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APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

WASHINGTON MUTUAL - CLIENT 156 #:0697182640 "RUSH" Lender ID:H63/002/6638061 Skagit, Washington PIF: 06/22/2006 WHEREAS, the undersigned is the present Beneficiary under the Deed of Trust Described as follows:

Original Trustor: LEE M RUSH AND FLORA E. RUSH, WHO ALSO APPEAR RECORD AS LEE RUSH AND

FLORA RUSH, HUSBAND AND WIFE

Original Beneficiary: LONG BEACH MORTGAGE COMPANY

Dated: 12/13/2005 Recorded: 12/21/2005 in Book/Reel/Liber: N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.: 200512210128 In the County of Skagit State of Washington

Property Address: 28874 S SKAGIT HWY, SEDRO WOOLLEY, WA 98284

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 CALIFORNIA RECONVEYANCE COMPANY whose address is C/O WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, PO BOX 45179, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32232-5179 as Successor Trustee under said Deed of Trust, to have all the powers of said original Trustee, effective immediately.

WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, FA SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO LONG BEACH MORTGAGE COMPANY On February 12th, 2008

Jocelyn Tate, Lien Release Assistant Secretary

STATE OF Florida COUNTY OF Duval

Notary Expir

On February 12th, 2008, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for Duval in the State of Florida, personally appeared Jocelyn Tate, Lien Release Assistant Secretary, personally known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in her authorized capacity, and that by his/her signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument. WITNESS my hand and official seal.

WITNESS my hand and official seal,

Mirlam E. Hapner

MIRIAM E. HAPNER Commission DD365383 Expires October 24, 2008
Bonded Thru Troy Fain Insurance 800-386-7019

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