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This indenture made this 27th day of October in the year of Our Lord 1786 between **SOLOMON SLATON** of the county of Johnson and province of North Carolina of the one part and **NEEDHAM BRYAN** of the County and province of aforesaid of the other part.

Witnesseth that the said **SOLOMON SLATON** for and in consideration of the sum of forty pounds specie, the receipt whereof the said **SOLOMON SLATON** does hereby acknowledge himself fully satisfied therewith, have given granted, sold, aliened, enfeoffed and confirmed, and by these presents, for himself his heirs executors, assigns and administrators and for all persons whatsoever doth give, grant, sell, alien any off and confirmed that the said **NEEDHAM BRYAN** and his heirs executors administrators and assigns forever one certain tract of land, Mill, and Mill seat lying and being in the county aforesaid on the Mill Creek; the land and the Mill seat purchased of **ALEXANDER AVERY** and called VIRGINIA ALEXANDER, containing one hundred acres to be the same, more or less, as will more fully appear by the original Grant and deeds heretofore given and acknowledged, to have and to hold, use, occupy and enjoy the same and every part and parcel thereof together with all houses, orchards, gardens, fences, woods and underwoods, reversion and reversions to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining to the only proper use and behoof him, the said **NEEDHAM BRYAN**, his heirs and assigns forever and the said **SOLOMON SLATON** for himself his heirs and assigns doth covenant, promise and agree to and with the said **NEEDHAM BRYAN** his heirs and assigns forever that he is and stands at and before the ensealing and delivery of these presents the true and lawful owner of the above granted lands and premises together with their and every of their appurtenances and being so lawfully and rightfully seized the same in every part thereof doth warrant and forever defend to the said **NEEDHAM BRYAN** and his heirs and assigns forever against me, my heirs, executives, administrators and assigns forever against the claim of any other person or persons whosoever.

In witness whereof, I have, the day and date above written, set my hand and affixed my seal.

SOLOMON SLATON {seal}

Signed sealed and delivered in presence of

WILLIAM AVERA
MOSES JOHNSON
BARZILLA BLACKMAN

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Johnson County February term 1790

There was the execution of the with indeed Duly proven in opened court by the oath of **WILLIAM AVERA** and ordered to be recorded.

R. SANDERS, Clerk