

# COMMITMENT FOR TITLE INSURANCE ISSUED BY FIDELITY NATIONAL TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY

#### NOTICE

IMPORTANT- READ CAREFULLY: THIS COMMITMENT IS AN OFFER TO ISSUE ONE OR MORE TITLE INSURANCE POLICIES. ALL CLAIMS OR REMEDIES SOUGHTAGAINST THE COMPANY INVOLVING THE CONTENT OF THIS COMMITMENT OR THE POLICY MUST BE BASED SOLELY IN CONTRACT.

THIS COMMITMENT IS NOT AN ABSTRACT OF TITLE, REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF TITLE, LEGAL OPINION, OPINION OF TITLE, OR OTHER REPRESENTATION OF THE STATUS OF TITLE. THE PROCEDURES USED BY THE COMPANY TO DETERMINE INSURABILITY OF THE TITLE, INCLUDING ANY SEARCH AND EXAMINATION, ARE PROPRIETARY TO THE COMPANY, WERE PERFORMED SOLELY FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE COMPANY, AND CREATE NO EXTRACONTRACTUAL LIABILITY TO ANY PERSON, INCLUDING A PROPOSED INSURED.

THE COMPANY'S OBLIGATION UNDER THIS COMMITMENT IS TO ISSUE A POLICY TO A PROPOSED INSURED IDENTIFIED IN SCHEDULE A IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS AND PROVISIONS OF THIS COMMITMENT. THE COMPANY HAS NO LIABILITY OR OBLIGATION INVOLVING THE CONTENT OF THIS COMMITMENT TO ANY OTHER PERSON.

#### COMMITMENT TO ISSUE POLICY

Subject to the Notice; Schedule B, Part I - Requirements; Schedule B, Part II - Exceptions; and the Commitment Conditions, Fidelity National Title Insurance Company, a Florida Corporation (the "Company"), commits to issue the Policy according to the terms and provisions of this Commitment. This Commitment is effective as of the Commitment Date shown in Schedule A for each Policy described in Schedule A, only when the Company has entered in Schedule A both the specified dollar amount as the Proposed Policy Amount and the name of the Proposed Insured.

If all of Schedule B, Part I - Requirements have not been met within 180 Days after the Commitment Date, this Commitment terminates and the Company's liability and obligation end.

#### **Fidelity National Title Insurance Company**

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#### **COMMITMENT CONDITIONS**

#### **DEFINITIONS**

- "Knowledge" or "Known": Actual or imputed knowledge, but not constructive notice (a) imparted by the Public Records.
- "Land": The land described in Schedule A and affixed improvements that by law constitute (b) real property. The term "Land" does not include any property beyond the lines of the area described in Schedule A, nor any right, title, interest, estate, or easement in abutting streets, roads, avenues, alleys, lanes, ways, or waterways, but this does not modify or limit the extent that a right of access to and from the Land is to be insured by the Policy.
- "Mortgage": A mortgage, deed of trust, or other security instrument, including one (c) evidenced by electronic means authorized by law.
- "Policy": Each contract of title insurance, in a form adopted by the American Land Title (d) Association, issued or to be issued by the Company pursuant to this Commitment.
- "Proposed Insured": Each person identified in Schedule A as the Proposed Insured of (e) each Policy to be issued pursuant to this Commitment.
- "Proposed Policy Amount": Each dollar amount specified in Schedule A as the Proposed (f) Policy Amount of each Policy to be issued pursuant to this Commitment.
- "Public Records": Records established under state statutes at the Commitment Date for (g) the purpose of imparting constructive notice of matters relating to real property to purchasers for value and without Knowledge.
- (h) "Title": The estate or interest described in Schedule A.
- 2. If all of the Schedule B, Part I—Requirements have not been met within the time period specified in the Commitment to Issue Policy, this Commitment terminates and the Company's liability and obligation end.
- 3. The Company's liability and obligation is limited by and this Commitment is not valid without:
  - the Notice:
  - (b) the Commitment to Issue Policy;
  - (c) the Commitment Conditions;
  - (d) Schedule A:
  - Schedule B, Part I—Requirements; and (e)
  - Schedule B, Part II—Exceptions; and (f)
  - a counter-signature by the Company or its issuing agent that may be in electronic form. (g)

