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MRS. BESSIE I. THIEL
402 North Elmer Street
Griffith, Indiana 46319

DEED IN TRUST

THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH That BESSIE I. THIEL of Griffith, Lake County, in the State of Indiana CONVEYS AND WARRANTS to BESSIE I. THIEL and GARRY J. THIEL, as Co-Trustees (referred to as "Trustee"), under the provisions of a trust agreement dated the 8th day of October, 1999, and known as the BESSIE I. THIEL TRUST, hereinafter referred to as "said Trustee," of Lake County, in the State of Indiana, for and in consideration of Ten (\$10.00) Dollars, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the following described real estate in Lake County, in the State of Indiana, to-wit:

Lot 22 in Block 1, in Town of Griffith, as per plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 2, page 45, in the Office of the Recorder of Lake County, Indiana. (Key No. 26-121-22)

AND
This Document is the property of
the Lake County Recorder!

Lots Numbered Twenty-Three (23) and Twenty-Four (24), in Block No. One (1), as marked and laid down on the recorded plat of the Original town of Griffith, being a part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 35, Township 36 North, Range 9 West of the 2nd Principal Meridian, and a part of the Northeast Quarter of Section 2, Township 35 North, Range 9 West of the 2nd Principal Meridian, as the same appears of record in Plat Book 2, page 45, in the Recorder's Office of Lake County, Indiana.

This instrument is made for the sole purpose of funding the Grantor's Living Trust and is therefore exempt from the disclosure of sales information under item seven (7) of State Form 46021, pursuant to I.C. 6-1.1-5.5.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD said premises with appurtenances upon the trusts, and for the uses and purposes herein and in said Trust set forth:

Full power and authority is hereby granted to said Trustee to lease, mortgage, sell and convey said real estate and also to encumber same with easements and/or restrictions.

In no case shall any party dealing with said Trustee in relation to said premises or to whom said real estate or any part thereof shall be sold or conveyed be obliged to see that the terms of this trust have been complied with, or be obliged to inquire into the necessity or expediency of any act of said Trustee or be obliged or privileged to inquire into any of the terms of said trust agreement; and every deed, trust deed, or other instrument executed by said Trustee in relation to said real estate shall be conclusive evidence in favor of every person relying upon or claiming under any such conveyance or other instrument:

- a. that at the time of the delivery thereof the trust created by this indenture and by said trust agreement was in full force and effect;
- b. that such conveyance or other instrument was executed in accordance with the trusts, conditions and limitations contained in this indenture and in said trust agreement or in some amendment thereof and binding upon all beneficiaries thereunder;
- c. that said Trustee was duly authorized and empowered to execute and deliver every such deed, trust deed, or other instrument; and,

DULY ENTERED FOR TAXATION SUBJECT TO
FINAL ACCEPTANCE FOR TRANSFER.

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PETER BENJAMIN
LAKE COUNTY AUDITOR

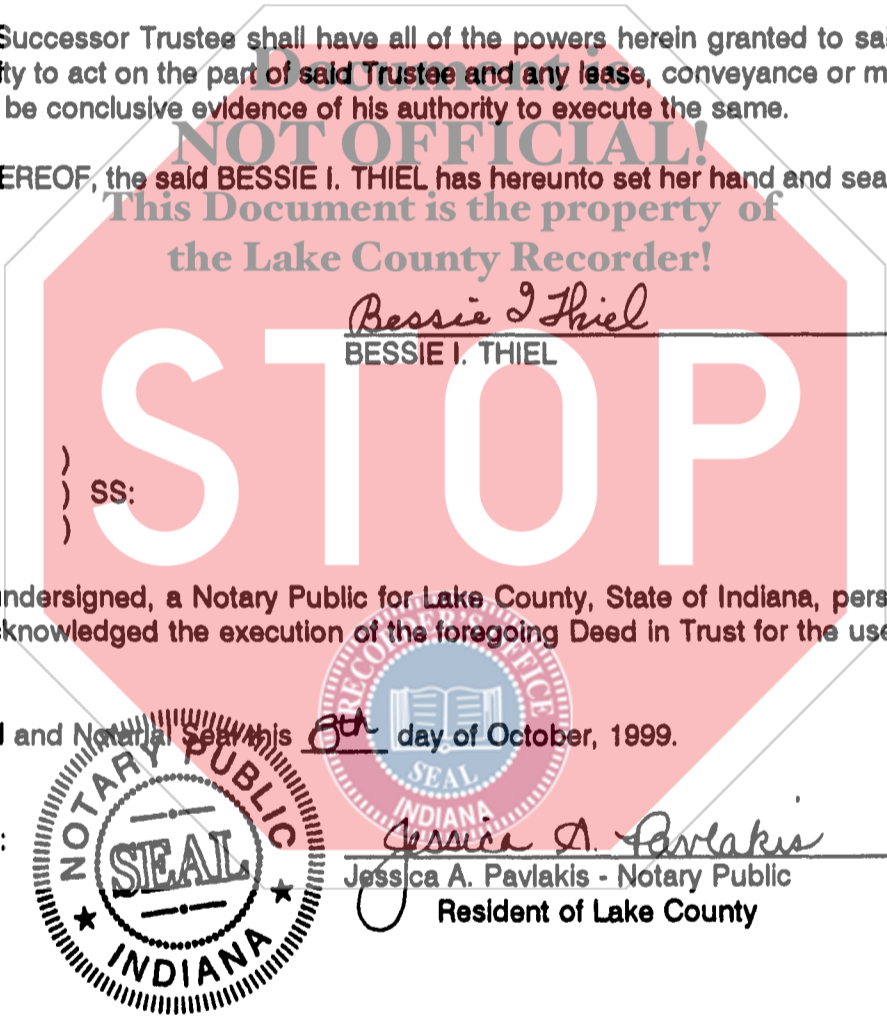
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d. If the conveyance is made to a successor or successors in trust, that such successor or successors in trust have been properly appointed and are fully vested with all the title, estate, rights, powers, authorities, duties, and obligations of its, his or their predecessor in trust.

The interest of each and every beneficiary hereunder and of all persons claiming under them or any of them shall be only in the earnings avails and proceeds arising from the sale or other disposition of said real estate, and such interest is hereby declared to be personal property, and no beneficiary hereunder shall have any title or interest, legal or equitable in or to said real estate as such but only an interest in the earnings, avails and proceeds thereof as aforesaid.

My duly named Successor Trustee shall have all of the powers herein granted to said Trustee in the absence, death or inability to act on the part of said Trustee and any lease, conveyance or mortgage by such Successor Trustee shall be conclusive evidence of his authority to execute the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said BESSIE I. THIEL has hereunto set her hand and seal this 8th day of October, 1999.



Bessie I Thiel
BESSIE I. THIEL

STATE OF INDIANA)
) SS:
COUNTY OF LAKE)

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public for Lake County, State of Indiana, personally appeared BESSIE I. THIEL and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing Deed in Trust for the uses and purposes herein set forth.

Witness my hand and Notary Seal this 8th day of October, 1999.

My Commission Expires:
09/13/2001



Jessica A. Pavlakis
Jessica A. Pavlakis - Notary Public
Resident of Lake County

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