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APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

CITIMORTGAGE, INC. #:0008098302 "STERMER" Lender ID:03013/721714328 Skagit, Washington MERS #: 100135900000017498 VRU #: 1-888-679-6377

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

Original Trustor: PAUL D STERMER AND BECKY K STERMER HUSBAND AND WIFE
Original Beneficiary: MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.
Dated: 03/11/2003 Recorded: 03/13/2003 in Book/Reel/Liber: N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.: 200303130049 In the County of Skagit State of Washington

Property Address: 1726 LINDSAY LOOP, MOUNT VERNON, WA 98274

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 CITICORP TRUST BANK, FSB whose address is 5280 CORPORATE DRIVE, FREDERICK, MD 21703 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 December 30th, 2008

KENNETH C BALOGH,

Vice-President

STATE OF Maryland COUNTY OF Frederick

On this 30th day of December 2008, before me, the undersigned officer personally appeared KENNETH C BALOGH, who made acknowledgment on behalf of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., who acknowledges himself/herself to be the Vice-President of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., a corporation, and that he/she as such Vice-President, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument in their capacity for the purposes therein contained, by signing the name of the corporation by himself/herself as Vice-President.

WITNESS my hand and official seal,

SHERRY CHEFFLER Notary Expires: 12/31/2011

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