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NORTH CAROLINA) DECLARAT

FORSYTH COUNTY

DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS FOR SHERWOOD POREST, SECTION XVI, PHASE 4

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that this Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for Sherwood Forest, Section XVI, Phase 4, is made and entered into as of the loth day of September, 1995, by PENNSTON CORP., a North Carolina corporation having its principal place of business in Forsyth County, owner of Lots 10, 12, and 21; STEVEN B. WIGGS and Wife, MARY-ANN WIGGS, owners of Lot 11; DAVID WAYNE LEEDS and wife, LOIS GRAVEL LEEDS, owners of Lot 13; WALLACE C. WU and wife, MONA W. WU, owners of Lot 14; PHILLIP M. WILLIFORD and wife, SUSAN S. WILLIFORD, owners of Lot 15; KEVIN RONALD WOOD and wife, EMILY SUSAN WOOD, owners of Lot 16; C. JAY SCHAFER and wife, CYNTHIA L. SCHAFER, owners of Lot 17; JOLLEY AND SON BUILDERS, INC., a North Carolina corporation having its principal place of business in Forsyth County, owner of Lot 18; MICHAEL J. VARGO and wife, ANGELA D. VARGO, owners of Lot 19; and PETER K. DAVIS and wife, BETSY H. DAVIS, owners of Lot 20 (hereinafter collectively referred to as "Owners"), and THE SHERWOOD COMPANY, a North Carolina general partnership with its principal place of business in Forsyth County (hereinafter referred to as "Developer");

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Owners are the holders of fee title to the real
property described as follows:

BEING KNOWN AND DESIGNATED as Lots 10 through 21, inclusive, as shown on the map of SHERWOOD FOREST, SECTION XVI, PHASE 4, which map is recorded in Plat Book 36, Page 140, in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Forsyth County, North Carolina, reference to which map is hereby made for a more particular description.

and the real property hereinabove described (hereinafter referred to as the "Property") is subject to those Restrictive Covenants for Sherwood Forest, Section XVI, Phase 4, as recorded in the Porsyth County Registry in Book 1786 at page 757; and

WHEREAS, in addition Owners desire to submit the Property to the provisions, terms and conditions of the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for Sherwood Forest, Section XVII, dated June 29, 1995, (hereinafter referred to as the "Declaration") and recorded June 30, 1995, in the Forsyth County Registry in Book 1862 at page 4210; and

pursuant to Article V, Section 4, Declaration, additional real property may be annexed by the Developer; and

WHEREAS, the Developer is willing to, desirous of and joins herein with the Owners for the purpose of subjecting the Property to the terms, conditions and provisions of the Declaration, so that such Property shall be governed by all of the covenants, conditions, restrictions, rights and obligations contained or mentioned in the Declaration, with the Owners, their successors and assigns;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and the benefits accruing to the Owners, Developer and subsequent purchasers of any portion(s) of the Property, the Owners specifically declare that the Property is and shall be held, transferred, sold, conveyed and occupied subject to and governed by all the terms and provisions of the covenants, conditions, restrictions, rights and obligations contained in the Declaration and any amendment thereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Owners and Developer have caused this Supplement to the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions to be executed as of the day and year first above written.

OWNERS:

PENNSTON CORP.

Secretary

JOLLEY AND SON BUILDERS, INC.

By: Dif Golley Its PRESIDENT

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NORTH CAROLINA, FORSYTH COUNTY:

I, Lane Young County, North Carolina, certify that Lewis E. Hubbard personally came before me this day and acknowledged that he is Secretary of BRH, INC., a North Carolina corporation, and that by authority duly given and as the act of the corporation, the foregoing instrument was signed in its name by its President , sealed with its corporate seal and attested by him as its Secretary. Witness my hand and official stamp or seal, this Secretary. Witness my hand and official stamp or seal, this Secretary. November November Notary Public	
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MAILTO: BRUCE HUBBARD
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NORTH CAROLINA FORSYTH COUNTY

DECLARATION OF COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS FOR SHERWOOD FOREST, SECTION 17

THIS DECLARATION, made on the __29th_ day of __June _____, 1995, by THE SHERWOOD COMPANY, A North Carolina General Partnership (hereinafter referred to as "Declarant");

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Declarant is the owner of certain land in or near the City of Winston-Salem, County of Forsyth, State of North Carolina, which is more particularly described on the map entitled

"Sherwood Forest, Section 17 " recorded in Plat Book 38 at page 87 , Forsyth County Registry of Deeds.

