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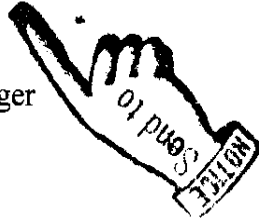
PPM Loan No. 0401902

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WHEN RECORDED RETURN TO:

Schwartz, Cooper, Greenberger & Krauss
180 North LaSalle Street
Suite 2700
Chicago, Illinois 60601
Attention: Sharon Z. Letchinger



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MORTGAGE, SECURITY AGREEMENT AND FINANCING STATEMENT

THIS MORTGAGE, SECURITY AGREEMENT AND FINANCING STATEMENT (this "Mortgage") is made as of July 16th, 2004, by **MLRP SERGO LLC**, a Delaware limited liability company (the "Mortgagor"), c/o ML Realty Partners LLC, One Pierce Place, Suite 450, Itasca, Illinois 60143, to and for the benefit of **JACKSON NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY**, a Michigan corporation (the "Mortgagee"), c/o PPM Finance, Inc., 225 West Wacker Drive, Suite 1200, Chicago, Illinois 60606.

1. MORTGAGE AND SECURED OBLIGATIONS.

1.1 Mortgage. For purposes of securing payment and performance of the Secured Obligations defined and described in Section 1.2, Mortgagor hereby irrevocably and unconditionally mortgages, grants, assigns, remises, releases, warrants and conveys to Mortgagee, its successors and assigns, all estate, right, title and interest which Mortgagor now has or may later acquire in and to the following property (all or any part of such property, or any interest in all or any part of it, as the context may require, the "Property"):

(a) the real property located in the County of Cook, State of Illinois and more particularly described in Exhibit A attached hereto, together with all existing and future easements and rights affording access to it (the "Land");

(b) all buildings, structures and improvements now located or later to be constructed on the Land (the "Improvements");

(c) all existing and future appurtenances, privileges, easements, franchises and tenements of the Land, including all minerals, oil, gas, other hydrocarbons and associated substances, sulfur, nitrogen, carbon dioxide, helium and other commercially valuable substances which may be in, under or produced from any part of the Land, all development rights and credits, air rights, water, water rights (whether riparian, appropriative or otherwise, and whether or not appurtenant) and water stock, and any land lying in the streets, roads or avenues, open or proposed, in front of or adjoining the Land and Improvements;

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(d) all existing and future leases, subleases, subtenancies, licenses, occupancy agreements and concessions (“leases”, as defined in the Assignment of Leases and Rents described in Section 2 herein, executed and delivered to Lender contemporaneously herewith) relating to the use and enjoyment of all or any part of the Land and Improvements, and any and all guaranties and other agreements relating to or made in connection with any of such leases;

(e) all goods, materials, supplies, chattels, furniture, fixtures, equipment and machinery now or later to be attached to, placed in or on, or used in connection with the use, enjoyment, occupancy or operation of all or any part of the Land and Improvements, whether stored on the Land or elsewhere, including all pumping plants, engines, pipes, ditches and flumes, and also all gas, electric, cooking, heating, cooling, air conditioning, lighting, refrigeration and plumbing fixtures and equipment, all of which shall be considered to the fullest extent of the law to be real property for purposes of this Mortgage;

(f) all building materials, equipment, work in process or other personal property of any kind, whether stored on the Land or elsewhere, which have been or later will be acquired for the purpose of being delivered to, incorporated into or installed in or about the Land or Improvements;

(g) all of Mortgago’s interest in and to the Loan funds, whether disbursed or not, the Escrow Accounts (as defined in Section 3.1 of the Loan Agreement) and any of Mortgago’s funds now or later to be held by or on behalf of Mortgagee;

(h) all rights to the payment of money, accounts, accounts receivable, reserves, deferred payments, refunds, cost savings, payments and deposits, whether now or later to be received from third parties (including all earnest money sales deposits) or deposited by Mortgago with third parties (including all utility deposits), contract rights, development and use rights, governmental permits, and licenses, applications, architectural and engineering plans, specifications and drawings, as-built drawings, chattel paper, instruments, documents, notes, drafts and letters of credit (other than letters of credit in favor of Mortgagee), which arise from or relate to construction on the Land or to any business now or later to be conducted on it, or to the Land and Improvements generally;

