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APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

Network Branch #:4701280137794 "HOTTELL" Skagit, Washington PIF: 01/20/2005 WHEREAS, the undersigned is the present Beneficiary under the Deed of Trust Described as follows:

Original Trustor: JASON HOTTELL AND ERIN HOTTELL, HUSBAND AND WIFE

Original Beneficiary : CITIFINANCIAL, INC.

Dated: 12/13/2002 Recorded: 12/17/2002 in Book/Reel/Liber: N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.: 200212170090 In the County of Skagit State of Washington

Property Address: 315 E SPRUCE, 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 FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE CO. BY ALLIANCE TITLE, ITS UNDERWRITTEN AGENT whose address is 8281 MELROSE AVENUE, SUITE 300, LOS ANGELES, CA 90046 as Successor Trustee under said Deed of Trust, to have all the powers of said original Trustee, effective CORPORATE SOL immediately.

CITIFINANCIAL, INC. On February 2nd, 2005

MERHL GIBSON, Vice-President

STATE OF Maryland COUNTY OF Frederick

On February 2nd, 2005, before me, Jane Eyler, a Notary Public in and for Frederick County, in the State of Maryland, personally appeared MERHL GIBSON, Vice-President who acknowledged himself/herself to be the aforesaid officer of the above named corporation, and that he/she, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained, by signing the name of the corporation by himself/herself as the officer designated therein. In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and official seal,

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WITNESS my hand and official seal,

JANE EYLER

Notary Expires: 11/01/2005

