THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THEX CITY OF BAY MINETTE, BALDWIN

COUNTY, ALABAMA, X IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

Condemnor, X BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

vs. X AT LAW

ALBERTA ASKEW THOMAS, X CASE NO. 8981

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This cause having been appealed, in the manner provided by law, from the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, came on to be heard, by trial de novo, in this Court on this day; and on this date, came the parties to this cause by their attorneys; and the Court having heard and considered the same, is of the opinion that the petition of The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, a body corporation, the Plaintiff in this cause, for the condemnation of the property described in Paragraph 3 of said petition should be granted and that The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, a body corporation has the legal right to condemn said property for the purposes and uses stated in said petition.

It is, therefore, ORDERED and ADJUDGED by the Court and it is the judgment of the Court, that The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, a body corporation, has the legal right to condemn the following described property for use as an Urban Renewal Development, to-wit:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, Section 16, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, which point is also the Southeast corner of Lot 16, Russell's Addition to Douglasville (an unrecorded plat), thence run West along the South line of Section 16, 660 feet, more or less to the Southwest corner of said Lot 16, thence North 00° 09' East 500 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning (Northwest corner of Public Housing Project), thence continue North 00° 09' East 167 feet to a point; thence run East 220 feet; thence run South 167 feet to the North line of said Project, thence run West 220 feet along the North line of said Housing Project to the point of beginning.

It is further ORDERED and ADJUDGED by the Court, and it is the judgment of the Court, that the application and petition of The HousingAuthority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, a body corporation, is this cause for the condemnation of the land and property hereinabove described shall be, and is hereby granted; and said property and land hereinabove described is hereby condemned for the uses and purposes hereinabove stated, upon the payment into the Court of the compensation and damages assessed by the jury in this cause in the amount of THREE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED (\$3,200.00) DOLLARS, and the costs of this cause, which is taxed against the Plaintiff, The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, a body corporation.

And a jury having been demanded for the trial of this cause, the Court did thereupon proceed to have assessed by a jury the damages and compensation to which the Defendant is entitled for the condemnation of the above described lands and property for the uses and purposes hereinabove described.

Thereupon, on this the 16th day of March, 1970, came a jury of good and lawful men, to-wit: Lamar Norell, and eleven others, and having been duly impaneled and sworn according to law, upon their oaths do say: "We the jury find in favor of the landowner, and assess the damages at \$3,200.00.

It is therefore, ORDERED and ADJUDGED by the Court and it is the judgment of the Court, that the Defendant have and recover of the Plaintiff, The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, a body corporation, the sum of THREE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED (\$3,200.00) DOLLARS, the damages and compensation assessed as aforesaid, together with the costs in this behalf expended, for which execution may issue.

It is further ORDERED and ADJUDGED and it is the judgment of the Court, that when the damages and compensation assessed by the jury, judgment for which is hereinabove entered, is paid into the hands of the Clerk of this Court, or collected by execution or otherwise, the Clerk shall retain said funds in her hands, subject to the terms and provision of Section 26, Title 19, 1940 Alabama Code.

It is further ORDERED and ADJUDGED, and it is the judgment of the Court, that this order and judgment of condemnation won the payment of the sum ascertained and assessed by the verdict of the jury in this cause into the hands of the Clerk of this Court, and the costs of this cause, shall vest the title to be acquired for the uses and purposes stated in the application of The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, a body corporation, and for no other uses and purposes, as is provided by law.

It is further ordered and adjudged, and it is the judgment of the Court, that the Clerk shall record this judgment and decree in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Baldwin County, Alabama, in the deed records thereof and the costs thereof be taxed as part of the costs of this cause.

Done this the 16th day of March, 1970.

Jelfer J. Maghburn, Circuit Judge

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#### PETITION OF CONDEMNATION

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and files this, its application in the Probate Court of Baldwin
County, Alabama, for an Order of Condemnation to acquire and obtain
the fee simple title to the lands hereinafter described and as a
basis for the relief sought, respectfully shows unto the Court as
follows:

- 1. Your Petitioner is a duly constituted Housing Authority organized, existing, and acting under the provision of Chapter 2 of Title 25, Code of Alabama of 1940, and is authorized thereby and under and by virtue of Act No. 491 of the General Acts of Alabama 1949, and Chapter 1 of Title 19, Code of Alabama of 1940, and by the Constitution of Alabama to institute and prosecute this proceedings and to acquire the lands hereinafter described for the purposes stated.
- 2. At a special meeting of The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, duly and regularly held on February 26, 1969, a resolution was duly and legally held adopted by the Commissioners of said Authority finding and determined that the acquisition of the hereinafter described lands, and other lands, is in the public interest and necessary for public use for the uses and purposes set out in and authorized by Act No. 491 of the General Acts of Alabama of 1949, and by the provisions of Title 42, U.S.C.A. Sections 1401-1435, and 1441-1460 as amended, in connection with the carrying out of an urban renewal or redevelopment project known as the Neighborhood Development Program, Project #A-1 according to a redevelopment plan proviously duly and legally

adopted and approved by your Petitioner and by the governing body of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, as by law required. A true and correct copy of said resolution is attached hereto marked Exhibit "A" with leave herein prayed to refer to the same as often as may be necessary.

3. That the parcels of land necessary for public use and the uses and purposes as set forth herein and is authorized as herein set forth above which the Petitioner seeks to condemn are set out and described as follows:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, Section 16, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, which point is also the Southeast corner of Lot 16, Russell's Addition to Douglasville (an unrecorded plat), thence run West along the South line of Section 16, 660 feet, more or less to the Southwest corner of said Lot 16, thence North 00° 09' East 500 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning (Northwest corner of Public Housing Project), thence sontinue North 00° 09' East 167 feet to a point; thence run East 220 feet; thence run South 167 feet to the North line of said project, thence run West 220 feet along the North line of said Housing Project to thepoint of beginning.

