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APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

WFHM - CLIENT 708 #:0023996556 "BALLENGER" Lender ID:705906/050073419 Skagit, Washington WHEREAS, the undersigned is the present Beneficiary under the Deed of Trust Described as follows:

Original Trustor: PATRIC L BALLENGER AND JUDITH BALLENGER, HUSBAND AND WIFE AND DOREEN J BALLENGER, A SINGLE PERSON

Original Beneficiary: WELLS FARGO HOME MORTGAGE, INC.

Dated: 05/01/2003 Recorded: 06/27/2003 in Book/Reel/Liber: N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.:

200306270131 In the County of Skagit State of Washington

Property Address: 3602 COMMERICAL AVE, 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 WELLS FARGO FINANCIAL NATIONAL BANK, A NATIONAL BANKING ASSOCIATION whose address is 2701 WELLS FARGO WAY, MAC# X9901-L1R, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55467 as Successor Trustee under said Deed of Trust, to have all the powers of said original Trustee, effective immediately.

Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., successor by merger to Wells Fargo Home Mortgage, Inc. On October 6th, 2009

By: Vice President, Loan

Documentation

STATE OF Wisconsin COUNTY OF Milwaukee

On October 6th, 2009, before me, R A KEVAL, a Notary Public in and for Milwaukee in the State of Wisconsin, personally appeared Carol Mane, Vice President, Loan Documentation, 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, and that by his/her/their signature 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,

R A KEVAL

Notary Expires: 07/29/2012

R.A. Keval Notary Public State of Wisconsin

(This area for notarial seal)