




EXHIBIT A

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LOT 46 IN BLOCK 2 IN JAMES U. BORDEN'S SUBDIVISION OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 17, TOWNSHIP 38 NORTH, RANGE 14, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Property of Cook County Clerk's Office

EXEMPT UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF  
PARAGRAPH 1 OF SECTION 17 OF THE  
REAL PROPERTY TRANSFER ACT  
SIGN & DATE  3-27-02

STATEMENT BY GRANTOR AND GRANTEE

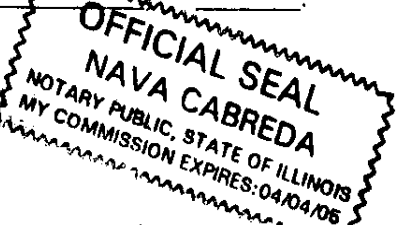
The grantor or his agent affirms that, to the best of his knowledge, the name of the grantee shown on the deed or assignment of beneficial interest in a land trust is either a natural person, an Illinois Corporation or foreign Corporation authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate in Illinois, a partnership authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate in Illinois, or other entity recognized as a person and authorized to do business or acquire title to real estate under the laws of the State of Illinois.

Dated 3-27, 2002

[Signature] (Grantor or Agent)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of March, 2002

[Signature] (Notary Public)



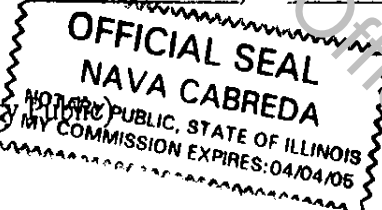
The grantee or his agent affirms and verifies that the name of the grantee shown on the deed or assignment of beneficial interest in a land trust is either a natural person, an Illinois Corporation or foreign Corporation authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate in Illinois, a partnership authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate in Illinois, or other entity recognized as a person and authorized to do business or acquire and hold title to real estate under the laws of the State of Illinois.

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Note: Any person who knowingly submits a false statement concerning the identity of a grantee shall be guilty of a Class C misdemeanor for the first offense and of a Class A misdemeanor for subsequent offenses.

(attach to deed or ABI to be recorded in Cook County, Illinois, if Exempt under the provisions of Section 4 of the Illinois Real Estate Transfer Tax Act).