(i) all proceeds, including all claims to and demands for them, of the voluntary or involuntary conversion of any of the Land, Improvements or the other property described above into cash or liquidated claims, including proceeds of all present and future fire, hazard or casualty insurance policies and all condemnation awards or payments now or later to be made by any public body or decree by any court of competent jurisdiction for any taking or in connection with any condemnation or eminent domain proceeding, and all causes of action and their proceeds for any damage or injury to the Land, Improvements or the other property described above or any part of them, or breach of warranty in connection with the construction of the Improvements, including causes of action arising in tort, contract, fraud or concealment of a material fact;

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(j) all books and records pertaining to any and all of the property described above, including computer-readable memory and any computer hardware or software necessary to access and process such memory (“Books and Records”);

(k) (i) the agreements described in Exhibit B attached hereto, which exhibit is incorporated herein by reference; (ii) all other agreements heretofore or hereafter entered into relating to the construction, ownership, operation, management, leasing or use of the Land or Improvements; (iii) any and all present and future amendments, modifications, supplements, and addenda to any of the items described in (i) and (ii) above; (iv) any and all guarantees, warranties and other undertakings (including payment and performance bonds) heretofore or hereafter entered into or delivered with respect to any of the items described in clauses (i) through (iii) above; (v) all trade names, trademarks, logos and other materials used to identify or advertise, or otherwise relating to the Land or Improvements; and (vi) all building permits, governmental permits, licenses, variances, conditional or special use permits, and other authorizations (collectively, the “Permits”) now or hereafter issued in connection with the construction, development, ownership, operation, management, leasing or use of the Land or Improvements, to the fullest extent that the same or any interest therein may be legally assigned by Mortgagor; and

(l) all proceeds of additions and accretions to, substitutions and replacements for, and changes in any of the property described above.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the Property unto Mortgagee, its successors and assigns, forever, for the purposes and upon the uses herein set forth together with all right to possession of the Property after the occurrence of any Event of Default; Mortgagor hereby **RELEASING AND WAIVING** all rights under any by virtue of the homestead exemption laws of the State of Illinois.

Capitalized terms used above and elsewhere in this Mortgage without definition have the meanings given them in the Loan Agreement referred to in Section 1.2 below.

1.2 Secured Obligations. This Mortgage is made for the purpose of securing the following obligations (the “Secured Obligations”) in any order of priority that Mortgagee may choose:

(a) Payment of all obligations at any time owing under a Promissory Note (the “Note”) of even date herewith, payable by Mortgagor, MLRP 201 Oakton LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (“Oakton”) and MLRP Terminal 1 LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (“Terminal” and, together with Oakton, “Co-Borrowers”) as maker in the stated principal amount of Seventeen Million and 00/100 Dollars (\$17,000,000.00) to the order of Mortgagee, which Note matures and is due and payable in full not later than August 10, 2012; and

(b) Payment and performance of all obligations of Mortgagor and Co-Borrowers under a Loan Agreement of even date herewith between Mortgagor and Co-Borrowers, as borrower, and Mortgagee, as lender (the “Loan Agreement”); and

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(c) Payment and performance of all obligations of Mortgagor under this Mortgage; and

(d) Payment and performance of any obligations of Mortgagor and Co-Borrowers under any Loan Documents (as defined in the Loan Agreement) which are executed by Mortgagor and Co-Borrowers, including without limitation the Environmental Indemnity; and

(e) Payment and performance of all future advances and other obligations that Mortgagor or any successor in ownership of all or part of the Property may agree to pay and/or perform (whether as principal, surety or guarantor) for the benefit of Mortgagee, when a writing evidences the parties' agreement that the advance or obligation be secured by this Mortgage; and

(f) Payment of all obligations at any time owing under a Promissory Note (the "Portfolio I Note") dated as of November 12, 2003, payable by MLRP 1000 Veterans LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Veterans"), MLRP Crossroads LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Crossroads") and MLRP Messenger LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Messenger" and, collectively with Veterans and Crossroads, "Portfolio I Borrowers") as maker in the stated principal amount of Twenty-Three Million Seven Hundred Thousand and 00/100 Dollars (\$23,700,000.00) to the order of Mortgagee, which Portfolio I Note matures and is due and payable in full not later than August 10, 2012; and

(g) Payment and performance of all obligations of Portfolio I Borrowers under any documents or instruments evidencing and/or securing the loan made by Mortgagee in favor of Portfolio I Borrowers as evidenced by the Portfolio I Note, as such documents are more particularly described in the Loan Agreement as the "Portfolio I Loan Documents"; and

(h) Payment and performance of all modifications, amendments, extensions and renewals, however evidenced, of any of the Secured Obligations.

