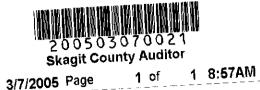
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APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE
CITIMORTGAGE, INC. #,0001893078 "GONZALES" Lender ID:5537/1682618145 Skagit, Washington MERS #: 100135900000003977 VRU #: 1-888-679-6377

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

Original Trustor: PAUL M GONZALES AND VIKI S GONZALES, HUSBAND AND WIFE Original Beneficiary: MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. Dated: 08/13/2002 Recorded: 08/20/2002 in Book/Reel/Liber: N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.: 200208200089 ReRecorded 09/12/2002 in Book/Reel/Liber: N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.: 200209120102 In the County of Skagit State of Washington

Property Address: 13631 SLICE ST., 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 FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE CO. BY ALLIANCE TITLE, ITS UNDERSWRITTEN AGENT whose address is 8281 MELROSE AVE, SUITE 300, LOS ANGELES, CA 90046 as Successor Trustee under said Deed of Trust, to have all the powers of said original Trustee, effective immediately.

MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC

On February 21st, 2005

By: A. JANE SHOW Vice-President

STATE OF Maryland COUNTY/OF Frederick

On February 21st, 2005, before me, Jane Eyler, a Notary Public in and for Frederick County, in the State of Maryland, personally appeared A. JANE SHOWS, 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

WITNESS my hand and official seal,

JANE EYLER

Notary Expires: 11/01/2005