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TAX DEFINECCEDER

WHEREAS VINCENT BURLESON did the 31st day of October, 2005 produce to the undersigned, PEGGY KATONA, Auditor of the County of Lake in the State of Indiana, a certificate of sale dated the 02nd day of February, 2005, signed by STEPHEN R. STIGLICH who, at the date of sale, was Auditor of the County, from which it appears that VINCENT BURLESON on the 02nd day of February, 2005purchased at public auction, held pursuant to law, the real property described in this indenture for the sum of \$5,400.00 (Five Thousand Four Hundred Dollars and 00/100), being the amount due on the following tracts of land returned delinquent in the name James K Harper for 2002 and prior years, namely:

25-44-0003-0017

COMMON ADDRESS: 836 HARRISON ST. GARY IN. 46402

GARY LAND CO'S. 1ST SUB. ALL L.17 BL.3

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 VINCENT BURLESON 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 VINCENT BURLESON 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 2002 and prior years. This Document is the property of

THEREFORE, this indenture, made this 31st day of October, 2005 between the State of Indiana by STEPHEN R. STIGLICH, Auditor of Lake County, of the first part, and VINCENT BURLESON 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, 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, PEGGY KATONA, 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.

test: John Petalas Treasurer: Lake County

State OF INDIANA

County OF Lake

Before me, the undersigned, THOMAS R. PHILPOT, in and for said County, this day, personally came the above named PEGGY KATONA, 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 35

This instrument prepared by

PEGGY KATONA, Auditor

Post Office address of grantee: VINCENT BURLESON

1300 NOBLE ST.

GARY IN. 46404

PEGGY HOLINGA KATONA LAKE COUNTY AUDITOR

FEB 13 2006

FINAL ACCEPTANCE FOR TRANSFER

Prescribed by the State Board of Accounts (2005)

County form 170

Declaration

This form is to be signed by the preparer of a document and recorded with each document in accordance with IC 36-2-7.5-5(a).

I, the undersigned preparer of the attached document, in accordance with IC 36-2-7.5, do herby affirm under the penalties of perjury:

- 1. I have reviewed the attached document for the purpose of identifying and, to the extent permitted by law, redacting all Social Security number in attached document.
- 2. I have redacted, to the extent permitted by law, each Social Security number in the attached document.

I, undersigned, affirm under the penalties of perjury, that the foregoing declarations are true.

Signature of Declarant

Printed Name of Declarant