



NOTICE TO BUYER AND SELLER OF BUYER'S RIGHTS AND SELLER'S OBLIGATIONS UNDER MARYLAND'S SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY CONDITION DISCLOSURE LAW

ADDENDUM # _____ dated _____ to the Contract of Sale dated _____, between Buyer _____ and Seller James M. Stup, Gretchen M. Stup for Property known as 5552 Wicomico Circle, New Market, MD 21774

NOTE: This notice does not apply to: (1) the initial sale of single family residential property which has never been occupied, or for which a certificate of occupancy has been issued within one year prior to the date of the Contract; (2) a transfer that is exempt from the transfer tax under Subsection 13-207 of the Tax-Property Article, except land installments contracts of sale under Subsection 13-207(a)(11) of the Tax-Property Article and options to purchase real property under Subsection 13-207(a)(12) of the Tax-Property Article; (3) a sale by a lender or an affiliate or subsidiary of a lender that acquired the real property by foreclosure or deed in lieu of foreclosure; (4) a sheriff's sale, tax sale, or sale by foreclosure, partition or by court appointed trustee; (5) a transfer by a fiduciary in the course of the administration of a decedent's estate, guardianship, conservatorship, or trust; (6) a transfer of single family residential real property to be converted by the buyer into a use other than residential use or to be demolished; or (7) a sale of unimproved real property.

Section 10-702 of the Real Property Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland ("Section 10-702") requires that a seller of a single family residential property ("the property") deliver to each buyer, on or before entering into a contract of sale, on a form published and prepared by the Maryland Real Estate Commission, **EITHER:**

- (A) A written property condition disclosure statement listing all defects including latent defects, or information of which the seller has actual knowledge in relation to the following:
 - (i) Water and sewer systems, including the source of household water, water treatment systems, and sprinkler systems;
 - (ii) Insulation;
 - (iii) Structural systems, including the roof, walls, floors, foundation and any basement;
 - (iv) Plumbing, electrical, heating, and air conditioning systems;
 - (v) Infestation of wood-destroying insects;
 - (vi) Land use matters;
 - (vii) Hazardous or regulated materials, including asbestos, lead-based paint, radon, underground storage tanks, and licensed landfills;
 - (viii) Any other material defects, including latent defects, of which the seller has actual knowledge;
 - (ix) Whether the smoke detectors will provide an alarm in the event of a power Outage; and
 - (x) **If the property relies on the combustion of a fossil fuel for heat, ventilation, hot water, or clothes dryer operation, whether a carbon monoxide alarm is installed on the property.**

Latent defects under Section 10-702 means material defects in real property or an improvement to real property that:

- (i) A buyer would not reasonably be expected to ascertain or observe by a careful visual inspection, and
- (ii) Would pose a threat to the health or safety of the buyer or an occupant of the property, including a tenant or invitee of the buyer;

OR

- (B) A written disclaimer statement providing that:
 - (i) Except for latent defects of which the seller has actual knowledge, the seller makes no representations or warranties as to the condition of the real property or any improvements on the real property; and
 - (ii) The buyer will be receiving the real property "as is," with all defects, including latent defects, that may exist, except as otherwise provided in the contract of sale of the property.

 Buyer _____ / _____

Seller  /  

At the time the disclosure or disclaimer statement is delivered to you ("the buyer"), you are required to date and sign a written acknowledgement of receipt on the disclosure or disclaimer statement which shall be included in or attached to the contract of sale.

Section 10-702 further provides that a buyer who receives the disclosure or disclaimer statement on or before entering into a contract of sale does not have the right to rescind the contract based upon the information contained in the disclosure or disclaimer statement.

You are hereby notified that, in certain circumstances, you have the right to rescind your contract with the seller if the seller fails to deliver to you the written property condition disclosure or disclaimer statement. Section 10-702 provides that a buyer who does not receive the disclosure or disclaimer statement on or before entering into the contract has the unconditional right, upon written notice to the seller or seller's agent:

- (i) To rescind the contract at any time before the receipt of the disclosure or disclaimer statement or within 5 days following receipt of the disclosure or disclaimer statement; and
- (ii) To the immediate return of any deposits made on account of the contract.