All persons who may have or acquire an interest in all or any part of the Property will be considered to have notice of, and will be bound by, the terms of the Secured Obligations and each other agreement or instrument made or entered into in connection with each of the Secured Obligations. These terms include any provisions in the Note or the Loan Agreement which provide that the interest rate on one or more of the Secured Obligations may vary from time to time.

2. **ASSIGNMENT OF RENTS.** As an inducement to Mortgagee to make the loan evidenced by the Note and the Loan Agreement, Mortgagor has contemporaneously herewith executed and delivered to Mortgagee an Assignment of Leases and Rents with respect to the Property. The terms thereof are incorporated herein by reference, with the parties acknowledging that the assignment contained therein is a present and absolute assignment and not a collateral assignment of Mortgagor's interest in the Leases and Rents described therein.

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3. GRANT OF SECURITY INTEREST.

3.1 Security Agreement. The parties acknowledge that some of the Property and some or all of the Rents (as defined in the Assignment of Leases and Rents) may be determined under applicable law to be personal property or fixtures. To the extent that any Property or Rents may be personal property (the "Collateral"), Mortgagor as debtor hereby grants Mortgagee as secured party a security interest in all such Collateral, to secure payment and performance of the Secured Obligations. This provision is not in derogation of the absolute assignment of the Leases and Rents contained in such Assignment of Leases and Rents and incorporated herein by reference in Section 2 above. This Mortgage constitutes a security agreement under the Uniform Commercial Code as in effect in the State of Illinois (the "Code"), covering all such Collateral.

3.2 Financing Statements. Mortgagor shall execute one or more financing statements and such other documents as Mortgagee may from time to time require and will do all such acts as Mortgagee may reasonably request or as may be necessary or appropriate to perfect or continue the perfection of Mortgagee's security interest in any Collateral. Mortgagor shall pay all fees and costs that Mortgagee may incur in filing such documents in public offices and in obtaining such record searches as Mortgagee may reasonably require. Mortgagor hereby irrevocably authorizes Mortgagee at any time, and from time to time, to file in any jurisdiction any initial financing statements and amendments thereto that (i) indicate the Collateral as all assets of Mortgagor (or words of similar effect), regardless of whether any particular asset comprised in the Collateral falls within the scope of Article 9 of the Uniform Commercial Code of the jurisdiction wherein such financing statement or amendment is filed, or as being of an equal or lesser scope or within greater detail, and (ii) contain any other information required by Section 5 of Article 9 of the Uniform Commercial Code of the jurisdiction wherein such financing statement or amendment is filed regarding the sufficiency or filing office acceptance of any financing statement or amendment, including whether Mortgagor is an organization, the type of organization and any organization identification number issued to Mortgagor, and in the case of a financing statement filed as a fixture filing or indicating Collateral as as-extracted collateral or timber to be cut, a sufficient description of real property to which the Collateral relates, Mortgagor agrees to furnish any such information to Mortgagee promptly upon request. Mortgagor further ratifies and affirms its authorization for any financing statements and/or amendments thereto, executed and filed by Mortgagee in any jurisdiction prior to the date of this Mortgage.

3.3 Fixture Filing. This Mortgage constitutes a financing statement filed as a fixture filing under Section 9-502(b) of the Code, as amended or recodified from time to time, covering any of the Collateral which now is or later may become fixtures attached to the Land or the Improvements. The following addresses are the mailing addresses of Mortgagor, as debtor under the Code, and Mortgagee, as secured party under the Code, respectively:

Mortgagor: MLRP Sergo LLC, a Delaware limited liability company
One Pierce Place
Suite 450
Itasca, Illinois 60143
Attn: Patrick Hogan

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Federal Tax Identification No: 20-0492872

Mortgagee: Jackson National Life Insurance Company
c/o PPM Finance, Inc.
225 West Wacker Drive
Suite 1200
Chicago, Illinois 60606
Attn: Commercial Mortgage Servicing Manage