WHEREAS, Declarant proposes to develop said land into a subdivision consisting of lots for sale and therefore desires to subject said land to this Declaration:

NOW, THEREFORE, Declarant hereby declares that all of the land described above shall be held, sold and conveyed subject to the following easements, restrictions, covenants, and conditions, which are for the purpose of protecting the value and desirability of, and which shall run with, the real property and be binding on all parties having any right, title or interest in the described properties or any part thereof, their heirs, successors and assigns, and shall inure to the benefit of each owner thereof.

ARTICLE I DEFINITIONS

Section 1. "Association" shall mean and refer to S. F. Association, Inc., its successors and assigns.

Section 2. "Owner" shall mean and refer to the record owner, whether one or more persons or entities, of fee simple title to any lot which is a part of the Properties, including contract sellers, but excluding those having such interest merely as security for the performance of an obligation.

Section 3. "Properties" shall mean and refer to that certain real property hereinbefore described.

Section 4. "Lot" shall mean and refer to any lot designated by number on the recorded subdivision map of the Properties referred to above or any subsequently recorded subdivision map of the Properties referring to this Declaration as the same may be amended from time to time.

Section 5. "Declarant" shall mean and refer to The Sherwood Company, its successors or assigns.

Section 6. "Member" shall mean and refer to every person or entity who holds membership in the Association.

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ARTICLE II MEMBERSHIP AND VOTING RIGHTS

- Section 1. <u>Membership</u>. Every owner of a Lot which is subject to assessment shall be a Member of the Association. Membership shall be appurtenant to and may not be separated from ownership of any Lot which is subject to assessment. Declarant shall be a member of the Association by virtue of ownership of any lot, whether subject to assessment or not.
- Section 2. <u>Membership Classes</u>. The Association shall have two classes of voting membership:
 - Class A. Class A Members shall be all Owners with the exception of the Declarant and shall be entitled to one vote for each Lot owned. When more than one person holds an interest in any Lot, all such persons shall be Members. The vote for such Lot shall be exercised as they among themselves determine, but in no event shall more than one vote be cast with respect to any Lot.
 - <u>Class B</u>. The Class B Member(s) shall be the Declarant and shall be entitled to three (3) votes for each Lot owned. The Class B membership shall cease and be converted to Class A membership on the happening of either of the following events, whichever occurs earlier:
 - (a) when the total votes outstanding in Class A membership equal the total votes outstanding in Class B membership, but provided that the Class B membership shall be reinstated if thereafter, and before the time stated in Subparagraph (b) below, additional lands are annexed to the Properties and as the result of such annexation, the Declarant, and its successors and assigns, own more than one-fourth (1/4) of the total Lots subject to this Declaration.
 - (b) on December 31, 2004, or at such earlier time as Declarant shall choose to convert his membership to Class A.

ARTICLE III COVENANT FOR MAINTENANCE ASSESSMENTS

Section 1. <u>Creation of the Lien and Personal Obligation of Assessments</u>. The owner of a Lot, by acceptance of a deed therefor, whether or not it shall be so expressed in such deed, shall be deemed to covenant and agree to pay to the Association:

(1) annual assessments or charges which are common expenses;

(2) special assessments for capital improvements, such assessments

(2) special assessments for capital improvements, such assessments to be established and collected as hereinafter provided; and

(3) the annual and special assessments, together with such interest thereon and costs of collection thereof, as hereinafter provided, shall be a charge on the land and shall be a continuing lien upon the property against which each such assessment is made. Each such assessment, together with such interest, costs, and reasonable attorney's fees shall also be the personal obligation of the person who was the Owner of such property at the time when the assessment fell due and shall not pass to his successors in title as a personal obligation unless expressly assumed by them, regardless of the fact that it is a lien on the property purchased.

