

Dated: July 21, 1998

Metropolitan Mortgage & Securities Co., Inc.

By: William B. Clark, Assistant Vice President

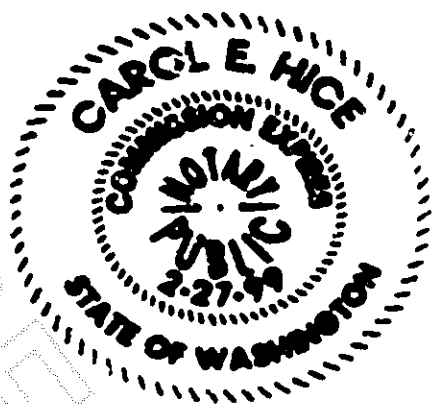
STATE OF WASHINGTON)

) ss.

COUNTY OF SPOKANE)

On July 21, 1998, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared William B. Clark to me known to be the Assistant Vice President of Metropolitan Mortgage & Securities Co., Inc., the corporation that executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the said instrument to be the free and voluntary act and deed of said corporation, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and on oath stated that he/she is authorized to execute the said instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal hereto affixed the day and year first above written.



Carol E. Hice
Notary Public in and for the State of
Washington, residing in Spokane County.
Expiration date 2-27-99

SKAGIT COUNTY WASHINGTON
Real Estate Taxes Due

JUN 14 1999

Amount Paid \$ 0.00
By Skagit Co. Treasurer Deputy

9906140102

BK2004 PG0456