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APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

WASHINGTON MUTUAL CLIENT 156 #:0666360284 "AUSTON" Lender ID:H36/004/0666360284 Skagit, Washington PIF: 12/06/2006

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

Original Trustor: RICHARD A AUSTON AND VERONICA'S AUSTON HUSBAND AND WIFE

Original Prostor: RICHARD A AUSTON AND VERONICA'S AUSTON HUSBAND AND WIFE
Original Beneficiary: LONG BEACH MORTGAGE COMPANY
Dated: 11/03/2004 Recorded: 11/08/2004 in Book/Reel/Liber: N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.: 200411080198 In the County of Skagit State of Washington

Property Address: 1413 13TH 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 WASHINGTON RECONVEYANCE COMPANY whose address is C/O WASHINGTON MUTUAL, PO BOX 45179, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32232-5179 as Successor Trustee under said Deed of Trust, to have all the powers of said original Trustee, effective immediately.

WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, SUCCESSOR IN INTEREST TO LONG BEACH MORTGAGE COMPANY On December 12th, 2006

Ву: se Assistant Secretary Jocelyn Tate, Lien Relea

STATE OF Florida COUNTY OF Duval

On December 12th, 2006, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for Duval in the State of Florida, personally appeared Jocelyn Tate, Lien Release Assistant Secretary, personally known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in her authorized capacity, and that by his/her signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument. WITNESS my hand and official seal.

WITNESS my hand and official seal,

Notary Expired

Mirlam E. Hapner Commission # DD365383 Expires October 24, 2008

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