3.4 Remedies of Secured Party. Upon an Event of Default hereunder, Mortgagee shall have the remedies of a secured party under the Code, including, without limitation, the right to take immediate and exclusive possession of the Collateral, or any part thereof, and for that purpose, so far as Mortgagor can give authority therefor, with or without judicial process, may enter (if this can be done without breach of the peace) upon any place which the Collateral or any part thereof may be situated and remove the same therefrom (provided that if the Collateral is affixed to real estate, such removal shall be subject to the conditions stated in the Code); and Mortgagee shall be entitled to hold, maintain, preserve and prepare the Collateral for sale, until disposed of, or may propose to retain the Collateral subject to Mortgagor's right of redemption in satisfaction of Mortgagor's obligations, as provided in the Code. Mortgagee may render the Collateral unusable without removal and may dispose of the Collateral on the Property. Mortgagee may require Mortgagor to assemble the Collateral and make it available to Mortgagee for its possession at a place to be designated by Mortgagee which is reasonably convenient to both parties. Mortgagee will give Mortgagor at least ten (10) days' notice of the time and place of any public sale of the Collateral or of the time after which any private sale or any other intended disposition thereof is made. The requirements of reasonable notice shall be met if such notice is mailed, by certified United States mail or equivalent, postage prepaid, to the address of Mortgagor hereinafter set forth at least ten (10) days before the time of the sale or disposition. Mortgagee may buy at any public sale. Mortgagee may buy at private sale if the Collateral is of a type customarily sold in a recognized market or is of a type which is the subject of widely distributed standard price quotations. Any such sale may be held in conjunction with any foreclosure sale of the Property. If Mortgagee so elects, the Property and the Collateral may be sold as one lot. The net proceeds realized upon any such disposition, after deduction for the expenses of retaking, holding, preparing for sale, selling and the reasonable attorneys' fees and legal expenses incurred by Mortgagee, shall be applied against the Secured Obligations in such order or manner as Mortgagee shall select. Mortgagee will account to Mortgagor for any surplus realized on such disposition.

3.5 Representations and Warranties. Mortgagor represents and warrants that:

- (a) Mortgagor is the record owner of the Property;
- (b) Mortgagor's chief executive office is located in the State of Illinois;
- (c) Mortgagor's state of formation is the State of Delaware;
- (d) Mortgagor's exact legal name is as set forth in the first paragraph of this Mortgage; and

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- (e) Mortgagor's organizational identification number is 3730214.
- (f) Mortgagor agrees that:
 - (1) Where Collateral is in possession of a third party, Mortgagor will join with the Mortgagee in notifying the third party of the Mortgagee's interest and obtaining an acknowledgment from the third party that it is holding the Collateral for the benefit of Mortgagee;
 - (2) Mortgagor will cooperate with the Mortgagee in obtaining control with respect to Collateral consisting of: deposit accounts, investment property, letter of credit rights and electronic chattel paper; and
 - (3) Until the Secured Obligations are paid in full, Mortgagor will not change the state where it is located or change its company name without giving the Mortgagee at least thirty (30) days' prior written notice in each instance.

4. REPRESENTATIONS, COVENANTS AND AGREEMENTS.

4.1 Good Title. Mortgagor covenants that it is the holder of fee simple title to the Property, free and clear of all liens and encumbrances, except for the Permitted Exceptions (as defined in the Loan Agreement), and that it has good right, full power and lawful authority to convey and mortgage the same, and that it will warrant and forever defend the Property and the quiet and peaceful possession of the same against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever.

4.2 Insurance. In the event of any loss or damage to any portion of the Property due to fire or other casualty, or a taking of any portion of the Property by condemnation or under the power of eminent domain, the settlement of all insurance and condemnation claims and awards and the application of insurance and condemnation proceeds shall be governed by Section 5 of the Loan Agreement.

4.3 Stamp Tax. If, by the laws of the United States of America, or of any state or political subdivision having jurisdiction over Mortgagor, any tax is due or becomes due in respect of the issuance of the Note, or recording of this Mortgage, Mortgagor covenants and agrees to pay such tax in the manner required by any such law. Mortgagor further covenants to hold harmless and agrees to indemnify Mortgagee, its successors or assigns, against any liability incurred by reason of the imposition of any tax on the issuance of the Note or recording of this Mortgage.

