

WHEREAS, it appears from the records in the Auditor's office of Lake County, Indiana, that heretofore various and divers pieces, lots and tracts of land were advertised for sale at tax sale by the County Auditor under the terms and provisions of Section 1, Chapter 43, Acts of 1943, page 96, and it further appearing that no bid was received for the sale of such property, and that on the first Day of November, 1982 as provided by law, the County Auditor bid in such property for Lake County.

AND, WHEREAS, said property having not been redeemed, the Board of County Commissioners did on the 30TH day of JANUARY, 1996 at a regular meeting of said board, order that said parcels, lots and tracts of said real estate as hereinafter described, be sold by the County Auditor on the 7TH day of MARCH, 1996, at the east door of the Lake County Government Center, 2293 North Main Street, in the City of Crown Point, Lake County, Indiana, for cash and for not less than the appraised value thereof.

AND, WHEREAS, it appears that notice of the time, terms and place of sale of said real estate was published and posted as required by law,

AND, WHEREAS, it appears that on the day named in the order of the Board of Commissioners, and in the notice as published and posted, the said County Auditor did offer said real estate for sale.

AND, WHEREAS, MERCEDES JONES did then and there accept said bid. there bid the sum of SEVEN THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED NO/100 cents, and that the County Auditor did then and there accept said bid.

AND, WHEREAS, it appears that MERCEDES JONES did thereupon pay the amount of his bid to the County Treasurer of said county in cash.

AND, WHEREAS, the County Auditor did on the 26TH day of MARCH, 1996 report his proceedings therein to the Board of Commissioners.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Commissioners of Lake County, State of Indiana, for and in consideration of the sum of SEVEN THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED NO/100 cents paid as aforesaid, does hereby convey to

MERCEDES JONES all the right, title and interest, without warranty other than as provided by law, in and to the following described real estate in Lake County, Indiana, to-wit:

KEY# 25-43-389-3 GRUENBERG'S 2ND ADD, L.4

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, PETER KATIC and ERNEST NIEMEYER

being the duly elected, qualified and acting members of the Board of Commissioners of Lake County, Indiana, have hereunto signed our names and affixed our seals this 26TH day of MARCH, 1996.

Attest
Auditor of Lake County, Indiana

Board of Commissioners of Lake County, Indiana

STATE OF INDIANA, COUNTY OF LAKE, ss:

Before me, the undersigned MARGARETTE N. CLEVELAND

Recorder in and for said County, this day personally came the above named PETER KATIC RUDOLPH CLAY

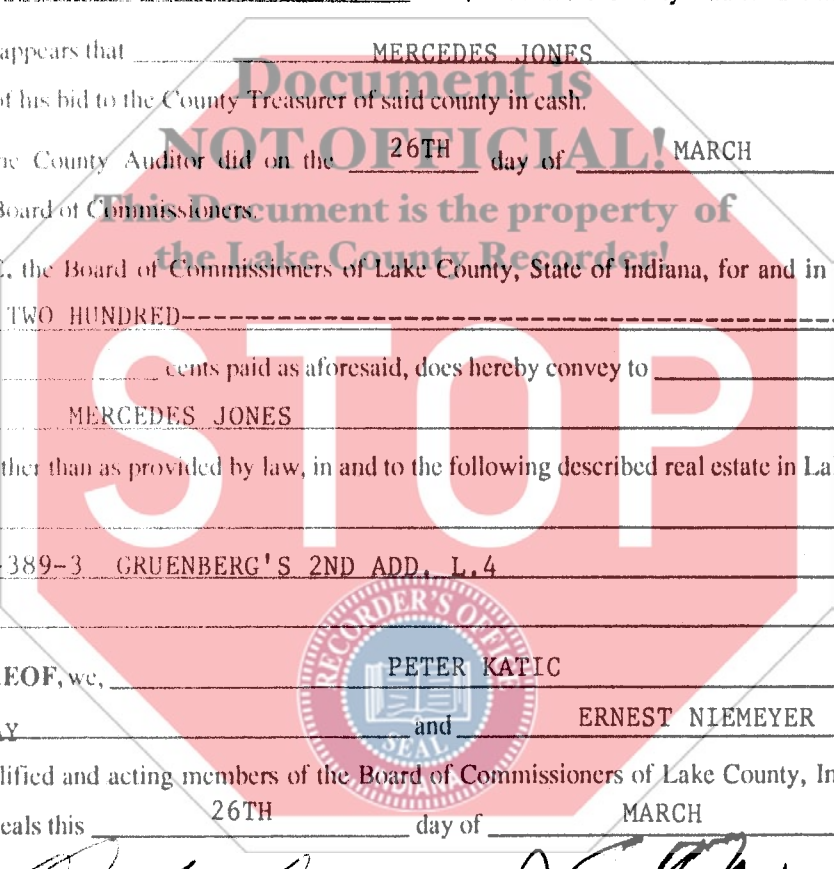
and ERNEST NIEMEYER, members of the Board of Commissioners of Lake County, Indiana, and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 26th day of March, 1996.

NOT ENTITLED FOR TAXATION SUBJECT TO FINAL ACCEPTANCE FOR TRANSFER.

SAM ORLICH
AUDITOR LAKE COUNTY
County Recorder

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