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APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

Network Branch #:4701280132118 "NICHOLSON" Skagit, Washington

WHEREAS , the undersigned is the present Beneficiary under the Deed of Trust Described as follows:

Original Trustor: LEONE NICHOLSON, AS HIS SEPARATE PROPERTY

Original Beneficiary: CITIFINANCIAL, INC.

Dated: 02/18/2002 Recorded: 02/22/2002 in Book/Reel/Liber: N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.:

200202220138 In the County of Skagit State of Washington

Property Address: 1223 WASHINGTON ST, BURLINGTON, WA 98233

AND WHEREAS, the undersigned, who is the present Beneficiary under said Deed of Trust, desires to appoint a successor Trustee under said Deed of Trust in the place and stead of present Trustee thereunder;

Now therefore, the undersigned hereby appoints FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE CO. BY ALLIANCE TITLE, ITS UNDERWRITTEN AGENT whose address is 2183 SUTTER STREET, , SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94115 as Successor Trustee under said Deed of Trust, to have all the powers of said original Trustee, effective immediately.

CITIFINANCIAL, INC. On February 19th, 2004

By: MERHL GIBSON, Vice-President

STATE OF Maryland
COUNTY OF Frederick

On February 19th, 2004, before me, Jane Eyler, a Notary Public in and for Frederick County, in the Island of Maryland, personally appeared MERHL GIBSON, Vice-President who acknowledged himself/herself to be the aforesaid officer of the above named corporation, and that he/she, being authorized so to do, executed the forest aforesaid officer of the above named corporation, and that he/she, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained, by signing the name of the corporation by himself/herself as the officer designated therein. In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and official seal,

WITNESS my hand and official seal,

JANE EYLE Notary Expires: 11/01/2005