Your right to rescind the contract under Section 10-702 terminates if not exercised before making a written application to a lender for a mortgage loan, if the lender discloses in writing at or before the time application is made that the right to rescind terminates on submission of the application or within 5 days following receipt of a written disclosure from a lender who has received your application for a mortgage loan, if the lender's disclosure states that your right to rescind terminates at the end of that 5 day period.

Your rights as a buyer under Section 10-702 may not be waived in the contract and any attempted waiver is void. Your rights as the buyer to terminate the contract under Section 10-702 are waived conclusively if not exercised before:

- (i) Closing or occupancy by you, whichever occurs first, in the event of a sale; or
- (ii) Occupancy, in the event of a lease with option to purchase.

The information contained in the property condition disclosure statement is the representation of the seller and not the representation of the real estate broker or sales person, if any. A disclosure by the seller is not a substitute for an inspection by an independent professional home inspection company. You should consider obtaining such an inspection. The information contained in a disclosure statement by the seller is not a warranty by the seller as to the condition of the property of which condition the seller has no actual knowledge or other condition, including latent defects, of which the seller has no actual knowledge. The seller is not required to undertake or provide an independent investigation or inspection of the property in order to make the disclosures required by Section 10-702. The seller is not liable for an error, inaccuracy or omission in the disclosure statement if the error, inaccuracy or omission was based upon information that was not within the actual knowledge of the seller or was provided to the seller by a third party as specified in Section 10-702(i) or (j).

You may wish to obtain professional advice about the property or obtain an inspection of the property.

The undersigned buyer(s) and seller(s) acknowledge receipt of this notice on the date indicated below and acknowledge that the real estate licensee(s) named below have informed the buyer(s) and the seller(s) of the buyer(s)' rights and the seller(s)' obligations under Section 10-702.

_____ Buyer's Signature	_____ Date	_____ Seller's Signature James M. Stup	_____ Date 5/30/12
_____ Buyer's Signature	_____ Date	_____ Seller's Signature Gretchen M. Stup	_____ Date 5/30/12
_____ Agent's Signature	_____ Date	_____ Agent's Signature Doug Chapin	_____ Date 5/30/12

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MARYLAND RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY DISCLOSURE AND DISCLAIMER STATEMENT

Property Address: 5552 Wicomico Circle, New Market, MD 21774

Legal Description: _____

NOTICE TO SELLER AND PURCHASER

Section 10-702 of the Real Property Article, *Annotated Code of Maryland*, requires the owner of certain residential real property to furnish to the purchaser either (a) a RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY DISCLAIMER STATEMENT stating that the owner is selling the property "as is" and makes no representations or warranties as to the condition of the property or any improvements on the real property, except as otherwise provided in the contract of sale, or in a listing of latent defects; or (b) a RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY DISCLOSURE STATEMENT disclosing defects or other information about the condition of the real property actually known by the owner. Certain transfers of residential property are excluded from this requirement (see the exemptions listed below).

10-702. EXEMPTIONS. The following are specifically excluded from the provisions of §10-702:

1. The initial sale of single family residential real property:
 - A. that has never been occupied; or
 - B. for which a certificate of occupancy has been issued within 1 year before the seller and buyer enter into a contract of sale;
2. A transfer that is exempt from the transfer tax under §13-207 of the Tax-Property Article, except land installment contracts of sales under §13-207(a) (11) of the Tax-Property Article and options to purchase real property under §13-207(a)(12) of the Tax-Property Article;
3. A sale by a lender or an affiliate or subsidiary of a lender that acquired the real property by foreclosure or deed in lieu of foreclosure;
4. A sheriff's sale, tax sale, or sale by foreclosure, partition, or by court appointed trustee;
5. A transfer by a fiduciary in the course of the administration of a decedent's estate, guardianship, conservatorship, or trust;
6. A transfer of single family residential real property to be converted by the buyer into use other than residential use or to be demolished; or
7. A sale of unimproved real property.

Section 10-702 also requires the owner to disclose information about latent defects in the property that the owner has actual knowledge of. The owner must provide this information even if selling the property "as is." "Latent defects" are defined as: Material defects in real property or an improvement to real property that:

- (1) A purchaser would not reasonably be expected to ascertain or observe by a careful visual inspection of the real property; and
- (2) Would pose a direct threat to the health or safety of:
 - (i) the purchaser; or
 - (ii) an occupant of the real property, including a tenant or invitee of the purchaser.

