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APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

CITIMORTGAGE, INC. #:0770092930 "GERDES" Lender ID:3012721323870 Skagit, Washington VRU #: 1-888-679-6377

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

Original Trustor : DANA L GERDES AND CARRIE LYNN GERDES, HUSBAND AND WIFE

Original Beneficiary : WHIDBEY ISLAND BANK

Dated: 11/19/2002 Recorded: 11/27/2002 as Instrument No.: 200211270144 In the County of Skagit State of Washington

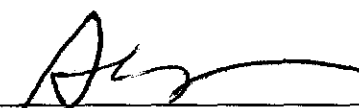
Property Address : 1019 SOUTH SECTION STREET, BURLINGTON, WA 98233

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 460 DRAKE CIRCLE, , SACRAMENTO, CA 95864 as Successor Trustee under said Deed of Trust, to have all the powers of said original Trustee, effective immediately.

CITIMORTGAGE, INC. SUCCESSOR IN INTEREST BY MERGER TO PRINCIPAL RESIDENTIAL MORTGAGE, INC.

On September 6th, 2005

By: 
GERALDINE M SIMPSON,
Vice-President

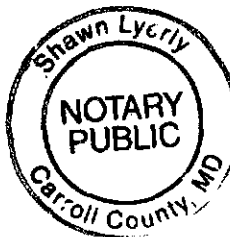


STATE OF Maryland
COUNTY OF Carroll

On September 6th, 2005, before me, SHAWN LYERLY, a Notary Public in and for Carroll County in the State of Maryland, personally appeared GERALDINE M SIMPSON, Vice-President, 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.

WITNESS my hand and official seal,


SHAWN LYERLY
Notary Expires: 10/06/2008



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