

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF Cherokee

I, Kevin B. Adams, a Notary Public of the County and State aforesaid, certify that MARY HELEN HATCHETT and husband LUCIUS F. LOCKABY, II, personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing instrument.

^{NP}_{seal} WITNESS my hand and official stamp or seal, this 3 day of April, 1997.

My Commission Expires:
6-21-99

Kevin B. Adams
Notary Public

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF _____

I, Kevin B. Adams, a Notary Public of the County and State aforesaid, certify that CHARLIE HUGHES, JOHN JORDAN and MARGARET BRUCE, Trustees of the First Baptist Church of Murphy, North Carolina, personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing instrument.

^{NP}_{seal} WITNESS my hand and official stamp or seal, this 5 day of April, 1997.

My Commission Expires:
6-21-99

Kevin B. Adams
Notary Public

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF Davidson

I, Judy S. Hood, a Notary Public for said County and State do hereby certify that SAMUEL V. BAREFOOT personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged that he is Assistant Secretary of Baptist Children's Homes of N.C., Inc., a North Carolina Corporation, and that by authority duly given and as an act of the Corporation, the foregoing instrument was signed in its name by its President, sealed with its corporate seal and attested by himself as its Assistant Secretary.

WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal, this the 1 day of April, 1997.

My Commission Expires:
2/23/00

Judy S. Hood
Notary Public

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