4.4 Changes in Taxation. In the event of the enactment after this date of any law of the State in which the Property is located or any political subdivision thereof deducting from the value of land for the purpose of taxation any lien thereon, or imposing upon Mortgagee the payment of the whole or any part of the taxes or assessments or charges or liens herein required to be paid by Mortgagor, or changing in any way the laws relating to the taxation of mortgages or debts secured by mortgages or the Mortgagee's interest in the Property, or the manner of collection of taxes, so as to affect this Mortgage or the Secured Obligations, then Mortgagor, upon demand by Mortgagee, shall pay such taxes or assessments, or reimburse Mortgagee therefor; provided, however, that if in the opinion of counsel for Mortgagee (i) it might be

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unlawful to require Mortgagor to make such payment or (ii) the making of such payment might result in the imposition of interest beyond the maximum amount permitted by law, then Mortgagee may elect, by notice in writing given to Mortgagor, to declare all of the Secured Obligations to be and become due and payable sixty (60) days from the giving of such notice, which payment shall be made without a prepayment premium.

4.5 Subrogation. Mortgagee shall be subrogated to the liens of all encumbrances, whether released of record or not, which are discharged in whole or in part by Mortgagee in accordance with this Mortgage or with the proceeds of any loan secured by this Mortgage.

4.6 Notice of Change. Mortgagor shall give Mortgagee prior written notice of any change in: (a) the location of its place of business or its chief executive office if it has more than one place of business; (b) the location of any of the Property, including the Books and Records; and (c) Mortgagor's name or business structure. Unless otherwise approved by Mortgagee in writing, all Property that consists of personal property (other than the Books and Records) will be located on the Land and all Books and Records will be located at Mortgagor's place of business or chief executive office if Mortgagor has more than one place of business.

4.7 Releases, Extensions, Modifications and Additional Security. From time to time, Mortgagee may perform any of the following acts without incurring any liability or giving notice to any person: (i) release any person liable for payment of any Secured Obligation; (ii) extend the time for payment, or otherwise alter the terms of payment or the rate of interest charged under the Note, of any Secured Obligation; (iii) accept additional real or personal property of any kind as security for any Secured Obligation, whether evidenced by deeds of trust, mortgages, security agreements or any other instruments of security; (iv) alter, substitute or release any property securing the Secured Obligations; (v) consent to the making of any plat or map of the Property or any part of it; (vi) join in granting any easement or creating any restriction affecting the Property; or (vii) join in any subordination or other agreement affecting this Mortgage or the lien of it. If any of the foregoing acts occur, all persons now or at any time hereafter liable therefore, or interested in the Property or having an interest in Mortgagor, shall be held to assent to such extension, variation, release or change and their liability and the lien and all of the provisions hereof shall continue in full force, any right of recourse against all such persons being expressly reserved by Mortgagee notwithstanding any such extension, variation, release or change.

5. DEFAULTS AND REMEDIES.

5.1 Events of Default. An "Event of Default," as defined in the Loan Agreement, shall constitute an Event of Default hereunder.

5.2 Remedies. At any time after an Event of Default, Mortgagee shall be entitled to invoke any and all of the rights and remedies described below, in addition to all other rights and remedies available to Mortgagee in the Portfolio I Loan Documents, at law or in equity. All of such rights and remedies shall be cumulative, and in addition to every other right, power or remedy, express or implied, given now or hereafter existing under any of the Loan Documents or at law or in equity, and each and every right, power and remedy herein set forth or otherwise so existing may be exercised from time to time as often and in such order as may be deemed

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expedient by Mortgagee, and the exercise or the beginning of the exercise of one right, power or remedy shall not be a waiver of the right to exercise at the same time or thereafter any other right, power or remedy, and no delay or omission of Mortgagee in the exercise of any right, power or remedy accruing hereunder or arising otherwise shall impair any such right, power or remedy, or be construed to be a waiver of any Event of Default or acquiescence therein.

(a) Acceleration. Mortgagee may declare any or all of the Secured Obligations to be due and payable immediately.

(b) Receiver. Mortgagee shall, as a matter of right, without notice and without giving bond to Mortgagor or anyone claiming by, under or through Mortgagor, and without regard for the solvency or insolvency of Mortgagor or the then value of the Property, to the extent permitted by applicable law, be entitled to have a receiver appointed for all or any part of the Property and the Rents, and the proceeds, issues and profits thereof, with the rights and powers referenced below and such other rights and powers as the court making such appointment shall confer, and Mortgagor hereby consents to the appointment of such receiver and shall not oppose any such appointment. Such receiver shall have all powers and duties prescribed by Illinois law, all other powers which are necessary or usual in such cases for the protection, possession, control, management and operation of the Property, and such rights and powers as Mortgagee would have, upon entering and taking possession of the Property under subsection (c) below.

