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APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

GMAC MORTGAGE CORPORATION #:0518819206 "HOEFT" Lender ID:20008/583099874 Skagit, Washington MERS #: 100037505188192069 VRU #: 1-888-679-6377

WHEREAS, the undersigned is the present Beneficiary under the Deed of Trust Described as follows:

Original Trustor: STEVE E HÖEFT AND LYNN T HOEFT

Original Beneficiary: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. ("MERS"), (solely as nominee for Lender,

GMAC Mortgage Corporation)

Dated: 09/05/2001 Recorded: 09/14/2001 as Instrument No.: 200109140100 in the County of Skagit State of

Washington

Property Address: 2617 NORTH 34TH PLACE, MOUNT VERNON, WA 98273

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 DCBL, INC., AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON, whose address is 720 OLIVE WAY, SUITE 1301, SEATTLE, WA 98101 as Successor Trustee under said Deed of Trust, to have all the powers of said original Trustee, effective immediately.

Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. ("MERS"), (solely as nominee for Lender, GMAC Mortgage Corporation)

On February 18th, 2004

Carrie Yu, Assistant Secretary

STATE OF Iowa COUNTY OF Black Hawk

On February 18th, 2004, before me, T. RUNGE, a Notary Public in and for Black Hawk in the State of Iowa, personally appeared Carrie Yu, Assistant Secretary, 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.

VITNESS my hand and official seal,

T. RUNGE

Notary Expires: 09/12/2006 #724473

T. RUNGE

NOTARIAL SEAL - STATE OF IOWA COMMISSION NUMBER 724473 MY COMMISSION EXPIRES SEPTEMBER 12, 2006

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