renewals. If Lender requires, Borrower shall promptly give to Lender all receipts of paid premiums and renewal notices. In the event of loss, Borrower shall give prompt notice to the insurance carrier and Lender. Lender may make proof of loss if not made promptly by Borrower.

Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, insurance proceeds shall be applied to restoration or repair of the Property damages, if the restoration or repair is economically feasible and Lender's security is not lessened. If the Lender's security would be lessened, the insurance proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with any excess paid to Borrower. If Borrower abandons the Property or does not answer within 30 days, a notice from the Lender that the insurance carrier has offered settle a claim then Lender may collect the insurance proceeds.

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Lender may use the proceeds to repair or restore the Property or to pay sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due. The 30 day period will begin when the notice is given.

Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing any application of proceeds to principal shall not extend or postpone the due date of the monthly payments referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2 or change the amount of the payments. If under paragraph 19 the property is acquired by Lender, Borrower's right to any insurance policies and proceeds resulting from damage to the property prior to the acquisition shall pass to Lender to the extent of the sums secured by this Security Instrument immediately prior to the acquisition.

6. Preservation and Maintenance of Property; Leaseholds, Borrower shall not destroy, damage or substantially change the Property, allow the Property to deteriorate or commit waste. If this Security Instrument is on a leasehold, Borrower shall comply with the provisions of the lease, and if Borrower acquires fee title to the Property, the leasehold and fee title shall not merge unless Lender agrees to the merger in writing.

7. Protection of Lender's Rights in the Property, Mortgage Insurance. If Borrower fails to perform the covenants and agreements contained in this Security Instrument or there is a legal proceeding that may significantly affect Lender's rights in the Property (such as a proceeding in bankruptcy; probate, for condemnation or to enforce laws or regulations), then Lender may do and pay for whatever is necessary to protect the value of the Property and Lender's rights in the Property. Lender's actions may include paying any sums secured by a lien which has priority over this Security Instrument appearing in Court, paying reasonable attorney's fees and entering on the Property to make repairs. Although Lender may take action under this paragraph 7, Lender does not have to do so.

Any documents disbursed by Lender under this paragraph 7 shall become additional debt of Borrower secured by this Security Instrument. Unless Borrower and Lender agree to other terms of payment, these amounts shall bear interest from the date of disbursement at the Note rate and shall be payable, with the interest, upon notice from Lender to Borrower requesting payment.

If Lender required mortgage insurance as a condition of making the loan secured by this Security Instrument, Borrower shall pay the premiums required to maintain the insurance in effect until such time as the requirement for the insurance terminates in accordance with Borrower's and Lender's written agreement or applicable law.

8. Inspection. Lender or it's agent may make reasonable entries upon and inspections of the Property. Lender shall give Borrower notice at the time of or prior to an inspection specifying reasonable cause for the inspection.

9. Condemnation. The proceeds of any award or claim for damages, direct or consequential, in connection with any condemnation or ther taking of any part of the Property, or for conveyance in lieu of condemnation are hereby signed and shall be paid to Lender.

In the event of total taking of the property, the proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with any excess paid to Borrower. In the event of a partial taking of the Property, unless Borrower and Lender otherwise agree in writing, the sums secured by the Security Instrument shall be reduced by the amount of the proceeds multiplied by the following fraction: (a) the total amount of the

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sums secured immediately before the taking, divided by (b) fair market value of the Property immediately before taking. Any balance shall be paid to Borrower.

If the property is abandoned by Borrower, or if after notice by Lender to Borrower that the condemor offers to make an award of settle a claim for damages, Borrower fails to respond to Lender within 30 days after the date the notice is given, Lender is authorized to collect and apply the proceeds, at its option, either to restoration or repair of the property or to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due.

Unless, Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, any application of proceeds to principal shall not extend or postpone the date of the monthly payments referring to paragraphs 1 and 2 or change the amount of such payments.

10. Borrower Not Released; Forebearance by Lender Not a Waiver. Extension of the time of payment or modification of amortization of the sums secured by this Security Instrument granted by Lender to any successor in interest of Borrower shall not operate to release the liability of the original Borrower or Borrower's successor in interest. Lender shall not be required to commence proceedings against any successor in interest or refuse to extend time for payment or otherwise modify amortization of the sums secured by this Security Instrument by reason of demand made by the original Borrower or Borrower's successor in interest. Any forbearance by Lender in exercising any right or remedy shall not be a waiver of or preclude the exercise of any right remedy.

11. Successors and Assigns Bound: Joint and Several Liability; Co-Signers. The covenants and agreements of this Security Instrument shall bind and benefit the successors and assigns of Lender and Borrower, subject to the provisions of paragraph 17. Borrower's covenants and agreements shall be joint and several. Any Borrower who co-signs this Security Instrument but does not execute the Note: (a) is co-signing this Security Instrument only to mortgage, grant and convey that Borrower's interest in the Property under the terms of this Security Instrument; (b) is not personally obligated to pay the sums secured by this Security Instrument; and (c) agrees that Lender and any other Borrower may agree to extend, modify, forbear or make any accommodations with regard to the terms of this Security Instrument or the Note without that Borrower's consent.

12. Loan Charges. If the loan secured by this Security Instrument is subject to a law which sets maximum loan charges, and that law is finally interpreted so that the interest or other loan charges collected or to be collected in connection with the loan exceed the permitted limits, then: (a) any such loan charge shall be reduced by the amount necessary to reduce the charge to the permitted limit; and (b) any sums already collected from Borrower which exceeded permitted limits will be refunded to Borrower. If a refund reduces principal, the reduction will be treated as a partial payment without any prepayment charge under the Note.

