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SECOND DEED OF TRUST

THIS DEED OF TRUST, made this 8th day of June, 2001, by and between ARMSTRONG BENSON I, LLC, Grantors, whose address is 258 N. Hill Boulevard, Burlington, Washington 98233; CHICAGO TITLE INSURANCE CO., Trustee, whose address is 3030 Hoyt Avenue, Everett, Washington 98201; and DONALD A BENSON, Beneficiary, whose address is 1811 Iowa Street, Bellingham, Washington 98226.

WITNESSETH:

Grantor hereby bargains, sells and conveys to Trustee in Trust, with power of sale, the following described real property in Skagit County, Washington:

Lot 18, Burlington Hill Business Park Phase II Binding Site Plan, approved October 15, 1997, recorded October 29, 1997 in Volume 13 of Short Plats, pages 53 to 56, inclusive, under Auditor's File No. 9710290033 and being a portion of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 29, Township 35 North, Range 4 East, W.M. and a portion of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 32, Township 35 North, Range 4 East, W.M.

Tax Parcel No. 8017-000-018-0000
Property Identification No.: P112920

which real property is not used principally for agricultural or farming purposes, together with all tenements, hereditaments, and appurtenances now or hereafter thereunto belonging or in any way appertaining, and the rents, issues and profits thereof.

This Deed is for the purpose of securing performance of each agreement of Grantor herein contained, and payment of the sum of NINETY-EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$98,000) with interest, in accordance with the terms of a Promissory Note of even date herewith payable to Beneficiary or order, and made by Grantor, and all renewals, modifications and extensions thereof, and also such further sums as may be advanced or loaned by Beneficiary to Grantor, or any of their successors or assigns, together with the interest thereon at such rate as shall be agreed upon.

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To protect the security of this Deed of Trust, Grantor covenants and agrees:

1. To keep the property in good condition and repair; to permit no waste thereof; to complete any building, structure or improvement being built or about to be built thereon; to restore promptly any building, structure or improvement thereon which may be damaged or destroyed; and to comply with all laws, ordinances, regulations, covenants, conditions and restrictions affecting the property.

2. To pay before delinquent all lawful taxes and assessments upon the property; to keep the property free and clear of all other charges, liens or encumbrances impairing the security of this Deed of Trust.

3. To keep all buildings now or hereafter erected on the property described herein continuously insured against loss by fire or other hazards, included within the term of extended coverage.

4. Grantor covenants that Grantor is lawfully seized of the estate hereby conveyed and has right to grant and convey the property and that the property is unencumbered except for the first priority deed of trust owing to Skagit State Bank. Grantor agrees to defend any action or proceeding purporting to affect the security hereof or the rights or powers of Beneficiary or Trustee, and to pay all costs and expenses, including cost of title search and attorney's fees in a reasonable amount, in any such action or proceeding, and in any suit brought by Beneficiary to foreclose this Deed of Trust.

5. To pay all expenses of the Trustee incurred in enforcing the obligation secured hereby and Trustee's and attorney's fees actually incurred, as provided by statute.

6. If Grantor fails to perform the covenants and agreements contained in this Deed of Trust or the Note entered contemporaneously herewith, or if any action or proceeding is commenced which materially affects Lender's interest in the property, including, but not limited to, eminent domain, insolvency, code enforcement, arrangements or proceedings involving a bankruptcy, or if Grantor fails to pay when due any taxes, assessments, insurance premiums, liens, encumbrances or other charges against the property hereinabove described, then, Beneficiary, at Beneficiary's option, may make such appearances, disburse such sums and take such action as is necessary to protect Beneficiary's interest, including, but not limited to, disbursement of a reasonable attorney's fees and the entry upon the property to make repairs.

Any amounts disbursed by Beneficiary pursuant to this paragraph with interest thereon at twelve percent (12%) per annum, shall become additional indebtedness of Grantor secured by this Deed of Trust, and shall be immediately due and owing. Nothing contained in this Section shall require Beneficiary to incur any expense or take any action hereunder.



IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED THAT:

1. In the event any portion of the property is taken or damaged in an eminent domain proceeding, the entire amount of the award or such portion thereof as may be necessary to fully satisfy the obligation secured hereby, shall be paid to Beneficiary to be applied to said obligation.

2. Any forbearance by Beneficiary in exercising any right or remedy hereunder, or otherwise afforded by applicable law, shall not be a waiver of or preclude the exercise of any such right or remedy.

3. The Trustee shall reconvey all or any part of the property conveyed by this Deed of Trust to the person entitled thereto on written request of the Grantor and the Beneficiary, or upon satisfaction of the obligation secured and written request for reconveyance made by the Beneficiary or the person entitled thereto.