MARYLAND RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

NOTICE TO OWNERS: Complete and sign this statement only if you elect to disclose defects, including latent defects, or other information about the condition of the property actually known by you; otherwise, sign the Residential Property Disclaimer Statement. You may wish to obtain professional advice or inspections of the property; however, you are not required to undertake or provide any independent investigation or inspection of the property in order to make the disclosure set forth below. The disclosure is based on your personal knowledge of the condition of the property at the time of the signing of this statement.

NOTICE TO PURCHASERS: The information provided is the representation of the Owners and is based upon the actual knowledge of Owners as of the date noted. Disclosure by the Owners is not a substitute for an inspection by an independent home inspection company, and you may wish to obtain such an inspection. The information contained in this statement is not a warranty by the Owners as to the condition of the property of which the Owners have no knowledge or other conditions of which the Owners have no actual knowledge.

How long have you owned the property? 6 YEARS

Property System: Water, Sewage, Heating & Air Conditioning (Answer all that apply)

Water Supply	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public	<input type="checkbox"/> Well	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
Sewage Disposal	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public	<input type="checkbox"/> Septic System approved for _____ (# bedrooms)	
Garbage Disposal	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Dishwasher	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Heating	<input type="checkbox"/> Oil	<input type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Electric
Air Conditioning	<input type="checkbox"/> Oil	<input type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Heat Pump Age <u>3 yrs</u>
Hot Water	<input type="checkbox"/> Oil	<input type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Heat Pump Age <u>3 yrs</u>
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Electric Capacity <u>4828 Kw</u> Age <u>unknown</u>
			<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
			<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
			<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____

Please indicate your actual knowledge with respect to the following:

1. Foundation: Any settlement or other problems? Yes No Unknown
 Comments: _____
2. Basement: Any leaks or evidence of moisture? Yes No Unknown Does Not Apply
 Comments: _____
3. Roof: Any leaks or evidence of moisture? Yes No Unknown
 Type of roof: Shingle Age 21
 Comments: _____
 Is there any existing fire retardant treated plywood? Yes No Unknown
 Comments: _____
4. Other Structural Systems, including exterior walls and floors:
 Comments: Retaining Wall, Pool, Concrete Patios, Sun Porch
 Any defects (structural or otherwise)? Yes No Unknown
 Comments: _____
5. Plumbing System: Is the system in operating condition? Yes No Unknown
 Comments: _____
6. Heating Systems: Is heat supplied to all finished rooms? Yes No Unknown
 Comments: _____
 Is the system in operating condition? Yes No Unknown
 Comments: _____
7. Air Conditioning System: Is cooling supplied to all finished rooms? Yes No Unknown Does Not Apply
 Comments: _____
 Is the system in operating condition? Yes No Unknown Does Not Apply
 Comments: _____
8. Electric Systems: Are there any problems with electrical fuses, circuit breakers, outlets or wiring?
 Yes No Unknown
 Comments: _____
 Will the smoke detectors provide an alarm in the event of a power outage? Yes No Does Not Apply
 Comments: _____
9. Septic Systems: Is the septic system functioning properly? Yes No Unknown Does Not Apply
 When was the system last pumped? Date _____ Unknown
 Comments: _____
10. Water Supply: Any problem with water supply? Yes No Unknown
 Comments: _____
 Home water treatment system: Yes No Unknown
 Comments: _____
 Fire sprinkler system: Yes No Unknown Does Not Apply
 Comments: _____
 Are the systems in operating condition? Yes No Unknown
 Comments: _____
11. Insulation:
 In exterior walls? Yes No Unknown
 In ceiling/attic? Yes No Unknown
 In any other areas? Yes No Unknown Where? _____
 Comments: _____
12. Exterior Drainage: Does water stand on the property for more than 24 hours after a heavy rain?
 Yes No Unknown
 Comments: _____
 Are gutters and downspouts in good repair? Yes No Unknown
 Comments: _____

13. Wood-destroying insects: Any infestation and/or prior damage? Yes No Unknown

Comments: _____

Any treatments or repairs? Yes No Unknown

Any warranties? Yes No Unknown

Comments: _____

14. Are there any hazardous or regulated materials (including, but not limited to, licensed landfills, asbestos, radon gas, lead-based paint, underground storage tanks, or other contamination) on the property? Yes No Unknown

If yes, specify below

Comments: _____

15. If the property relies on the combustion of a fossil fuel for heat, ventilation, hot water, or clothes dryer operation, is a carbon monoxide alarm installed in the property?