4. That Petitioner further shows that diligent search has been made of the records of Baldwin County, Alabama, and diligent inquiry made to ascertain the names, ages, and places of residence of the parties owning or claiming some right, title or interest in the said lands, and according to the best of Petitioner's information, knowledge, and belief, the said lands are owned or some right, title or interest is claimed by the persons andparties as are named as Defendants in this cause and set forth in Paragraph 3 above, and described herein, and that all of said parties and persons named as owners, lienholders and claimants are over the age of twenty-one years and are under no legal disability unless and except as stated under each separate parcel described herein and that each of said Defendants own or claim said property, or some right, title or interest therein.

- 5. That Petitioner further shows that it has made bona fide efforts to agree with the parties owning or claiming some right, title or interest in each of said tracts of land described in said Paragraph 3 above, described herein as to the fair and reasonable market value of said property and compensation to be allowed and paid to them for their interests in said lands to be condemned hereby, and that it has failed to come to any such agreement with all of said parties, or that the title to such tract or parcel of land was such that it could not be acquired by direct purchase, and that your Petitioner has heretofore taken all steps necessary and all proceedings required by law necessary to initiate these proceedings.
- 6. Your Petitioner alleges that it seeks to condemn the fee simple title to said lands hereinabove described by acquiring all the right, title and interest in and to said property hereinabove described now owned by the persons or parties herein made Defendants, together with any other parties or party herein made Defendants, together with any other party or parties claiming to hold any right, title, or interest therein or to hold any lien against said property hereinabove described for the purpose of carrying out an urban renewal or redevelopment project known as the Neighborhood Development Program, Project #A-1, and which said lands when condemned will be devoted to the uses and purposes authorized by the statutes and acts hereinabove set out for which purposes your Petitioner has already acquired title or options to purchase other property in the immediate vicinity necessary to complete this project, and that the tracts of land described herein cannot be acquired as set forth above, and that said tracts are necessary to complete this project, and the Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, did heretofore, at the meeting held on February 26, 1969 aforesaid adopted a resolution authorizing the acquisition of the tracts referred to

above by condemnation proceedings and its Executive Director has instructed and authorized Harry J. Wilters, Jr., as Attorney for the Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama to institute and prosecute such proceedings for the condemnation of said tracts or any part thereof included in said project area where said Authority is unable to acquire the same by purchase or for title reasons. A copy of the resolution, properly certified thereto by the Secretary of The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette marked Exhibit "B" and made a part hereof with leave to refer to as often as may be necessary, and your Petitioner acknowledges itself as security for the costs of these proceedings.

THE PREMISES CONSIDERED, Petitioner prays that this Court will make and enter an order appointing a day for the hearing of this Petition, and that the Court give notice to the above Defendants who are residents of the State of Alabama by personal service, and to all other defendants in such form and manner as is required by law, and that the Court will appoint a guardian ad litem to represent the interest of anyminor Defendants, and that upon final hearing of this Petition that this Court will order and enter a decree that the hearing of this Petition, that this Court will order and enter a decree that the Petitioner is entitled to acquire the fee simple title to the lands herein for the purpose as set forth herein and will appoint Commissioners to ascertain and report the fair and reasonable market value and compensation to be allowed the Defendants as their interest may appear for such taking and that upon payment into Court of the fair and reasonable market value and compensation for such lands as assessed by the Commissioners, a judgment or decree be rendered vesting the fee simple title to the said lands free and clear of all liens and encumbrances, in The

Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama, a Corporation, and will make and enter in this cause all such other and further orders and decrees as may be necessary or proper in the premises.

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Harry 5. Wilters, Jr., Attorney for The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Harry J. Wilters, Jr., who, being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is attorney for the applicant, The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama, and has the authority to make this affidavit and to institute and prosecute the foregoing application for the condemnation of the lands, rights and interests therein described; that he has knowledge of the statements therein contained and that to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, such statements are true and correct as therein alleged.

Harry 6. Wilters, Jr., Attorney for The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama,

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Notary Public

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Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama, a Corporation, and will make and enter in this cause all such other and further orders and decrees as may be necessary or proper in the premises.

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Wilters, Jr., Attorney for the Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Harry J. Wilters, Jr., who, being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is attorney for the applicant, The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama, and has the authority to make this affidavit and to institute and prosecute the foregoing application for the condemnation of the lands, rights and interests therein described; that he has knowledge of the statements therein contained and that to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, such statements are true and correct as therein alleged.

> Wilters, Jr., Attorney for The Housing Authority of the City of

Bay Minette, Alabama,

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 2716 day \_\_\_\_\_, 1969,

THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THEY CITY OF BAY MINETTE, BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF

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VS.

