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APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

POPULAR MORTGAGE SERVICING, INC. #:617788 "HAYES JR." Lender ID:465/00000000000000017788 Skagit, Washington MERS #: 100046600005794574 VRU #: 1-888-679-6377

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

Original Trustor: JERRY A HAYES JR. AND EDITH M. HAYES, HUSBAND AND WIFE, AS JOINT TENANTS Original Beneficiary: MERS AS NOMINEE FOR POPULAR FINANCIAL SERVICES, LLC. Dated: 12/19/2005 Recorded: 12/23/2005 in Book/Reel/Liber: N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.: 200512230073 In the County of Skagit State of Washington

Property Address: 4862 HUMPHREY HILL ROAD, SEDRO WOOLLEY, WA 98284

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 LANCE N. WESSELL whose address is 8235 SW OLESON ROAD, SUITE C, PORTLAND, OR 97223 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 October 8th.

JOHN N. COOKE President

STATE OF New Jersey COUNTY OF Camder

On October 8th, 2007, before me, SHIRLEY A. DONAHUE, a Notary Public in and for Camden in the State of New Jersey, personally appeared JOHN N. COOKE, 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,

SHIRLEY A. DONAHUE Notary Expires 09/25/2008 SHIRLEY A. DONAHUE NOTARY PUBLIC OF NEW JERSE Commission Expires 9/25/2008

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