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APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

GMAC MORTGAGE, LLC #:7392248746 "MERRILL" Lender ID:93031/10547543 Skagit, Washington PIF: 07/14/2010 MERS #: 100062604276895671 VRU #: 1-888-679-6377

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

Original Trustor: STEPHEN W.MERRILL AND SHARON L MERRILL

Original Beneficiary: MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC ("MERS")

Dated: 03/21/2006 Recorded: 03/29/2006 in Book/Reel/Liber: NA Page/Folio: NA as Instrument No.:

200603290049 In the County of Skagit State of Washington

Property Address: 18780 W BIG LAKE BLVD, 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 FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY, whose address is C/O EXECUTIVE TRUSTEE SERVICES, INC, 2255 NORTH ONTARIO ST SUITE 400, BURBANK, CA 91504 as Successor Trustee under said Deed of Trust, to have all the powers of said original Trustee, effective immediately.

MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS")

On July 26th, 2010

VICKIE DAY, Assistant Secreta

STATE OF Iowa COUNTY OF Black Hawk

On this 26th of July, 2010, before me C BOUCHARD Notary Public, personally appeared VICKIE DAY, Assistant Secretary, to me known to be the person(s) named in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he/she/they executed the same as his/her/they voluntary act and deed.

WITNESS my hand and official seal,

BOUCHARD Notary Expires: 17/14/2012 #743949

C. BOUCHARD OMMISSION NO. 743949 NY COMMISSION EXPIRES