CASE NO. 6625

ALBERTA ASKEW THOMAS,

Condemnee,

#### PETITION OF CONDEMNATION

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Now comes The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, a body corporation, as Petitioner, and files this, its application in the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, for an Order of Condemnation to acquire and obtain the fee simple title to the lands hereinafter described and as a basis for the relief sought, respectfully shows unto the Court as follows:

- 1. Your Petitioner is a duly constituted Housing Authority organized, existing, and acting under the provision of Chapter 2 of Title 25, Code of Alabama of 1940, and is authorized thereby and under and by virtue of Act No. 491 of the General Acts of Alabama 1949, and Chapter 1 of Title 19, Code of Alabama of 1940, and by the Constitution of Alabama to institute and prosecute this proceedings and to acquire the lands hereinafter described for the purposes stated.
- 2. At a special meeting of The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, duly and regularly held on February 26, 1969, a resolution was duly and legally held adopted by the Commissioners of said Authority finding and determined that the acquisition of the hereinafter described lands, and other lands, is in the public interest and necessary for public use for the uses and purposes set out in and authorized by Act No. 491 of the General Acts of Alabama of 1949, and by the provisions of Title 42, U.S.C.A. Sections 1401-1435, and 1441-1460 as amended, in connection with the carrying out of an urban renewal or redevelopment project known as the Neighborhood Development Program, Project WA-I according to a redevelopment plan proviously duly and legally

adopted and approved by your Petitioner and by the governing body of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, as by law required. A true and correct copy of said resolution is attached hereto marked Exhibit "A" with leave herein prayed to refer to the same as often as may be necessary.

3. That the parcels of land necessary for public use and the uses and purposes as set forth herein and is authorized as herein set forth above which the Petitioner seeks to condemn are set out and described as follows:

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A. That Petitioner further shows that diligent search has been made of the records of Baldwin County, Alabama, and diligent inquiry made to ascertain the names, ages, and places of residence of the parties owning or claiming some right, title or interest in the said lands, and according to the best of Petitioner's information, knowledge, and belief, the said lands are owned or some right, title or interest is claimed by the persons andparties as are named as Defendants in this cause and set forth in Paragraph 3 above, and described herein, and that all of said parties and persons named as owners, lienholders and claimants are over the age of twenty-one years and are under no legal disability unless and except as stated under each separate parcel described herein and that each of said Defendants own or claim said property, or some right, title or interest therein.

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THE PREMISES CONSIDERED, Petitioner prays that this Court will make and enter an order appointing a day for the hearing of this Petition, and that the Court give notice to the above Defendants who are residents of the State of Alabama by personal service, and to all other defendants in such form and manner as is required by law, and that the Court will appoint a guardian ad litem to represent the interest of anyminor Defendants, and that upon final bearing of this Petition that this Court will order and enter a decree that the hearing of this Petition, that this Court will order and enter a decree that the Petitioner is entitled to acquire the fee simple title to the lands herein for the purpose as set forth herein and will appoint Commissioners to ascertain and report the fair and reasonable market value and compensation to be allowed the Defendants as their interest may appear for such taking and that upon payment into Court of the fair and reasonable market value and compensation for such lands as assessed by the Commissioners, a judgment or decree be rendered vesting the fee simple title to the said lands free and clear of all liens and encumbrances, in The

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> harry J. Wilters, Jr. Attorney for The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama,

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 27% day , 1969.

THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THEX CITY OF BAY MINETTE, BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF

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CASE NO. 6625

ALBERTA ASKEW THOMAS,

NOTICE

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TO: ALBERTA ASKEW THOMAS

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that an application was filed in this Court by The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama, alleging that it desires to have condemned certain parcels of land set out and described as follows:

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And the application prays that a day be appointed for the hearing thereof and for such further, other and different orders and decrees as may be necessary and proper for the acquisition by the Applicant.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU that the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, has, appointed the 1/th day of 1969, at 9:30 A.M. as the day and time upon which said application will be heard, at which time you may appear and contest the same, if you choose to do so.

Done this 27th day of

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Probate Judge, Baldwin County, Alabama

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WHEREAS, said Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, by its order and decree made on the 11th day of September, 1969, has granted said Petition and has appointed you Commissioners to assess the damages and compensation to which said alleged owners of each of said tracts of land described hereto are entitled, on account of the condemnation of said lands for the purposes as set out in said Petition, which damages and compensation so awarded each owner shall be subject to all outstanding valid claims, liens, and leases.

NOW THEREFORE, these presents authorize and commission you to perform your duties as such Commissioners in the manner provided by law.

You are hereby directed, by this Commission, to be sworm as jurors are sworn under the laws of the State of Alabama, and you are further directed to file a certificate along with your award that neither of you have ever been consulted, advised or approached by any person with reference to the value of said lands described in said Petition referred to herein, or the proceedings to condemn the same, prior to the assessment of damages, and that you knew nothing of the same prior to your appointment.

You are further commissioned and directed, by these presents, to assess the damages and compensation to which the owners are entitled by reason of the taking and condemnation of said land as set forth in said Petition, and you may view the lands, and must receive all legal evidence offered by any parties touching the amount of damages the said owner will sustain the amount of compensation to be awarded to the said owner, in fixing the amount to be awarded the owner for lands taken for this use.

You are further directed, within twenty days from the date of this Commission, to make and file in this Court a report, in writing, of the amount of damages and compensation ascertained and assessed by you for the said owner of said tracts of land.

Done this the  $297^{\circ}$  day of September, 1969.

Probate Judge/ Baldwin County, Alabama

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Probate Judge, Baldwin County, Alabama

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You are hereby directed, by this Commission, to be sworn as jurors are sworn under the laws of the State of Alabama, and you are further directed to file a certificate along with your award that neither of you have ever been consulted, advised or approached by any person with reference to the value of said lands described in said Petition referred to herein, or the proceedings to condemn the same, prior to the assessment of damages, and that you knew nothing of the same prior to your appointment.

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You are further directed, within twenty days from the date of this Commission, to make and file in this Court a report, in writing, of the amount of damages and compensation ascertained and assessed by you for the said owner of said tracts of land.

Done this the 29th day of September, 1969.

Probate Judge / Baldwin County, Alabama

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NOW THEREFORE, these presents authorize and commission you to perform your duties as such Commissioners in the manner provided by law.