Yes No Unknown

Comments: _____

16. Are there any zoning violations, nonconforming uses, violation of building restrictions or setback requirements or any recorded or unrecorded easement, except for utilities, on or affecting the property? Yes No Unknown

If yes, specify below

Comments: _____

17. Is the property located in a flood zone, conservation area, wetland area, Chesapeake Bay critical area or Designated Historic District? Yes No Unknown If yes, specify below

Comments: _____

18. Is the property subject to any restriction imposed by a Home Owners Association or any other type of community association?

Yes No Unknown If yes, specify below

Comments: _____

19. Are there any other material defects, including latent defects, affecting the physical condition of the property?


Yes No Unknown

Comments: _____

NOTE: Owner(s) may wish to disclose the condition of other buildings on the property on a separate RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY DISCLOSURE STATEMENT.

The owner(s) acknowledge having carefully examined this statement, including any comments, and verify that it is complete and accurate as of the date signed. The owner(s) further acknowledge that they have been informed of their rights and obligations under §10-702 of the Maryland Real Property Article.

Owner  Date 05/30/12
James M. Stup

Owner  Date 5/30/12
Gretchen M. Stup

The purchaser(s) acknowledge receipt of a copy of this disclosure statement and further acknowledge that they have been informed of their rights and obligations under §10-702 of the Maryland Real Property Article.

Purchaser _____ Date _____

Purchaser _____ Date _____



INCLUSIONS/EXCLUSIONS AND UTILITIES ADDENDUM TO EXCLUSIVE RIGHT TO SELL RESIDENTIAL BROKERAGE AGREEMENT

For the sole purpose of assisting the agent in preparing an offer and is not to be part of the Contract of Sale

ADDENDUM # _____ dated _____ to Exclusive Right to Sell Brokerage Agreement dated May 30, 2012, between Owner(s) James M. Stup, Gretchen M. Stup and Broker Chapin & Associates Doug Chapin 5552 Wicomico Circle for Property known as New Market, MD 21774

INCLUSIONS/EXCLUSIONS: Owner intends for these items marked below to be included in the sale of the property unless otherwise negotiated:

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| INCLUDED | INCLUDED | INCLUDED | INCLUDED |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alarm System | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exhaust Fan(s) # _____ | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pool, Equip. & Cover | <input type="checkbox"/> Trash Compactor |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Built-in Microwave | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exist. W/W Carpet | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Refrigerator(s) # <u>1</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> Wall Oven(s) # _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ceiling Fan(s) # <u>1</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> Fireplace Screen/Doors | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> w/ice maker | <input type="checkbox"/> Water Filter |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Central Vacuum | <input type="checkbox"/> Freezer | <input type="checkbox"/> Satellite Dish | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water Softener |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clothes Dryer | <input type="checkbox"/> Furnace Humidifier | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Screens | <input type="checkbox"/> Window A/C Unit(s) # _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clothes Washer | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Garage Opener(s) # <u>1</u> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shades/Blinds | <input type="checkbox"/> Window Fan(s) # _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cooktop | <input type="checkbox"/> w/remote(s) # _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Storage Shed(s) # _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Wood Stove |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dishwasher | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Garbage Disposer | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Storm Doors | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drapery/Curtain Rods | <input type="checkbox"/> Hot Tub, Equip. & Cover | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Storm Windows | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Draperies/Curtains | <input type="checkbox"/> Intercom | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stove or Range | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Electronic Air Filter | <input type="checkbox"/> Playground Equipment | <input type="checkbox"/> T.V. Antenna | |