#### 4. COMPANY'S RIGHT TO AMEND

The Company may amend this Commitment at any time. If the Company amends this Commitment to add a defect, lien, encumbrance, adverse claim, or other matter recorded in the Public Records prior to the Commitment Date, any liability of the Company is limited by Commitment Condition 5. The Company shall not be liable for any other amendment to this Commitment.

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#### 5. LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY

- (a) The Company's liability under Commitment Condition 4 is limited to the Proposed Insured's actual expense incurred in the interval between the Company's delivery to the Proposed Insured of the Commitment and the delivery of the amended Commitment, resulting from the Proposed Insured's good faith reliance to:
  - (i) comply with the Schedule B, Part I—Requirements;
  - (ii) eliminate, with the Company's written consent, any Schedule B, Part II— Exceptions; or
  - (iii) acquire the Title or create the Mortgage covered by this Commitment.
- (b) The Company shall not be liable under Commitment Condition 5(a) if the Proposed Insured requested the amendment or had Knowledge of the matter and did not notify the Company about it in writing.
- (c) The Company will only have liability under Commitment Condition 4 if the Proposed Insured would not have incurred the expense had the Commitment included the added matter when the Commitment was first delivered to the Proposed Insured.
- (d) The Company's liability shall not exceed the lesser of the Proposed Insured's actual expense incurred in good faith and described in Commitment Conditions 5(a)(i) through 5(a)(iii) or the Proposed Policy Amount.
- (e) The Company shall not be liable for the content of the Transaction Identification Data, if any.
- (f) In no event shall the Company be obligated to issue the Policy referred to in this Commitment unless all of the Schedule B, Part I—Requirements have been met to the satisfaction of the Company.
- (g) In any event, the Company's liability is limited by the terms and provisions of the Policy.

#### LIABILITY OF THE COMPANY MUST BE BASED ON THIS COMMITMENT

- (a) Only a Proposed Insured identified in Schedule A, and no other person, may make a claim under this Commitment.
- (b) Any claim must be based in contract and must be restricted solely to the terms and provisions of this Commitment.
- (c) Until the Policy is issued, this Commitment, as last revised, is the exclusive and entire agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter of this Commitment and supersedes all prior commitment negotiations, representations, and proposals of any kind, whether written or oral, express or implied, relating to the subject matter of this Commitment.
- (d) The deletion or modification of any Schedule B, Part II—Exception does not constitute an agreement or obligation to provide coverage beyond the terms and provisions of this Commitment or the Policy.
- (e) Any amendment or endorsement to this Commitment must be in writing and authenticated by a person authorized by the Company.
- (f) When the Policy is issued, all liability and obligation under this Commitment will end and the Company's only liability will be under the Policy.

#### 7. IF THIS COMMITMENT HAS BEEN ISSUED BY AN ISSUING AGENT

The issuing agent is the Company's agent only for the limited purpose of issuing title insurance commitments and policies. The issuing agent is not the Company's agent for the purpose of providing closing or settlement services.

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#### **PRO-FORMA POLICY**

The Company may provide, at the request of a Proposed Insured, a pro-forma policy illustrating the coverage that the Company may provide. A pro-forma policy neither reflects the status of Title at the time that the pro-forma policy is delivered to a Proposed Insured, nor is it a commitment to insure.