4. Upon default by Grantor in the payment of any indebtedness secured hereby or in the performance of any agreement contained herein, all sums secured hereby shall immediately become due and payable at the option of the Beneficiary. In such event and upon written request of Beneficiary, Trustee shall sell the trust property, in accordance with the Deed of Trust Act of the State of Washington, at public auction to the highest bidder. Any person except Trustee may bid at Trustee's sale. Trustee shall apply the proceeds of the sale as follows: (1) to the expense of sale, including a reasonable Trustee's fee and attorney's fee; (2) to the obligation secured by this Deed of Trust; (3) the surplus, if any, shall be distributed to the persons entitled thereto.

5. Trustee shall deliver to the purchaser at the sale its deed, without warranty, which shall convey to the purchaser the interest in the property which Grantor had or had the power to convey at the time of his execution of this Deed of Trust, and such as he may have acquired thereafter. Trustee's deed shall recite the facts showing that the sale was conducted in compliance with all the requirements of law and of this Deed of Trust, which recital shall be prima facie evidence of such compliance and conclusive evidence thereof in favor of bona fide purchasers and encumbrances for value.

6. The power of sale conferred by this Deed of Trust and by the Deed of Trust Act of the State of Washington is not an exclusive remedy; Beneficiary may cause this Deed of Trust to be foreclosed as a mortgage. Beneficiary shall have all remedies afforded at law or in equity.

7. In the event of the death, incapacity or disability, or resignation of Trustee, Beneficiary may appoint in writing a successor trustee, and upon the recording of such appointment in the mortgage records of the county in which this Deed of Trust is recorded, the successor trustee shall be vested with all powers of the original trustee. The trustee is not obligated to notify any party hereto of a pending sale under any other Deed of Trust or of any action or proceeding in



which Grantor, Trustee or Beneficiary shall be a party unless such action or proceeding is brought by the Trustee.

8. This Deed of Trust applies to, inures to the benefit of, and is binding not only on the parties hereto, but on their heirs, devisees, legatees, administrators, executors, successors and assigns. The term Beneficiary shall mean the holder and owner of the Note secured hereby, whether or not named as Beneficiary herein.

ARMSTRONG BENSON I, LLC

By: Russell A. Armstrong
Russell A. Armstrong, Manager

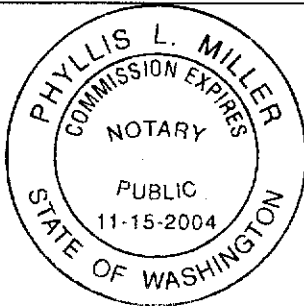
By: Kimberly L. Armstrong
Kimberly L. Armstrong, Manager

By: Donald A. Benson
Donald A. Benson, Manager

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
SKAGIT) ss.
COUNTY OF SNOHOMISH)

I certify that I have evidence that RUSSELL A. ARMSTRONG and KIMBERLY L. ARMSTRONG are the persons who appeared before me, and acknowledged that they signed this instrument, on oath stated that they were authorized to execute the instrument and acknowledged it as Managers of ARMSTRONG BENSON I, LLC, to be the free and voluntary act of such party for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

DATED: 6-8-01



Phyllis L. Miller
PRINTED NAME: Phyllis L. Miller
NOTARY PUBLIC
in and for the State of Washington.
My commission expires: 11-15-2004

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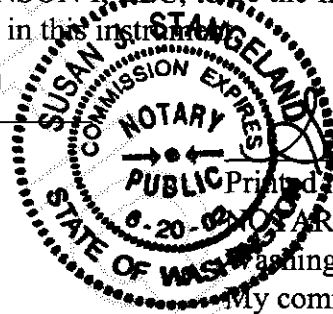
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I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that DONALD A. BENSON is the person who appeared before me and acknowledged that he signed this instrument, on oath stated that he was authorized to execute the instrument and acknowledged it as a Manager of ARMSTRONG BENSON I, L.L.C., to be the free and voluntary act of such party for the uses and purposes mentioned in this instrument.

Dated: 6-13-01



Printed name: Susan J. Stangeland
NOTARY PUBLIC in and for the State of
Washington, residing at Deming.
My commission expires: 6-20-02



REQUEST FOR FULL RECONVEYANCE

Do not record. To be used only when Note has been paid.

TO: TRUSTEE

The undersigned is the legal owner and holder of the Note and all other indebtedness secured by the within deed of Trust. Said Note, together with all other indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, has been fully paid and satisfied; and you are hereby requested and directed, on payment to you of any sums owing to you under the terms of said Deed of Trust, to cancel said Note above-mentioned, and all other evidences of indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust delivered to you herewith, together with the said Deed of Trust, and to convey, without warranty, to the parties designated by the term of said Deed of Trust, all the estate now held by you thereunder.

DATED: _____

Mail reconveyance to: _____

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