Section 2. Purpose of Assessments. The assessments levied by the Association shall be used exclusively to promote the health, safety and welfare of the residents of the Properties, to maintain and operate the decorative street lighting, entrance landscaping, and improvements and private roadways, if any as herein provided and to administer the Association's affairs, such uses to include (but not be limited to) the cost of repairs, replacements and additions to the decorative street lighting and entrance landscaping, private roadways, if any, and improvements, the cost of labor, equipment and materials related to their operation, the cost of management and supervision of the Association's affairs, the employment of agents, attorneys, accountants, consultants and others to represent, advise or assist the Association when necessary, and such other needs as may arise.

Section 3. Maximum Annual Assessment. The first year the annual assessment shall be one hundred ninety (\$190.00) dollars per Lot. Thereafter, such assessment shall be established (and increased or decreased from time to time) by the Board of Directors of the Association.

The Board of Directors, may without the approval of the membership, increase the annual assessment by an amount not to exceed 10% of the maximum assessment of the previous year. Any increase in excess of the 10% must be approved by two-thirds (2/3) vote of each class of membership voting in person or by proxy at a meeting duly called for this purpose.

Section 4. <u>Special Assessments for Capital Improvements</u>. In addition to the annual assessments authorized above, the Association may levy, in any assessment year, a special assessment applicable to that year only for the purpose of defraying, in whole or in part, the cost of any construction, reconstruction, repair or replacement of a capital improvement related to decorative street lighting and entrance landscaping, and improvements, and private roadways, if any, including fixtures and personal property related thereto. If any such assessment exceeds fifty dollars (\$50.00) per Lot, then such assessment shall have the assent of a majority of the votes of each class of Members who are voting in person or by proxy at a meeting duly called for this purpose; otherwise, such assessment shall be approved by the Board of Directors of the Association without a vote of the membership.

Section 5. Notice and Quorum for Any Action Authorized Under Section 4. Written notice of any meeting called for the purpose of taking any action authorized under Section 4 of this Article shall be sent to all Members not less than 10 days nor more than 50 days in advance of the meeting. At the first such meeting called, the presence of Member of proxies entitled to cast fifty percent (50%) of all the votes of each class of membership shall constitute a quorum. If the required quorum is not present, another meeting may be called subject to the same notice requirement, and the required quorum at the subsequent meeting shall be one-half (1/2) of the required quorum at the preceding meeting. No such subsequent meeting shall be held more than 50 days following the preceding meeting.

Section 6. <u>Assessment Rate</u>. Both annual and special assessments must be fixed at a uniform rate for all Lots; provided, however, that Lots owned by Declarant shall not be subject to annual or special assessments.

Section 7. Date of Commencement of Annual Assessments: Due Date. The annual assessments provided for herein shall commence as to all Lots on the first day of the month following the installation of decorative street lights. The first annual assessment shall be adjusted according to the number of months remaining in the calendar year. The Board of Directors shall fix the amount of the annual assessment against each Lot at least thirty (30) days in advance of each annual assessment period. Written notice of the annual assessment shall be sent to every Owner subject thereto. The due dates shall be established by the Board of Directors. The Association shall, upon demand, and for a reasonable charge, furnish a certificate signed by an officer of the Association setting forth whether the assessments on a specified Lot have been paid, and if not, the amount due.

Section 8. <u>Effect of Nonpayment of Assessments: Remedies of the Association</u>. Any assessments not paid within thirty (30) days after the due date shall bear interest from the due date at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum. The Association may bring an action at law against the Owner personally obligated to pay the same, or foreclose the lien against the property. No Owner may waive or otherwise escape liability for the assessments provided for herein by non-use of the Association's property or abandonment of his Lot.