You are hereby directed, by this Commission, to be sworn as jurors are sworn under the laws of the State of Alabama, and you are further directed to file a certificate along with your award that neither of you have ever been consulted, advised or approached by any person with reference to the value of said lands described in said Petition referred to herein, or the proceedings to condemn the same, prior to the assessment of damages, and that you knew nothing of the same prior to your appointment.

You are further commissioned and directed, by these presents, to assess the damages and compensation to which the owners are entitled by reason of the taking and condemnation of said land as set forth in said Petition, and you may view the lands, and must receive all legal evidence offered by any parties touching the amount of damages the said owner will sustain the amount of compensation to be awarded to the said owner, in fixing the amount to be awarded the owner for lands taken for this use.

You are further directed, within twenty days from the date of this Commission, to make and file in this Court a report, in writing, of the amount of damages and compensation ascertained and assessed by you for the said owner of said tracts of land.

Done this the 291 day of September, 1969.

Probaté Judge/ Báldwin County, Alabama

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THE HOUSING BUTHORITY OF THE

CITY OF BAY MINETTE, BALDWIN
COUNTY, ALABAMA, X IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

VS. X BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

VS. X AT LAW

CASE NO. 8981

# DECREE

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This cause having been appealed, in the manner provided by law, from the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, came on to be heard, by trial de novo, in this Court on this day; and on this date, came the parties to this cause by their attorneys; and the Court having heard and considered the same, is of the opinion that the petition of The Housing Authority of the City of Bay and this cause, for the condemnation of the property described in this cause, for the condemnation of the property described in paragraph 3 of said petition should be granted and that The Housing Paragraph 3 of said petition should be granted and that The Housing

It is the judgment of the Court, that The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, a body corporation, has the legal right to condemn the following described property for use as an Urban Renewal Development, to-wit:

body corporation has the legal right to condemn said property for

the purposes and uses stated in said petition.

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is the judgment of the Court, that the application and petition of the judgment of the Court, that the application and petition of The Housinghuthority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, a body corporation, in this cause for the condemnation of the land and property hereinabove described shall be, and is hereby granted; and property and land hereinabove described is hereby condemned for the uses and purposes hereinabove stated, upon the payment into the Court of the compensation and damages assessed by the jury in this cause in the amount of THREE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED (\$3,200.00) DOLLARS, and the costs of this cause, which is taxed against the Plaintiff, The Housing Authority of the City of Bay wheelte, Baldwin County, Alabama, a body corporation.

And a jury having been demanded for the trial of this cause, the Court did thereupon proceed to have assessed by a jury the damages and compensation to which the Defendant is entitled for the condemnation of the above described lands and property for the uses and purposes hereinabove described.

Thereupon, on this the leth day of March, 1970, came a jury of good and lawful men, to-wit: Lamar Norell, and eleven others, and having been duly impaneled and sworn accordingto law, upon their oaths do say: "We the jury find in favor of the land-owner, and assess the damages at \$3,200.00.

It is therefore, ORDERED and ADJUDGED by the Court and is the judgment of the Court, that the Defendant have and recover of the Plaintiff, The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, a body corporation, the sum of THREE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED (\$3,200.00) DOLLARS, the damages and compensation assessed as aforesaid, together with the costs in this behalf expended, for which execution may issue.

It is further ORDERED and ADJUDGED and it is the judgment of the Court, that when the damages and compensation assessed by the jury, judgment for which is hereinabove entered, is paid into the hands of the Clerk of this Court, or collected by execution or otherwise, the Clerk shall retain said funds in her hands, subject to the terms and provision of Section 26, Title 19, 1940 Alabama Code.

It is further ORDERED and ADJUDGED, and it is the judgment of the Court, that this order and judgment of condemnation when the payment of the sum ascertained and assessed by the verdict of the jury in this cause into the hands of the Clerk of this Court, and the costs of this cause, shall vest the title to be acquired for the uses and purposes stated in the application of The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, a body corporation, and for no other uses and purposes, as is provided by law.

It is further ordered and adjudged, and it is the judgment of the Court, that the Clerk shall record this judgment and decree in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Baldwin County, Alabama, in the deed records thereof and the costs thereof be taxed as part of the costs of this cause.

Done this the 16th day of March, 1970.

/s/ Telfair J. Mashburn
Telfair J. Mashburn, Circuit Judge

Alice J. Duck, Register of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County;
Alabama, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the original decrea rendered by the Judge of the Circuit Court in above state excess, which said decrea is an file and earolled in my office.

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STATE OF ALABAMA.

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THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF BAY MINETTE, BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,	)	
Petitioner,	)	IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
VS.	)	BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
ALBERTA ASKEW THOMAS,	)	NO. 6625
Respondent.	)	

DECREE OR ORDER ON APPEAL

Notice of appeal in the above styled cause of action having been presented to the court, and the same being understood by the court, the appeal above prayed for is granted to the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama.

DATED this 7th day of November, 1969.

NOTICE OF APPEAL, DECREE THEREON AND SERVICE ON PARTIES

TO: The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama

You are hereby notified that the above notice of appeal was filed in the office of the Probate Judge, Baldwin County, Alabama on the  $7^{-1}$  day of November, 1969.

WITNESS my hand on this the 7th day of November, 1969.

Hours Doline
Probate Judge

Harry Doline
Probate Judge

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA, GREETINGS:

You are hereby commanded to serve the foregoing notice of appeal upon The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, and make due return to this court of such service.

DATED the 7th day of November, 1969.

