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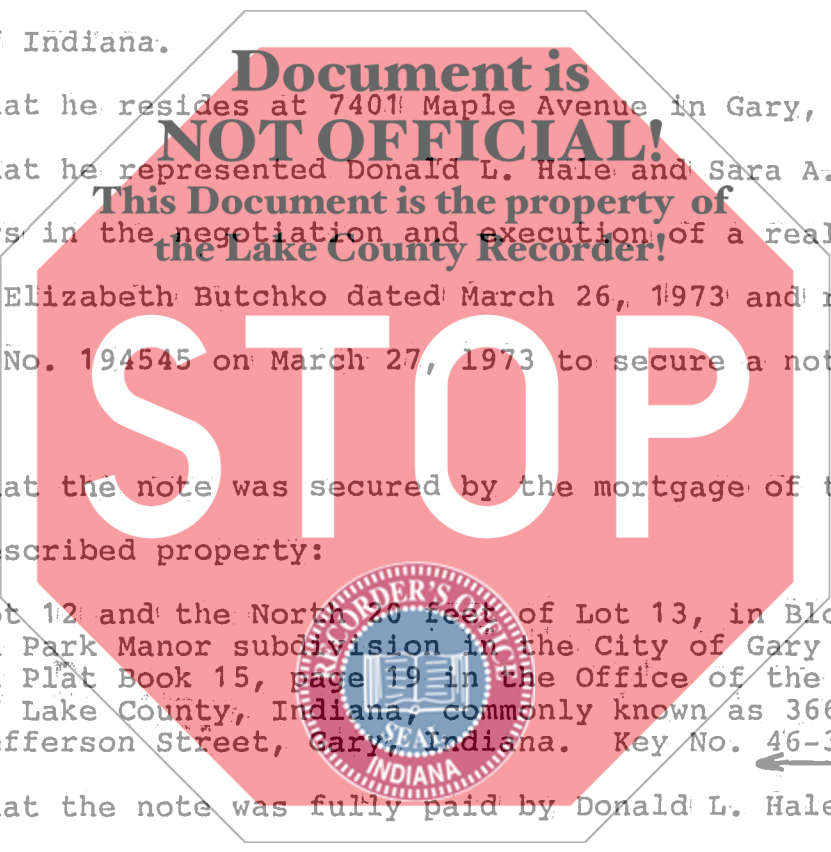
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A F F I D A V I T

Arno N. Anton
AUDITOR LAKE COUNTY

Arthur A. Daronatsy, being first duly sworn upon his oath deposes and says the following:

1. That he is an attorney licensed to practice law in the State of Indiana.
2. That he resides at 7401 Maple Avenue in Gary, Indiana.
3. That he represented Donald L. Hale and Sara A. Hale, as mortgagors in the negotiation and execution of a real estate mortgage to Elizabeth Butchko dated March 26, 1973 and recorded as Document No. 194545 on March 27, 1973 to secure a note for \$1,400.00.
4. That the note was secured by the mortgage of the following described property:
 Lot 12 and the North 20 feet of Lot 13, in Block "C" in Park Manor subdivision in the City of Gary as shown in Plat Book 15, page 19 in the Office of the Recorder of Lake County, Indiana, commonly known as 3667 Jefferson Street, Gary, Indiana. Key No. 46-326-12.
5. That the note was fully paid by Donald L. Hale and Sara A. Hale and that Elizabeth Butchko executed a Satisfaction of Mortgage thereon.
6. That the Satisfaction of Mortgage was delivered to him for recording by Vitold Reey, attorney for Elizabeth Butchko.
7. That he mailed the Satisfaction of Mortgage to Chicago Title Insurance Company for recording.



CHICAGO TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY
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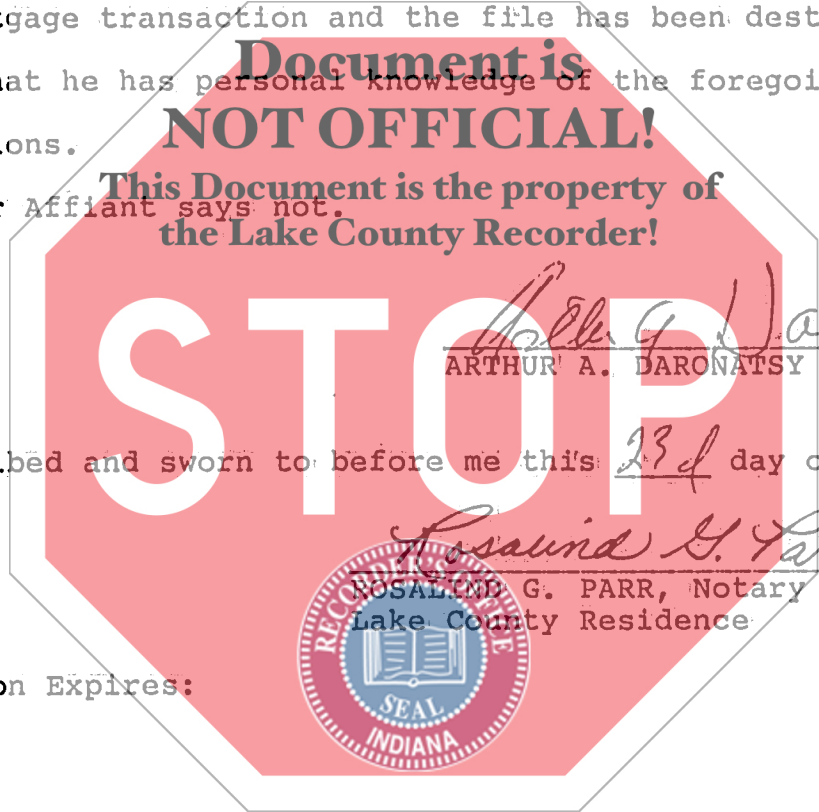
8. That Chicago Title Insurance Company returned the Satisfaction of Mortgage to him without being recorded because the name of the notary public thereon was not printed beneath the signature which was illegible.

9. That he inadvertently never returned the Satisfaction of Mortgage to the title company for recording.

10. That this document was maintained in his file relating to this mortgage transaction and the file has been destroyed.

11. That he has personal knowledge of the foregoing representations.

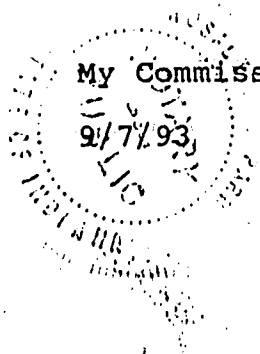
Further Affiant says not.
**This Document is the property of
the Lake County Recorder!**



Arthur A. Daronatsy
ARTHUR A. DARONATSY

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23^d day of January, 1992.

Rosalind G. Parr
ROSALIND G. PARR, Notary Public
Lake County Residence



This document was prepared by Rosalind G. Parr, Attorney at Law, 103 W. 79th Avenue, Merrillville, IN 46410