(c) Entry. Mortgagee, in person, by agent or by court-appointed receiver, may enter, take possession of, manage and operate all or any part of the Property, and may also do any and all other things in connection with those actions that Mortgagee may in its sole discretion consider necessary and appropriate to protect the security of this Mortgage. Such other things may include: taking and possessing all of Mortgagor's or the then owner's Books and Records; entering into, enforcing, modifying or canceling leases on such terms and conditions as Mortgagee may consider proper; obtaining and evicting tenants; fixing or modifying Rents; collecting and receiving any payment of money owing to Mortgagor; completing any unfinished construction; and/or contracting for and making repairs and alterations. If Mortgagee so requests, Mortgagor shall assemble all of the Property that has been removed from the Land and make all of it available to Mortgagee at the site of the Land. Mortgagor hereby irrevocably constitutes and appoints Mortgagee as Mortgagor's attorney-in-fact to perform such acts and execute such documents as Mortgagee in its sole discretion may consider to be appropriate in connection with taking these measures, including endorsement of Mortgagor's name on any instruments.

(d) Cure; Protection of Security. Mortgagee may cure any breach or default of Mortgagor, and if it chooses to do so in connection with any such cure, Mortgagee may also enter the Property and/or do any and all other things which it may in its sole discretion consider necessary and appropriate to protect the security of this Mortgage. Such other things may include: appearing in and/or defending any action or proceeding which purports to affect the security of, or the rights or powers of Mortgagee under, this Mortgage; paying, purchasing, contesting or compromising any encumbrance, charge,

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lien or claim of lien which in Mortgagee's sole judgment is or may be senior in priority to this Mortgage, such judgment of Mortgagee to be conclusive as between the parties to this Mortgage; obtaining insurance and/or paying any premiums or charges for insurance required to be carried under the Loan Agreement; otherwise caring for and protecting any and all of the Property; and/or employing counsel, accountants, contractors and other appropriate persons to assist Mortgagee. Mortgagee may take any of the actions permitted under this Section 5.2(d) either with or without giving notice to any person. Any amounts expended by Mortgagee under this Section 5.2(d) shall be secured by this Mortgage. Mortgagee's failure to act shall never be considered as a waiver of any right accruing to Mortgagee on account of any Event of Default. Should any amount paid out or advanced by Mortgagee hereunder, or pursuant to any agreement executed by Mortgagor in connection with the Loan, be used directly or indirectly to pay off, discharge or satisfy, in whole or in part, any lien or encumbrance upon the Property or any part thereof, then Mortgagee shall be subrogated to any and all rights, equal or superior titles, liens and equities, owned or claimed by any owner or holder of said outstanding liens, charges and indebtedness, regardless of whether said liens, charges and indebtedness are acquired by assignment or have been released of record by the holder thereof upon payment.

(e) Uniform Commercial Code Remedies. Mortgagee may exercise any or all of the remedies granted to a secured party under the Code.

(f) Foreclosure; Lawsuits. Mortgagee shall have the right, in one or several concurrent or consecutive proceedings, to foreclose the lien hereof upon the Property or any part thereof, for the Secured Obligations, or any part thereof, by any proceedings appropriate under applicable law, including the Illinois Mortgage Foreclosure Act (Chapter 735, Sections 5/15-1101 et. seq., Illinois Compiled Statutes) (as may be amended from time to time, the "Act"). Mortgagee or its nominee may bid and become the purchaser of all or any part of the Property at any foreclosure or other sale hereunder, and the amount of Mortgagee's successful bid shall be credited on the Secured Obligations. Without limiting the foregoing, Mortgagee may proceed by a suit or suits in law or equity, whether for specific performance of any covenant or agreement herein contained or contained in any of the other Loan Documents (as defined in the Loan Agreement), or in aid of the execution of any power herein granted, or for any foreclosure under the judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, or for damages, or to collect the indebtedness secured hereby, or for the enforcement of any other appropriate legal, equitable, statutory or contractual remedy. Mortgagee may sell the Property at public auction in one or more parcels, at Mortgagee's option, and convey the same to the purchaser in fee simple, Mortgagor to remain liable for any deficiency for which Mortgagor shall be personally liable. In the event of a foreclosure sale, Mortgagee is hereby authorized, without the consent of Mortgagor, to assign any and all insurance policies to the purchaser at such sale or to take such other steps as Mortgagee may deem advisable to cause the interest of such purchaser to be protected by any of such insurance policies. In any suit to foreclose the lien hereof, there shall be allowed and included as additional indebtedness in the decree for sale all expenditures and expenses which may be paid or incurred by or on behalf of Mortgagee for reasonable attorneys' fees, appraisers' fees, outlays for documentary and expert evidence, stenographers' charges,