Section 9. <u>Subordination of the Lien to Mortgages and Ad Valorem Taxes</u>. The lien of the assessments provided for herein shall be subordinate to the lien of any first mortgage (the term "mortgage" shall include a deed of trust) and ad valorem taxes. Sale or transfer of any Lot shall not affect the assessment lien. However, the sale or transfer of any Lot pursuant to foreclosure of a first mortgage or foreclosure of a tax lien or any proceeding in lieu thereof, shall extinguish the lien of such assessments as to payments which became due prior to such sale or transfer. No sale

or transfer shall relieve such Lot from liability for any assessments thereafter becoming due or from the lien thereof.

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Section 10. Exempt Property. All properties dedicated to, and accepted by, a local public authority and all properties owned by charitable or nonprofit organization exempt from taxation by the laws of the State of North Carolina shall be exempt from the assessments created herein. However, no land or improvements devoted to dwelling use shall be exempt from said assessments.

ARTICLE IV EASEMENTS

Declarant hereby reserves an easement over the lots subjected to this Declaration for itself and the Association, their successors and assigns for the purpose of installation, maintenance and operation of decorative street lighting and entrance landscaping and improvements. The location of the easement shall be determined by the initial placement of the entrance landscaping, decorative street light poles and electrical lines. The easement shall be five (5) feet on either side of the street light poles and electrical lines, and five (5) feet around the perimeter of the entranceway improvements.

ARTICLE V MISCELLANEOUS

Section 1. <u>Enforcement</u>. The Association, or any Owner, shall have the right to enforce by any proceeding at law or in equity all restrictions, conditions, covenants, reservations, liens and charges now or hereafter imposed by the provisions of this Declaration. Failure by the Association or by any Owner to enforce any covenant or restrictions herein contained shall in no event be deemed a waiver of the right to do so thereafter.

Section 2. <u>Severability</u>. Invalidation of any one of these covenants or restrictions by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any provisions which shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 3. Amendment. The covenants and restrictions of this Declaration shall run with and bind the land, for a term of twenty (20) years from the date this Declaration is recorded, after which time they shall be automatically extended for successive periods of ten (10) years. This Declaration may be amended with the affirmative written consent of two-thirds (2/3) of the votes of each class of members. Such amendment shall be executed by the Association, shall contain a certification by an officer of the Association that two-thirds (2/3) of each class of members have consented to such amendment in writing, shall refer to the volume and page in which this instrument (and any Supplemental Declaration) is recorded and shall become effective upon recordation. Provided, however, the foregoing provisions shall not

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prohibit the Declarant from annexing additional properties as provided for in Section 4, Article V.

Section 4. <u>Annexation</u>. Declarant reserves the right to annex additional parcels of land contiguous to the Properties and any future phases without the consent of the members.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the President of the Declarant corporation, has caused this Declaration to be executed by its duly authorized officers with corporate seal affixed hereunto, all as of the day and year first above written.

THE SHERWOOD COMPANY

By BRH, INC., General Partner (SEAL) ဖွာ Président 3 Secretary STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA - COUNTY OF FORSYTH June , 19 95 , personally came before me, , a Notary Public, Lewis E. Hubbard THIS, the 29th day of June Lane Young who being by me duly sworn, says that he knows the Common Seal of BRH, INC., a North Carolina corporation, which is a General Partner in THE SHERWOOD COMPANY, a North Carolina General Partnership, and is acquainted with Bruce R. Hubbard who is the -- President of said corporation, and he, the said Lewis E. Hubbard President of the corporation sign the foregoing instrument and saw the Said of said corporation affixed to said instrument by said —— President, and that he, the said Lewis E. Hubbard _____, signed his name in attestation of the execution of said instrument in the presence of said ____President of said corporation; and said instrument is executed for and on behalf of said Partnership. ITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal, this the 29th day of June Notary Public My Commissible Singres: 9/28/96 CAPOLENA - COUNTY OF FORSYTH convect. This, the 30 day of young np. Dovidson (4), And 4:42 day of June , 1995. L. E. SPEAS, REGISTER OF DEEDS - -N bounkedill Deputy - Assistant Probate and Piling Pee \$ 18 CC.