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APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

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Loan#: 0014901052 MOTAGUE C. SMITH, JR. AND AUDREY S. SMITH, HUSBAND AND WIFE is the grantor, and MERS,

INC. AS NOMINEE FOR BEAR STEARNS RESIDENTIAL MORTGAGE CORPORATION is the beneficiary under that certain deed of trust dated MAY 17, 2006 and recorded on MAY 23, 2006, as Instrument No. 200605230046, in Book No. --- at Page No. --- in records of SKAGIT County, State of WASHINGTON described as follows:

As more fully described in said Deed of Trust

The undersigned, who is the present beneficiary under said deed of trust, desires to appoint a new trustee in the place and stead of STEWART TITLE.

NOW, THEREFORE, in view of the premises, the undersigned hereby appoints T.D. ESCROW SERVICES, INC. DBA, T.D. SERVICE COMPANY as successor trustee under said deed of trust, to have all the powers of said original trustee, effective forthwith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned beneficiary, a corporation, has caused its corporate name to be signed and affixed hereunto by its duly authorized officers.

Dated: MARCH 07, 2007

Beneficiary:

MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. AS NOMINEE FOR BEAR STEARNS RESIDENTIAL MORTGAGE CORPORATION, ITS SUCCESSORS AND/OR ASSIGNS

State of

**CALIFORNIA** 

County of

**ORANGE** 

On MARCH 07, 2007, before me, M. Tulio, a Notary Public, personally appeared Julie A. Yates personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies) and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal.

(Notary Name): M. Tulio

Recording Requested By: T.D. SERVICE COMPANY

M. TULIO COMM. # 1423840 DTARY PUBLIC CALIFORNIA **ORANGE COUNTY** comm. expires July 9, 2007