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## Transaction Identification Data for reference only:

Issuing Agent: Trademark Title Services Inc. Issuing Office: P.O. Box 39, Victoria, VA 23974

Issuing Office's ALTA® Registry ID:

Loan ID No .:

Commitment No.: TM23-277

Issuing Office File No.:

Property Address: 2376 Hungarytown Road, Blackstone, VA 23824

Revision No.:

**SCHEDULE A** 

1. Commitment Date: September 15, 2023 at 08:30 AM

2. Policy to be issued:

(a)

Proposed Insured: TBD @ Auction

Proposed Policy Amount:

(b)

Proposed Insured:

Proposed Policy Amount:

- The estate or interest in the Land described or referred to in this Commitment is FEE SIMPLE 3.
- 4. The Title is, at the Commitment Date, vested in:

Dusty Farms, LLC

5. The Land is described as follows:

SEE EXHIBIT A ATTACHED HERETO

Ruby L. Martin

Ruby L. Martin 0

Trademark Title Services Inc.

P.O. Box 39 Victoria, VA 23974 (434)676-9191

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#### **EXHIBIT A - LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

All that certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being in Blendon Magisterial District, Nottoway County, Virginia, together with all appurtenances thereto and improvements thereon, containing 60.00 acres and designated as Parcel B on a plat made by Elisha E. Hodges, III, Land Surveyor, of Maxey & Associates, P.C., dated October 30, 2014, of record in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nottoway County, Virginia in Plat Book 10, Page 147.

Being the same property conveyed to Dusty Farms, LLC, a Virginia limited liability company, by deed from Citizens Bank & Trust Company, a Virginia Banking Corporation, dated November 14, 2014, of record in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nottoway County, Virginia in Deed Book 476, Page 290.

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## SCHEDULE B, PART I Requirements

All of the following Requirements must be met:

- 1. The Proposed Insured must notify the Company in writing of the name of any party not referred to in this Commitment who will obtain an interest in the Land or who will make a loan on the Land. The Company may then make additional Requirements or Exceptions.
- 2. Pay the agreed amount for the estate or interest to be insured.
- 3. Pay the premiums, fees, and charges for the Policy to the Company.
- 4. Documents satisfactory to the Company that convey the Title or create the Deed of Trust to be insured, or both, must be properly authorized, executed, delivered, and recorded in the Public Records.
  - a. General Warranty Deed from Dusty Farms, LLC to TBD @ Auction
  - b. Mortgage from TBD @ Auction to TBD, securing the principal amount of \$
- 5. Furnish copies of all instruments in this transaction for review by the company prior to closing. This commitment is subject to such addition requirements and/or exceptions as may be deemed necessary by the Company upon review of said instruments and upon full disclosures of all facts of this transaction.
- 6. Purchasers must be adversed for judgments in favor of the United States, or any other instrumentality thereof, for a period of twenty (20) years prior to the recordation of the documents proposed to the insured. Fidelity National Title Insurance Company must be provided with certification that there are no judgments in favor of the United States, or any instrumentality thereof, against the purchaser.
- 7. Receipt of satisfactory executed "Owners (Sellers) Affidavit as to Mechanic's Liens and Possession."
- 8. Run PACER report on Current owners/buyers/borrowers to determine if a bankruptcy has been filed. If any party is in bankruptcy, the Company must receive a satisfactory, final and non-appealable Court order (a) authorizing he transaction to be insured, or (b) declaring the property exempt. In a Chapter 7 Bankruptcy. The Trustee may give written notice that the real estate is abandoned. Additional requirement or exceptions may be made upon review.
- Receipt of satisfactory executed INDEMNITY & UNDERTAKING AGREEMENT (GAP).
- 10. Notice: Please be aware that due to the conflict between federal and state laws concerning the cultivation, distribution, manufacture or sale of marijuana, the Company is not able to close or insure any transaction involving Land that is associated with these activities.
- 11. The Company must be provided with the following for Dusty Farms, LLC
  - a) Articles of Organization, and any amendments thereto;
  - b) Operating Agreement, if any, and any amendments thereto;
  - c) Certificate of Organization from the state where the limited liability company originated; and
  - d) a Certificate of Fact from the state of origin as evidence that the limited liability company is in good standing at the time of execution and delivery of the document(s) to be insured.
  - NOTE: All members of the limited liability company, or the managing member(s) designated in the Operating Agreement, must join in the execution of any instrument(s) required herein. In lieu thereof, such instrument(s) must be executed by the member(s) designated and authorized to act on behalf of the limited liability company as set forth in a satisfactory resolution signed by all



### **SCHEDULE B**

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members; the resolution shall be provided to the Company prior to closing.

