MAY 18 1979 790 0 359, KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY 1. Historic Name (s) Martin House 22. ADD/County Bluegrass/Clark Original Owner John Martin 23. Zoning Classification Present Name Magisterial District Holder-Hampton House 24. U.S.G. S. Quadrant (15'/75') 3. Owner's Name Ford Pat Shely 25, UTM, Reference 4. Owner's Address 7 3 9 4 3 0 1 6 Athens-Boonesborough Road, Ford 40320 Zone Easting 5. Location 26. Prehistoric Site Object Lower Howard's Creek Historic Site Structure 6. Open to Public 7. Visible from road 8. Ownership Building Yes No CNO Private 27. District Yes No 9. Local Contact/Organization Local Name: State Federal 28. Significance Evaluation 10. Site Plan with North Arrow 11. Architect 29. Status Date 12. Builder National Landmark National Register 13. Date Landmark Certificate Kentucky Survey 1780-1790 14. Style Local Landmark HABS/HAER 15. Original Use 30. Theme early settlement Primary dwelling architecture (stone) 16. Present Use Secondary Other ruin 17. Condition 31. Endangered Yes Interior Exterior ruin 32. 18. Description Stone house. One-story three-bay. Stone section ATTACH connects this with another stone section. РНОТО 1860? atlas this site marked as "W. T. Bush" 19. History John Martin came from Goochland County, VA and came to Kentucky with D. Boone and later returned with his family in 1782. They were members of the Old Providence Church. Roll No. Roll 3 #5-11 See Ck-49, Ck-51, Ck-526 Picture No. "As. Hampton" 1877 Atlas Direction 20. Significance John Martin came from Goochland County, Virginia 33. Tape No. Negative No. and claimed land on Lower Howard's Creek, where Martin's 34. Prepared by: station was erected. After the stockaded station era, sub-ACW-CMT stantial houses, such as this one-story, three-bay stone dwelling were erected by the settlers. This house was the 35. Organization residential center of this early industrial complex. KHC 36. Date Fall 1976 37. Revision Dates 38. Staff Review

21. Source of Information Owen, Kathryn. Old Homes and Landmarks of Clark County, Kentucky. Lexington, Kentucky: Thoroughbred Press, 1967. p. 15.