Harry D'Oline
Probate Judge

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### NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Now comes the respondent in the above styled cause and prays for and takes an appeal to the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, from the final order and decree of condemnation rendered by the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, in the above styled cause on the day of day of particle, 1969, insofar as the said final order and decree of condemnation relates to the lands described in the petition and to Alberta Askew Thomas and as to the amount of damages or compensation awarded to Alberta Askew Thomas of the lands described in the original petition filed in this cause and as described in the final order or decree of condemnation rendered in this cause as referred to above, which land is described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 16, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, which point is also the Southeast corner of Lot 16, Russell's Addition to Douglasville; thence run West along the South line of Section 16, 660 feet, more or less, to the Southwest corner of said Lot 16; run thence North 0° 9' East 500 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning (Northwest corner of Public Housing Project), thence continue North 0° 9' East 167 feet to a point; thence run East 220 feet; thence run South 167 feet to the North line of said project; thence run West 220 feet along the North line of said Housing Project to the point of beginning.

Alberta Askew Thomas, the respondent, does herewith file in the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, the court rendering the final decree of condemnation, this, her written notice of appeal to the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama.

DATED the 11 day of November, 1969.

James R. Owen
Attorney for Respondent

The respondent demands a triol by jury of this cause.

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ALBERTA ASKEW THOMAS, X Condemnee, X

### PETITION OF CONDEMNATION

Now comes The Housing Authority of the City of Bay
Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, a body corporation, as Petitioner,
and files this, its application in the Probate Court of Baldwin
County, Alabama, for an Order of Condemnation to acquire and obtain
the fee simple title to the lands hereinafter described and as a
basis for the relief sought, respectfully shows unto the Court as
follows:

- 1. Your Petitioner is a duly constituted Housing Authority organized, existing, and acting under the provision of Chapter 2 of Title 25, Code of Alabama of 1940, and is authorized thereby and under and by virtue of Act No. 491 of the General Acts of Alabama 1949, and Chapter 1 of Title 19, Code of Alabama of 1940, and by the Constitution of Alabama to institute and prosecute this proceedings and to acquire the lands hereinafter described for the purposes stated.
- 2. At a special meeting of The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, duly and regularly held on February 26, 1969, a resolution was duly and legally held adopted by the Commissioners of said Authority finding and determined that the acquisition of the hereinafter described lands, and other lands, is in the public interest and necessary for public use for the uses and purposes set out in and authorized by Act No. 491 of the General Acts of Alabama of 1949, and by the provisions of Title 42, U.S.C.A. Sections 1401-1435, and 1441-1460 as amended, in connection with the carrying out of an urban renewal or redevelopment project known as the Neighborhood Development Program, Project #A-1 according to a redevelopment plan proviously duly and legally

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adopted and approved by your Petitioner and by the governing body of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, as by law required. A true and correct copy of said resolution is attached hereto marked Exhibit "A" with leave herein prayed to refer to the same as often as may be necessary.

3. That the parcels of land necessary for public use and the uses and purposes as set forth herein and is authorized as herein set forth above which the Petitioner seeks to condemn are set out and described as follows:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, Section 16, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, which point is also the Southeast corner of Lot 16, Russell's Addition to Douglasville (an unrecorded plat), thence run West along the South line of Section 16, 660 feet, more or less to the Southwest corner of said Lot 16, thence North 00° 09' East 500 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning (Northwest corner of Public Housing Project), thence continue North 00° 09' East 167 feet to a point; thence run East 220 feet; thence run South 167 feet to the North line of said project, thence run West 220 feet along the North line of said Housing Project to the point of beginning.

4. That Petitioner further shows that diligent search has been made of the records of Baldwin County, Alabama, and diligent inquiry made to ascertain the names, ages, and places of residence of the parties owning or claiming some right, title or interest in the said lands, and according to the best of Petitioner's information, knowledge, and belief, the said lands are owned or some right, title or interest is claimed by the persons andparties as are named as Defendants in this cause and set forth in Paragraph 3 above, and described herein, and that all of said parties and persons named as owners, lienholders and claimants are over the age of twenty-one years and are under no legal disability unless and except as stated under each separate parcel described herein and that each of said Defendants own or claim said property, or some right, title or interest therein.

- 5. That Petitioner further shows that it has made bona fide efforts to agree with the parties owning or claiming some right, title or interest in each of said tracts of land described in said Paragraph 3 above, described herein as to the fair and reasonable market value of said property and compensation to be allowed and paid to them for their interests in said lands to be condemned hereby, and that it has failed to come to any such agreement with all of said parties, or that the title to such tract or parcel of land was such that it could not be acquired by direct purchase, and that your Petitioner has heretofore taken all steps necessary and all proceedings required by law necessary to initiate these proceedings.
  - Your Petitioner alleges that it seeks to condemn the fee simple title to said lands hereinabove described by acquiring all the right, title and interest in and to said property hereinabove described now owned by the persons or parties herein made Defendants, together with any other parties or party herein made Defendants, together with any other party or parties claiming to hold any right, title, or interest therein or to hold any lien against said property hereinabove described for the purpose of carrying out an urban renewal or redevelopment project known as the Neighborhood Development Program, Project #A-1, and which said lands when condemned will be devoted to the uses and purposes authorized by the statutes and acts hereinabove set out for which purposes your Petitioner has already acquired title or options to purchase other property in the immediate vicinity necessary to complete this project, and that the tracts of land described herein cannot be acquired as set forth above, and that said tracts are necessary to complete this project, and the Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, did heretofore, at the meeting held on February 26, 1969 aforesaid adopted a resolution authorizing the acquisition of the tracts referred to

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above by condemnation proceedings and its Executive Director has instructed and authorized Harry J. Wilters, Jr., as Attorney for the Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama to institute and prosecute such proceedings for the condemnation of said tracts or any part thereof included in said project area where said Authority is unable to acquire the same by purchase or for title reasons. A copy of the resolution, properly certified thereto by the Secretary of The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette marked Exhibit "B" and made a part hereof with leave to refer to as often as may be necessary, and your Petitioner acknowledges itself as security for the costs of these proceedings.

