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APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

America's Servicing Company #:1205159250 "RICHARDSON" Lender ID:532001/402634743 Skagit, Washington MERS #: 1001944-7090128579-9 VRU #: 1-888-679-6377

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

Original Trustor : KENNETH W. RICHARDSON, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY Original Beneficiary : MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. AS NOMINEE FOR FREMONT INVESTMENT & LOAN

Dated: 12/28/2004 Recorded: 01/05/2005 in Book/Reel/Liber: N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.: 200501050134 In the County of Skagit State of Washington

Property Address : 505 N LAVENTURE RD, 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 WELLS FARGO FINANCIAL NATIONAL BANK, A NATIONAL BANKING ASSOCIATION whose address is 4185 HALLMARK PARKWAY, X0702-013, SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92407 as Successor Trustee under said Deed of Trust, to have all the powers of said original Trustee, effective immediately.

MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. AS NOMINEE FOR FREMONT INVESTMENT & LOAN

On January 10th, 2006

Βv

LYDIA HERRERA, Assistant Secretary

STATE OF California COUNTY OF San Bernardino

On January 10th, 2006, before me, PATRICIA RODNEY-DAVIS, a Notary Public in and for San Bernardino in the State of California, personally appeared LYDIA HERRERA, 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.

WITNESS my hand and official seal,

PATRICIA RODNEY-DAVIS Notary Expires: 02/03/2008 #1468036



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