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Appointment of Successor Trustee

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LaSalle Bank National Association, as Trustee for Merrill

Paul S Troupe and Hope Troupe, husband and wife is/are the grantor(s), First American is the trustee and Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. solely as nominee for First Franklin Financial Corp., an Op. Sub. of MLB&T Co., FSB is the beneficiary under that certain deed of trust dated 06/21/07 and recorded on 06/26/07 under Skagit County, Washington Auditor's File No. 200706260068.

The present beneficiary under said deed of trust appoints Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., a Washington corporation, whose address is P.O. Box 997, Bellevue, WA 98009-0997, as successor trustee under the deed of trust with all powers of the

The undersigned present beneficiary warrants and represents that, as of the date this Appointment of Successor Trustee has been executed and acknowledged, it is the owner and holder of the obligation secured by the subject deed of trust and is not holding the same as security for a different obligation.

Lynch First Franklin Mortgage Loan Trust, Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2007-HM Bryan G Kusich PENNSYLVANIA STATE OF VP-Of Default Operation for Home Loan Services Inc. as Servicer COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Bryan G Kusach is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that (he/she) signed this instrument, on oath stated that (he/she) was authorized to execute the instrument and acknowledged it as the VP-Of Default Operation of Home Loan Services, Inc., as Servicer for LaSalle Bank National Association, as Trustee for Merrill Lynch First Franklin Mortgage Loan Trust, Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2007-H1 to be the free and voluntary act of such party for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Dated: 12/11/08

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Notarial Seal

My appointment expires

Jennifer Marie Dix, Notary Public City of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County My Commission Expires June 7, 2011

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Home Loan Services, Inc. Forrower: TROUPE, PAUL and HOPE Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries

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