THE PREMISES CONSIDERED, Petitioner prays that this Court will make and enter an order appointing a day for the hearing of this Petition, and that the Court give notice to the above Defendants who are residents of the State of Alabama by personal service, and to all other defendants in such form and manner as is required by law, and that the Court will appoint a guardian ad litem to represent the interest of any minor Defendants, and that upon final nearing of this Petition that this Court will order and enter a decree that the hearing of this Petition, that this Court will order and enter a decree that the Petitioner is entitled to acquire the tee simple title to the lands herein for the purpose as set forth herein and will appoint Commissioners to ascertain and report the fair and reasonable market value and compensation to be allowed the pefendants as their interest may appear for such taking and that pon payment into Court of the fair and reasonable market value and compensation for such lands as assessed by the Commissioners, a udgment or decree be rendered vesting the fee simple title to the said lands free and clear of all liens and encumbrances, in The

Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama, a Corporation, and will make and enter in this cause all such other and further orders and decrees as may be necessary or proper in the premises.

> THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF BAY MINETTE, a Corporation

Harry J. (Wilters, Jr., Attorney for The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Harry J. Wilters, Jr., who, being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is attorney for the applicant, The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama, and has the authority to make this affidavit and to institute and prosecute the foregoing application for the condemnation of the lands, rights and interests therein described; that he has knowledge of the statements therein contained and that to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, such statements are true and correct as therein alleged.

> Harry J. Wilters, Jr., Attorney for The Housing Authority of the City of

Bay Minette, Alabama,

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 27th day 

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## EXHIBIT "A"

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	EXTRACTS FROM THE MINUTES OF A SPECIAL	
	MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS	
	OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF	
	BAY MINETTE, ALABAMA	
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Present:

J. H. Faulkner, Chairman Harlan Page W. F. Thomas Emile Nassar Oswald Boykin

None Absent:

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1. To concur in prices to be off	ered for property in	
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- 2. To execute a Contract for Architectural Services with Dietz, Prince & Fischrupp Architects;
- 3. To transact any and all other business which may legally come before the meeting.

Dated this 21st day of February, 1969.

THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF BAY MINETTE, ALABAMA

BY: /s/ J. H. Faulkner
Chairman

I. Huston Carter , the dul	ly appointed, qualified and acting
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Bay Minette, Alabama	do hereby certify
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hereby accept service of the forego	ing NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING waiving
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	/s/ J. H. Faulkner
	/s/ Emile J. Nassar
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	/s/ W. F. Thomas

Be it resolved that the Commission of the Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama finds, determines and declares that the acquisition of the lands listed on the attached real estate appraisal tabulation and identified by parcel numbers which may be further identified by the land ownership map of the Urban Renewal Plan, is in the public interest and the acquisition is necessary for public use and for the uses and purposes set out in and authorized by the Code of Alabama of 1940 as amended, recompiled 1958 and as amended and by the provisions of Title 42, U.S.C.A. Sections 1401-1435, and 1441-1460 as amended and other sections as made and provided, in connection with the execution of the Urban Renewal Program known as Neighborhood Development Program, Project Number Alabama A-1, according to the plan previously duly and legally adopted and approved by the Commissioners of the Housing Authority at a special meeting on October 16, 1968 and by the governing body of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama in regular session on October 15, 1968 and that the Executive Director is hereby authorized to acquire these properties, except parcels numbered 3-3 and 3-4, at the price listed on the form

, read in full and considered:

moved that the fore-Commissioner Boykin going resolution be adopted as introduced and read, which motion was seconded by Commissioner Massar , and upon roll call the "Ayes" and "Nays" were as follows:

of the Urban Renewal Plan.

as the LPA's recommended price or at any lower price concurred in by the Regional Office of the Department of Housing and Urban Development bywhatever means he deems appropriate in order to carry out the orderly execution

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None

J. H. Faulkner Harlan Page W. F. Thomas Emile Wassar Oswald Boykin

The Chairman thereupon declared said motion carried and said resolution adopted.

## STATE OF ALABAMA

#### BALDWIN COUNTY

Personally appeared before me the undersigned authority, Huston Carter, who after first being duly sworn deposes and says that Exhibit "A" attached to the Application of Condemnation is a true and correct copy of the Minutes of The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette. Alabama, held on February 26, 1969, pertaining to that special meeting granting the authority, by the Directors, to acquire land as therein written.

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Huston Carter,		

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Notary Public, Bradford

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ALBERTA ASKEW THOMAS, X

#### ORDER SETTING DATE FOR HEARING

This day came The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama, and filed in this Court its Petition, in writing, to have condemned, for certain purposes therein stated, certain lands belonging to Alberta Askew Thomas, a description of said property being specifically set forth in said Petition.

Done this 37th day of Quest, 1969.

Probate Judge, Baldwin County, Alabama

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CASE NO. 6625

ALBERTA ASKEW THOMAS,

Condemnee.

NOTICE

#### TO: ALBERTA ASKEW THOMAS

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that an application was filed in this Court by The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama, alleging that it desires to have condemned certain parcels of land set out and described as follows:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, Section 16, Township 2South, Range 3 East, which point is also the Southeast corner of Lot 16, Russell's Addition to Douglasville (an unrecorded plat), thence run West along the South line of Section 16, 660 feet, more or less to the Southwest corner of said Lot 16, thence North 00° 09' East 500 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning (Northwest corner of Public Housing Project), thence continue North 00° 09' East 167 feet to a point; thence run East 220 feet; thence run South 167 feet to the North line of said Project, thence run West 220 feet along the North line of said Housing Project to the point of beginning.