- 12. Release deed of trust from Dusty Farms, LLC to Joseph D. Borgerding and Robert E. Hawthorne, Trustees for Citizens Bank and Trust Company dated November 18, 2014, and recorded in the Clerk's office in Deed Book 276, page 293, securing the principal amount of \$262,900.00. Release assignment of rents recorded in Deed Book 276, page 310 to Citizens Bank and Trust Company.
- 13. Release Deed of trust from Dusty Farms LLC to Joseph D. Borgerding, Trustee for Citizens Bank and Trust Company dated October 28, 2021, recorded as Instrument No. 210001679, securing the principal amount of \$75,000.00.

## SCHEDULE B, PART II Exceptions

THIS COMMITMENT DOES NOT REPUBLISH ANY COVENANT, CONDITION, RESTRICTION, OR LIMITATION CONTAINED IN ANY DOCUMENT REFERRED TO IN THIS COMMITMENT TO THE EXTENT THAT THE SPECIFIC COVENANT, CONDITION, RESTRICTION, OR LIMITATION VIOLATES STATE OR FEDERAL LAW BASED ON RACE, COLOR, RELIGION, SEX, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, GENDER IDENTITY, HANDICAP, FAMILIAL STATUS, OR NATIONAL ORIGIN.

The Policy will not insure against loss or damage resulting from the terms and provisions of any lease or easement identified in Schedule A, and will include the following Exceptions unless cleared to the satisfaction of the Company:

- Any defect, lien, encumbrance, adverse claim, or other matter that appears for the first time in the Public Records or is created, attaches, or is disclosed between the Commitment Date and the date on which all of the Schedule B, Part I-Requirements are met
- 2. Taxes for the year 2023 and subsequent years, a lien not yet due and payable.
- Power line and telephone easements of record.
- 4. Any encroachment, incumbrance, violation, variation, or adverse circumstance affecting the title that would be disclosed by an accurate and complete eland survey of the Land. The term "encroachment" includes encroachments of existing improvements located on the Land onto adjoining land, and encroachment on the Land of existing improvements located on adjoining land.
- 5. Such other matters as a careful physical examination of the property and a recent survey of the same might disclose.
- 6. Possible liability for additional taxes resulting from preferential assessment under "Land Use" assessment provisions.
- 7. Matters as shown on a plat of survey by Elisha E. Hodges, III, dated October 30, 2014
  - a) portion of property shows approximate limit of 100 year flood plain within Flood Zone A
  - b) Little Nottoway River forms boundary on west
  - c) Rights, if any, of the property owners abutting the lake in and to the waters of the lake and in and to the bed thereof; also boating and fishing rights of property owners abutting the lake or the stream of water leading thereto or therefrom
- 8. Easement to Commonwealth of Virginia recorded in Deed Book 259, page 487 and Deed Book 136, page 331.
- 9. Easement to Central Telephone Company of Virginia recorded in Deed Book 264, page 487.
- 10. Agreement recorded in Deed Book 253, page 303.
- 11. Title to that portion of the land within the bounds of the cemetery reserved in instrument recorded in Deed Book 1, at page 741, together with the rights of ingress and egress thereto.
- 12. Rights of upper and lower riparian owners in and to the use of the waters of creeks, streams, or branches and the natural flow thereof.



#### **SCHEDULE B**

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- 13. Title to that portion of the land lying below the mean high water mark of the Nottoway River.
- 14. Riparian rights incident to the Land.
- 15. This policy does not insure the exact location of any boundary line of the land where such boundary line is established with reference to a river, creek, stream, or similar watercourse.
- 16. Easement to Southside Electric Cooperative dated February 5, 2015 recorded in Deed Book 479, page 159.