13. Legislation Affecting Lender's Rights. If enactment or expiration of applicable laws has the effect of rendering any provision of the Note or this Security Instrument unenforceable according to its terms, Lender at its option, may require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument and may invoke any remedies permitted by paragraph 19.

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If Lender exercises this option, Lender shall take the steps specified in the second paragraph of paragraph 17.

14. Notices. Any notice to Borrower provided for in this Security Instrument shall be given by delivering it or by mailing it by first class mail unless applicable law requires use of another method. The notice shall be directed to the Property address or any other address Borrower designates by notice to Lender. Any notice to Lender shall be given by first class mail to Lender's address stated herein or any other address Lender designates by notice to Borrower. Any Notice provided for in this Security Instrument shall be deemed to have been given to Borrower or Lender when given as provided in this paragraph.

15. Governing Law; Severability. This Security Instrument shall be governed by Federal Law and the law of the jurisdiction in which the property is located. In the event that any provisions of this Security Instrument or the Note which can be given effect without the conflicting provisions. To this end the provisions of this Security Instrument and the Note are declared to be severable.

16. Borrower's Copy. Borrower shall be given one copy of the Note and of this Security Instrument.

17. Transfer of the Property or a Beneficial Interest in Borrower. If all or any part of the Property or any interest in it is sold or transferred (or it a beneficial interest in Borrower is sold or transferred and Borrower is not a natural person) without Lender's prior written consent, Lender may, at its option require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument. However, this option shall not be exercised by Lender if exercise is prohibited by federal law as of the date of this Security Instrument.

If Lender exercises this option, Lender shall give Borrower notice of acceleration. The notice shall provide a period of not less than 30 days from the date the notice is delivered or mailed within which Borrower must pay all sums secured by this Security Instrument. If Borrower fails to pay these sums prior to the expiration of this period, Lender may invoke any remedies permitted by this Security Instrument without further notice or demand on Borrower.

18. Borrower's Right to Reinstate. If Borrower meets certain conditions, Borrower shall have the right to have enforcement of this Security Instrument discontinued at any time prior to the earlier of: (a) 5 days (or such other period as applicable law may specify for reinstatement) before sale of the Property pursuant to any power of sale contained in this Security Instrument; or (b) entry of a Judgment enforcing this Security Instrument. Those conditions are that Borrower: (a) pays Lender all sums which then would be due under this Security Instrument and the Note had no acceleration occurred; (b) cures any default of any other covenants or agreements; (c) pays all expenses incurred in enforcing this Security Instrument, including, but not limited to reasonable attorney's fees and (d) takes such action as Lender may reasonably require to assure that the lien of this Security Instrument shall continue unchanged. Upon obligations secured hereby shall remain fully effective as if no acceleration had occurred. However, this right to reinstate shall not apply in the case of acceleration under paragraphs 13 and 17.

NON-UNIFORM COVENANTS. Borrower and Lender further covenant and

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agree as follows:

19. Acceleration, Remedies. Lender shall give notice to Borrower prior to acceleration following Borrower's breach of any covenant or agreement in this Security Instrument (but not prior to acceleration under paragraphs 13 and 17 unless applicable law provides otherwise). The notice shall specify: (a) the default; (b) the action required to cure default; (c) a date, not less than 30 days from the date the notice is given to Borrower by which the default must be cured; and (d) that failure to cure the default on or before the date specified in the notice may result in acceleration of the sums secured by this Security Instrument, foreclosure by judicial proceedings and sale of the property. The notice shall further inform Borrower of the right to reinstate after acceleration and the right to assert in the foreclosure proceeding the non-existence of a default or any other defense of Borrower to acceleration and foreclosure. If the default is not cured on or before the date specified in the notice, Lender at its option may require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument without further demand and may foreclose this Security Instrument by judicial proceeding. Lender shall be entitled to collect all expenses incurred in pursuing the remedies provided in this paragraph 19, including but not limited to, reasonable attorney's fees and cost of title evidence.

20. Lender in Possession. Upon acceleration under paragraph 19 or abandonment of the property and at any time prior to the expiration of any period of redemption following judicial sale, Lender (in person, by agent or by judicially appointed receiver) shall be entitled to enter upon, take possession of and manage the Property and to collect the rents of the property including past due. Any rents collected by Lender or the receiver shall be applied first to payment of the costs of management of the property and collection of rents, including, and reasonable attorney's fees and then to the sums secured by this Security Instrument.

21. Release. Upon payment of all sums secured by this Security Instrument, Lender shall release this Security Instrument without charge to Borrower. Borrower shall pay any recordation costs.

22. Waiver of Homestead. Borrower waives all right of homestead exemption in the property.

23. Riders to this Security Instrument. If one or more riders are executed by Borrower and recorded together with this Security Instrument, the covenants and agreements of each such rider shall be incorporated into and shall amend and supplement the covenants and agreements of this Security Instrument as of the rider(s) were a part of this Security Instrument. [Check applicable box(es)] NONE

- Adjustable Rate Rider
- Owner Occupancy Rider
- Fixed Rate Rider
- Condominium Rider
- Other(s) [Specify]
- Planned Unit Development Rider
- Graduated Payment Rider
- Quick Qualifying Rider
- 2-4 Family Rider

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BY SIGNING BELOW, Borrower accepts and agrees to the terms and covenants contained in this Security Instrument and in any rider(s) executed by Borrower and recorded with it.

X Keith Edwards  
KEITH EDWARDS (SEAL)

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(SEAL)

X Donna Edwards  
DONNA EDWARDS (SEAL)

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