And the application prays that a day be appointed for the hearing thereof and for such further, other and different orders and decrees as may be necessary and proper for the acquisition by the Applicant.

Done this 27th day of August, 1969.

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Probate Judge, Baldwin

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ALBERTA ASKEW THOMAS,

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# ORDER GRANTING PETITION AND APPOINTING COMMISSIONERS

This being the day appointed for hearing the Petition of The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette to condemn certain property described in said petition, for the uses and purposes therein stated.

And it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that:

Alberta Askew Thomas has had notice of the filing of said petition and of the appointment of this day as a day for hearing the same by citation personally served upon her by the Sheriff of Baldwin County, Alabama, on the 29th day of August, 1969, being at least ten days prior to this day, and further that she did appear at said hearing with her attorney, John Earl Chason.

And the Court having proceeded to hear said Petition, and the evidence submitted in support of same; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court from the legal and competent evidence offered by the Petitioner that the averments of said Petition are true and correct.

And it further appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the tract of land described in said Petition is owned by the person alleged to be the owner thereof, and that such tracts of land are subject to liens, and leases as shown in said Petition, and that the interest sought to be acquired by the Petitioner is an easement over, on and across said tract of land as described in said Petition, and which land when

condemned will be devoted to such uses and purposes, and that it is necessary that said lands be condemned for the purposes and uses set forth in said Petition, and it further appearing to the Court that no objections have been filed to the granting of said Petition, it is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED, and DECREED, by the Court, that said Petition be, and the same is, hereby granted.

It is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED, by the
Court, that the said N. E. Long,
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be, and they are hereby, appointed Commissioners to assess and
appraise the damages and compensation to which the owners or each
tract of land described in said Petition are entitled, which
amount of damages and compensation so awarded each owner shall be
subject to all outstanding valid claims, liens and leases, and
that said persons so appointed Commissioners have notice of their
appointment as such Commissioners by written commission issued
to them and served upon them by the Sheriff of Baldwin County,
Alabama, and that they be sworn as jurors are sworn under the laws
of the State of Alabama; and it is further ORDERED by the Court
that such Commission so issued shall show a description of each

of said tracts of land described in said Petition, and sought to be condemned; and it is further ORDERED, by the Court, that said Commissioners proceed with the assessment of said damages and compensation in the manner prescribed by law, and that they report their findings in writting under oath to this Court for confirmation.

Done this <u>llth</u> day of September, 1969.

Probate Judge, Baldwin County, Alabama

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COMMISSION TO COMMISSIONERS

TO: N. E. Long, B.R. Mills and A. St. Doblins

WHEREAS, The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama, has filed in the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, its Petition seeking to condemn, for public use, certain lands claimed to be owned by the Condemnee, Alberta Askew Thomas, which is described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, Section 16, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, which point is also the Southeast corner of Lot 16, Russell's Addition to Douglasville (an unrecorded plat), thence run West along the South line of Section 16, 660 feet, more or less to the Southwest corner of said Lot 16, thence North 00° 09' East 500 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning (Northwest corner of Public Housing Project), thence continue North 00° 09' East 167 feet to a point; thence run East 220 feet; thence run South 167 feet to the North line of said Project, thence run West 220 feet along the North line of said Housing Project to the point of beginning.

WHEREAS, said Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, by its order and decree made on the 11th day of September, 1969, has granted said Petition and has appointed you Commissioners to assess the damages and compensation to which said alleged owners of each of said tracts of land described hereto are entitled, on account of the condemnation of said lands for the purposes as set out in said Petition, which damages and compensation so awarded each owner shall be subject to all outstanding valid claims, liens, and leases.

NOW THEREFORE, these presents authorize and commission you to perform your duties as such Commissioners in the manner provided by law.

You are hereby directed, by this Commission, to be sworn as jurors are sworn under the laws of the State of Alabama, and you are further directed to file a certificate along with your award that neither of you have ever been consulted, advised or approached by any person with reference to the value of said lands described in said Petition referred to herein, or the proceedings to condemn the same, prior to the assessment of damages, and that you knew nothing of the same prior to your appointment.

You are further commissioned and directed, by these presents, to assess the damages and compensation to which the owners are entitled by reason of the taking and condemnation of said land as set forth in said Petition, and you may view the lands, and must receive all legal evidence offered by any parties touching the amount of damages the said owner will sustain the amount of compensation to be awarded to the said owner, in fixing the amount to be awarded the owner for lands taken for this use.

You are further directed, within twenty days from the date of this Commission, to make and file in this Court a report, in writing, of the amount of damages and compensation ascertained and assessed by you for the said owner of said tracts of land.

Done this the 29th day of September, 1969.

Probate Judge Baldwin County, Alabama

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BALDWIN COUNTY

#### OATH OF COMMISSIONERS

We, and each of us, do solemnly swear that we will well and truly try all issues submitted to us in the cause now pending in the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, between The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama, Petitioners, and Alberta Askew Thomas, Condemnee, the issue submitted to us being the amount of damages and compensation to which the said Alberta Askew Thomas, as owner, and other interested parties are entitled for the condemnation of certain lands for public use as set out in the original petition.

So help us, God.

