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09-16-2016 02:11 PM JUDITH WARNER

AMEN COUNTY, SC BY: VIRGINIA DUNN DEPUTY BK: RB 4624

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF AIKEN

AMENDMENT TO THE DECLARATION OF COVENANTS AND RESTRICTIONS ESTABLISHING AND PROVIDING FOR THE RETREAT AT STORM BRANCH COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION, INC.

WHEREAS, the Declaration of Covenants and Restrictions Establishing and Providing for The Retreat at Storm Branch Community Association, Inc. dated March 27, 2009 is recorded in the Office of RMC of Aiken County, South Carolina in Deed Book 4248, page 1093 through page 1112, as subsequently amended; and

WHEREAS, Storm Branch Ventures, LLC reserves unto itself, its successors and assigns, the right to amend this Declaration or any portion thereof as it may deem necessary because all lots have not been sold and the rights to amend have not been assigned to the Association; and

WHEREAS, Storm Branch Ventures, LLC desires to amend the Declaration of Covenants and Restrictions Establishing and Providing for The Retreat at Storm Branch Community Association, Inc.; and

NOW, THEREFORE, for One & 00/100 Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Storm Branch Ventures, LLC does hereby amend the Declaration of Covenants and Restrictions Establishing and Providing for The Retreat at Storm Branch Community Association, Inc. dated March 27, 2009 by deleting Article V, Section 3, Paragraph F, it in its entirety and replacing it with the following:

Article V

Section 3. Application of "Maximum" Assessment.

(f) From and after January 1, 2010, the maximum regular annual assessment shall be increased each year by the Board of Directors of the Association by an amount not in excess of ten (10%) per cent per year over the previous year, or the percentage increase between the first month and the last month of an annual assessment period in the Consumer Price Index, U.S. City Average, (hereafter "C.P.I) issued by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics in its monthly report entitles "The Consumer Price Index, U.S. City Average and Selected Areas" whichever of these two percentage figures is larger. However, the Board of Directors may suspend such automatic increase for any one (1) year in its own discretion. In the event that the C.P.I referred to above shall be discontinued, then there shall be used the most similar index published by the United States Government that may be procured indicating changes in the cost of living.

This Amendment is made and entered into this 14th day of Sept. , 2016.

Sworn to and subscribed

Before me this 14th day of

← 2016

Storm Branch Ventures, LLC

Bill B. Beazley

As its: manager

(L.S.)

Notary Public

My commission expires: 1-17-17



ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

STATE OF GA	
COUNTY OF Columbia	
Joy T. Chambers	, do hereby
certify that Bill B. Beazky	, personally
ppeared before me this day and acknowledged the due ex	ecution of the
foregoing instrument.	
witness my hand and of	Columbia Co.
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