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**APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE**

CITIMORTGAGE, INC. #:0008164688 "MERRITT" Lender ID:5539/1687478276 Skagit, Washington  
MERS #: 100164301000017998 VRU #: 1-888-679-6377

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


Original Trustor : STEVEN R. MERRITT AND CINDY MERRITT, HUSBAND AND WIFE  
Original Beneficiary : MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.  
Dated: 04/25/2003 Recorded: 04/30/2003 in Book/Reel/Liber: N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.:  
200304300139 In the County of Skagit State of Washington

Property Address : 3609 MALLAND COURT, ANACORTES, WA 98221

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 UNDERSWRITTEN AGENT whose address is 460 DRAKE CIRCLE, , SACRAMENTO, CA 95864 as Successor Trustee under said Deed of Trust, to have all the powers of said original Trustee, effective immediately.

MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC  
On May 10th, 2005

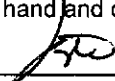
By:   
MERHL GIBSON, Vice-President



STATE OF Maryland  
COUNTY OF Frederick

On May 10th, 2005, before me, Jane Eyler, a Notary Public in and for Frederick County, in the State 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 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 EYLER  
Notary Expires: 11/01/2005

