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LIEN RELEASE DEPT WELL'S FARGO HOME MORTGAGE MAC X9901-L1R 2701 WELLS FARGO WAY MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55467



MFHM - CLIENT 936 # 0287145981 "SMITH" Lender ID:780039/678290369 Skagit, Washington MERS #: 100297810300129030 SIS #: 1-888-679-6377

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

Original Trustor: DALE F SMITH AND MELINDA'S SMITH, HUSBAND AND WIFE Original Beneficiary: MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.

Dated: 06/20/2011 Recorded: 06/24/2011 in Book/Reel/Liber; N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.:

201106240043 In the County of Skagit State of Washington

Property Address: 3509 W 2ND STREET, 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 WELLS FARGO FINANCIAL NATIONAL BANK, A NATIONAL BANKING ASSOCIATION whose address is 2701 WELLS FARGO WAY, MAC# X9901-L1R, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55467 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 6th, 2012

Shauro Shannon E. Weiss, Assistant Secretary

STATE OF Minnesota COUNTY OF Hennepin

On December 6th, 2012, before me, MATTHEW K. HAAVISTO, a Notary Public in and for Hennepin in the State of Minnesota, personally appeared Shannon E. Weiss, Assistant Secretary, 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 seaf,

MATTHEW K. HÁAVISTO Notary Expires: 01/31/2017

MATTHEW K HAAVISTO NOTARY PUBLIC - MINNESOTA MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 1/31/17

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