ADDITIONAL INCLUSIONS (Specify): _____

EXCLUSIONS (Specify): _____

UTILITIES: WATER, SEWAGE, HEATING AND CENTRAL AIR CONDITIONING: (Check all that apply)

- Water Supply: Public Well
- Sewage Disposal: Public Septic
- Heating: Oil Gas Elec. Heat Pump Other _____
- Hot Water: Oil Gas Elec. Other _____
- Air Conditioning: Gas Elec. Other _____

 5/30/12
Owner James M. Stup Date

 5/30/12
Owner Gretchen M. Stup Date

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FREDERICK COUNTY GENERAL DISCLOSURES & RIGHT TO FARM ORDINANCE

This disclosure statement concerns the real property located in the County of Frederick, State of Maryland, described as 5552 Wicomico Circle, New Market, MD 21774

LEGAL REQUIREMENT. All Contracts of Sale for real property in the state of Maryland are required to be in writing to be enforceable. You have the right to have legal counsel review all documents and represent you. The Broker/agent is required to submit all written offers to the Seller. An offer to purchase is not a contract until all terms and conditions have been agreed to in writing by the Buyer and Seller. The terms of a Contract of Sale cannot be altered after it has been accepted by all parties unless mutually agreed upon in writing by the Buyer and Seller. Therefore, the Buyer is advised that any contingencies or conditions of the sale should be a part of the original offer. The accepted Contract of Sale is a legally binding and enforceable document.

EQUAL HOUSING. The Property is offered in compliance with Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (as amended by the Fair Housing Amendments of 1988) and applicable Maryland and local laws with respect to race, color, sex, religion, national origin, physical and mental handicaps, familial status, age, sexual orientation, marital status and such other protected classes.

SETTLEMENT. All persons to be in title and/or responsible where a mortgage is to be created should be present at the time of settlement and will be required to provide photo identification. A lender usually requires, prior to settlement, a fully paid insurance policy, as well as termite and other certifications, when improved property is being purchased. The Buyer should have wired funds, bank check, or certified check for payment of estimated settlement costs and balance due under the Contract of Sale. If uncertain of the amount, the Buyer should contact the settlement company 24-48 hours before settlement. The Buyer should establish utilities in the Buyer's name commencing with the day of settlement or occupancy.

MASTER PLANS AND ZONING ORDINANCES. Buyers have the right to review any applicable master plans, zoning ordinances, or other maps and information relating to planned land uses, roads, highways and the location of parks and other public facilities affecting the property. In addition, the Buyer should check historic district guidelines and disclosures, if applicable. This information may be found at most local, county or state offices such as Parks and Recreations, Planning and Zoning, etc.

CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION APPROVAL. If a sale is subject to the approval or right of first refusal of the Council of Unit Owners or Board of Directors of a Condominium, the Seller must immediately present the Contract of Sale to such Council or Board for its action or consideration. In the event the sale is not allowed by the appropriate Council or Board, the Contract of Sale shall be null and void.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY DISTRICTS. In Fredrick County, the vendor of a property that is subject to a tax or fee of a Special Taxing District as authorized in Article 23A, § 44A(B) of the Code or by a Community Development Authority as authorized in § 2-7-125(B) of the Public Local Laws of Frederick County may not enforce a contract for the sale of the property unless, within 20 calendar days after entering into the contract, the Purchaser of the property is provided the following information in writing:

This sale is subject to a tax or fee of a Special Taxing District or Community Development Authority. State law requires that the Seller disclose to you at or before the time the contract is entered into, or within 20 calendar days after entering into the contract, certain information concerning the property you are purchasing. The content of the information to be disclosed is set forth in § 10-704 of the Real Property Article of the Maryland Annotated Code and includes the amount of the current annual tax or fee of the Special Taxing District or Community Development Authority, and a statement of whether any tax or fee of the Special Taxing District or Community Development Authority against the property is delinquent.

The amount of the current annual tax or fee of the Special Taxing District or Community Development Authority on the property is \$ 0 .

The number of years remaining for the tax or fee of the Special Taxing District or Community Development Authority on the property is 0 .

Whether any tax or fee of the Special Taxing District or Community Development Authority against the property is delinquent: Tax or fee is delinquent is not delinquent

Buyer _____ / _____

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Seller JS / GS



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