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WHEREAS WILSON, HOSEA did the 16th day of March, 1999 produced to the undersigned, PETER BENJAMIN Auditor of the County of LAKE in the State of Indiana, a certificate of sale dated the 18th day of September, 1997, signed by SAM ORLICH who, at the date of sale, was Auditor of the County, from which it appears that WILSON, HOSEA on the 18th day of September, 1997, purchased at public auction, held pursuant to law, the real property described in this indenture for the sum of (\$493.85) FOUR HUNDRED NINETY-THREE AND 85/100 DOLLARS, being the amount due on the following tracts of land returned delinquent in the name DAVIS JAMES E for 1996 and prior years, namely:

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Such real property have 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 WILSON, HOSEA are 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 WILSON, HOSEA have 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 have been duly assessed and properly charged on the duplicate with the taxes and special assessments for 1996 and prior years:

THEREFORE, this indenture, made this 16th day of March, 1999 between the State of Indiana by PETER BENJAMIN. Auditor of LAKE County, of the first part, and WILSON, HOSEA of the second part, witnesseth; That the party of the first part, for and in consideration of the premises, have granted and bargained and sold to the party of the second part, their 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, PETER BENJAMIN, Auditor of LAKE County, have hereunto set his hand, and affixed the seal of the Board of County Commissioners, the day and year last above mentioned.

Attest: PEGGY KATONA Treasurer: LAKE County

State OF INDIANA

**County OF LAKE** 

TER BENJAMIN, Auditor of LAKE County

Before me, the undersigned, ANNA N ANTON, in and for said County, this day, personally came the above named PETER BENJAMIN, Auditor of said County, and acknowledged that he 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 3 day of Occasion

This instrument prepared by Lee J. Christakis, Attorney

7870 Broadway - Suite G Merrillville, IN 46410

Post Office address of grantee:

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PETER BENJAMIN LAKE COUNTY AUDITOR

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