

TAX DEED

WHEREAS MERCEDES JONES did the 12th day of DECEMBER, 1996 produce to the undersigned, Sam Orlich Auditor of the County of Lake in the State of Indiana, a certificate of sale dated the 8th day of FEBRUARY, 1996, signed by Sam Orlich who, at the date of sale, was Auditor of the County, from which it appears that MERCEDES JONES on the 8th day of FEBRUARY 1996, purchased at public auction, held pursuant to law, the real property described in this indenture for the sum of 476 dollars and 82 cents, being the amount due on the following tracts of land returned delinquent in the name ALVAREZ AURELIO & AGUSTINA for 1994 and prior years, namely:

24-30-0172-0006
LOT 6, BLOCK 5, IN A SUBDIVISION OF PART OF THE N.W. QUARTER OF SECTION 33, TOWNSHIP 37, NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST OF THE SECOND PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN THE CITY OF EAST CHICAGO, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA AS SHOWN IN PLAT BOOK 4, PAGE 4, IN THE LAKE COUNTY RECORDER'S OFFICE.

Such real property has been recorded in the Office of the Lake County Auditor as delinquent for the nonpayment of taxes and proper notice of the sale has been given. It appearing that MERCEDES JONES is the owner of the certificate of sale, that the time for redeeming such real property has expired, that the property has not been redeemed, that MERCEDES JONES has demanded a deed for the real property described in the certificate of sale, that the records of the Lake County Auditor's Office State that the real property was legally liable for taxation, and the real property has been duly assessed and properly charged on the duplicate with the taxes and special assessments for 1994 and prior years:

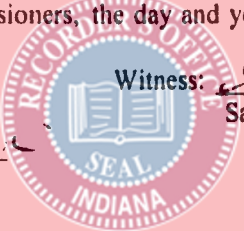
THEREFORE, this indenture, made this 12th day of DECEMBER, 1996, between the State of Indiana by Sam Orlich, Auditor of Lake County, of the first part, and MERCEDES JONES of the second part, witnesseth; That the party of the first part, for and in consideration of the premises, has granted and bargained and sold to the party of the second part, his heirs and assigns, the real property described in the certificate of sale, situated in the County of Lake, and State of Indiana, namely and more particularly described as follows:

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to have and to hold such real property, with the appurtenances belonging thereto, in as full and ample a manner as the Auditor of said County is empowered by law to convey the same.

In testimony whereof, Sam Orlich, Auditor of Lake County, has hereunto set his/her hand, and affixed the seal of the Board of County Commissioners, the day and year last above mentioned

Irene Holinga
Attest: Irene Holinga
Treasurer: Lake County



Witness: *Sam Orlich* (L.S.)
Sam Orlich, Auditor of Lake County

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State OF INDIANA }
County OF Lake } SS.

Before me, the undersigned, Anna N. Anton, in and for said County, this day, personally came the above named Sam Orlich, Auditor of said County, and acknowledged that he/she signed and sealed the foregoing deed for the users and purposes therein mentioned.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 6th day of January 1996

Anna N. Anton
Anna N. Anton, Clerk of Lake County

STATE OF INDIANA
LAKE COUNTY
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97 FEB 14 AM 10:11
MORRIS W. CARTER
RECORDER

This instrument prepared by Sam Orlich, County Auditor.

Post Office address of grantee: 4807 McCook
East Chicago, IN 46312

DULY ENTERED FOR TAXATION SUBJECT TO
FINAL ACCEPTANCE FOR TRANSFER

FEB 13 1997

SAM ORLICH
AUDITOR LAKE COUNTY

Marvin E. Silverman 526 W. Chicago Ave
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