W.K. Forg

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Sworn to and subscribed before me on this the 876 day of

Probate Judge, Baldwin County, Alabama

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CITY OF BAY MINETTE, BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,	) IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
Condemnor,	) BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
VS.	) CASE NO. 6625
ALBERTA ASKEW THOMAS,	)
Condemnee.	)

#### CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONERS

The undersigned Commissioners do hereby file in the Probate

Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, with the foregoing report, this
written certificate, and do hereby state and certify that none of
the undersigned Commissioners have ever been consulted with, advised
with or approached by any person in reference to the value of the
said lands involved in the proceedings by The Housing Authority of
the City of Bay Minette, Alabama, versus Alberta Askew Thomas, and
that neither of them have ever been consulted with, advised with,
or approached by any person with reference to the said proceedings
to condemn the said lands prior to the assessment of damages and
that they knew nothing of the same prior to their appointment, and
that they have no interest of any kind in said proceedings to condemn the said lands.

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### REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS

TO: THE HONORABLE HARRY D'OLIVE, JUDGE OF THE PROBATE COURT OF SAID COUNTY:

The undersigned Commissioners who were heretofore appointed by the Court to assess the damages and compensation to which Alberta Askew Thomas is entitled to by reason of the condemnation of certain lands by The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, for public use in its Neighborhood Development Program Project #A-1, do hereby report as follows:

That after being sworn as required by law; that after viewing the lands and after receiving all the evidence offered by any of the parties touching the amount of damages and compensation to which the owner of same will sustain, and thereby assessing the amount of damages and compensation to which the owner of the said land described in the petition in this cause is entitled, they do report the damages and compensation as follows:

The amount of damages awarded to the said Alberta Askew Thomas, as owner of the lands described in the said petition being

# \$ <u>7,505.00</u>

The above award is subject to any liens which might be of record in the office of the Judge of Probate of Baldwin County, Alabama.

The undersigned do further state that in making such assessments, they have proceeded in strict conformity of the Commission heretofore issued to and served upon them as such Commissioners

and the undersigned do further file with this report and award a
certificate showing that the undersigned Commissioners have no
interest in the said proceeding.
Done this 8th day of Ontaker, 1969.
W.E. Forg
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THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF BAY MINETTE, BALDWIN IN THE PROBATE COURT OF COUNTY, ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA X Condemnor, CASE NO. 6625 X VS. ALBERTA ASKEW THOMAS, X Condemnee.

DECREE OF CONDEMNATION BY PROBATE COURT

This cause coming on to be heard on the report of W. E. Long, Billy K. Mills and Wm. H. Dobbins, Commissioners in this cause, and Petition having been filed in this Court to condemn, for public use in Neighborhood Development Program Project #A-1, certain lands owned by Alberta Askew Thomas, and the Court having heretofore made an order granting said Petition, and said order having been made only after due and legal notice of filing of said Petition, and the appointment of a day for hearing the same have been given to all owners, lienholders, claimants, lessees and mortgagees and other persons alleged to have any interest in the lands described in this Petition, and the said order having been made only after proof by legal and competent evidence of the averments of the said petition,

And the Court having inits order made on the 11th day of September, 1969, appointed W. E. Long, Billy K. Mills and Wm. H. Dobbins, as Commissioners to assess and appraise the damages and compensation to which the owners of the said lands are entitled, and the said Commissioners having filed in this Court their report showing that after having first been sworn as jurors are required to be sworn, they proceeded to assess the damages and compensation to which the owners of the tracts of land described in the said report and the original Petition, in this cause, for public use, and as described in the said Petition, and that after they have viewed the said lands and had received all evidence offered touching on the amount of damages and compensation to which the said owners are entitled;

And it further appearing from the said report that the amount of damages and compensation awarded to Alberta Askew Thomas, on account of the lands described in the original petition and the said report of the Commissioners, being required by The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Alabama, for the purposes described in the petition, was \$2,505.00;

And it further appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Petitioner is entitled to have all of the lands described in the said petition condemned for the purposes described in the said petition, in this cause, and that Petitioner is entitled to have the said lands condemned as stated in the Petition in this cause;

And it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that

Petitioner has already paid into Court the amount of money awarded

by the said Commissioners to the said owners, which said awards are

subject to all outstanding valid claims, liens, leases and mortgages,

for the condemnation of the lands described in the said report of

said Commissioners and described in the original petition in this

cause, and has also paid all the Court Costs in this cause;

It is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED by the Court that the lands described herein, namely:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, Section 16, Township 2 South, Range 3 East, which point is also the Southeast corner of Lot 16, Russell's Addition to Douglasville (an unrecorded plat), thence run West along the South line of Section 16, 660 feet, more or less to the Southwest corner of said Lot 16, thence North 00° 09' East 500 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning (Northwest corner of Public Housing Project), thence continue North 00° 09' East 167 feet to a point; thence run East 220 feet; thence run South 167 feet to the North line of said Project, thence run West 220 feet along the North line of said Houging Project to the point of beginning.

and in the petition filed herein be, and the same are hereby condemned for public use and Neighborhood Development Program, Project #A-1, and such other purposes as are set out in the original petition filed herein, and that the Petitioner shall have the right to immediate possession and right of entry in and to the said lands and to subject said lands for uses and purposes as set forth in the original petition herein and such lands are condemned for the uses and purposes originally stated in the original petition and against all parties having an interest therein, and who are made party Respondents in this proceeding and are hereby especially condemned against the interests of Alberta Askew Thomas.

It is further ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED by the Court that all papers in this proceeding be recorded.

Done this 9th day of October, 1969.

Probate Judge, Baldwin County, Alabama

The Housing Authority of the City of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Ala.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

VS:

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

Alberta Askew Thomas

AT LAW, CASE NO. <u>298/</u>

"We the jury find in favor of the landowners, and assess the damages at \$3000000."

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