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publication costs, and costs (which may be estimated as to items to be expended after entry of the decree) of procuring all such abstracts of title, title searches and examinations, title insurance policies, and similar data and assurances with respect to the title as Mortgagee may deem reasonably necessary either to prosecute such suit or to evidence to bidders at any sale which may be had pursuant to such decree the true condition of the title to or the value of the Property. All expenditures and expenses of the nature mentioned in this paragraph and such other expenses and fees as may be incurred in the enforcement of Mortgagor's obligations hereunder, the protection of said Property and the maintenance of the lien of this Mortgage, including the reasonable fees of any attorney employed by Mortgagee in any litigation or proceeding affecting this Mortgage, the Note, or the Property, including probate and bankruptcy proceedings, or in preparations for the commencement or defense of any proceeding or threatened suit or proceeding shall be immediately due and payable by Mortgagor, with interest thereon until paid at the Default Rate and shall be secured by this Mortgage.

(g) Other Remedies. Mortgagee may exercise all rights and remedies contained in any other instrument, document, agreement or other writing heretofore, concurrently or in the future executed by Mortgagor, Co-Borrowers or any other person or entity in favor of Mortgagee in connection with the Secured Obligations or any part thereof, without prejudice to the right of Mortgagee thereafter to enforce any appropriate remedy against Mortgagor. Mortgagee shall have the right to pursue all remedies afforded to a mortgagee under Illinois law and other applicable law, and shall have the benefit of all of the provisions of such statutes and such applicable law, including all amendments thereto which may become effective from time to time after the date hereof. In the event any provision of such statutes which is specifically referred to herein may be repealed, Mortgagee shall have the benefit of such provision as most recently existing prior to such repeal, as though the same were incorporated herein by express reference.

(h) Single or Multiple Foreclosure Sales. If the Property consists of more than one lot, parcel or item of property, Mortgagee may:

(1) designate the order in which the lots, parcels and/or items shall be sold or disposed of or offered for sale or disposition; and

(2) elect to dispose of the lots, parcels and/or items through a single consolidated sale or disposition to be held or made under or in connection with judicial proceedings, or by virtue of a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale, or pursuant to the power of sale contained herein; or through two or more such sales or dispositions; or in any other manner Mortgagee may deem to be in its best interests (any foreclosure sale or disposition as permitted by the terms hereof is sometimes referred to herein as a "Foreclosure Sale;" and any two or more such sales, "Foreclosure Sales").

If it chooses to have more than one Foreclosure Sale, Mortgagee at its option may cause the Foreclosure Sales to be held simultaneously or successively, on the same day, or on such different days and at such different times and in such order as it may deem to be in its best interests. No Foreclosure Sale shall terminate or affect the liens of this Mortgage

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on any part of the Property which has not been sold, until all of the Secured Obligations have been paid in full.

(i) Compliance with Illinois Mortgage Foreclosure Law. In the event that any provisions in this Mortgage shall be inconsistent with any provision of the Act, the provisions of the Act shall take precedence over the provisions of this Mortgage, but shall not invalidate or render unenforceable any other provision of this Mortgage that can be construed in a manner consistent with the Act. If any provision of this Mortgage shall grant to Mortgagee (including Mortgagee acting as a mortgagee-in-possession) or a receiver appointed pursuant to the provisions of Paragraph 5.2 of this Mortgage any powers, rights or remedies prior to, upon or following the occurrence of an Event of Default which are more limited than the powers, rights or remedies that would otherwise be vested in Mortgagee or in such receiver under the Act in the absence of said provision, Mortgagee and such receiver shall be vested with the powers, rights and remedies granted in the Act to the full extent permitted by law. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, all expenses incurred by Mortgagee which are of the type referred to in Section 5/15-1511 or 5/15-1512 of the Act, whether incurred before or after any decree or judgment of foreclosure, and whether or not enumerated in this Mortgage, shall be added to the Secured Obligation and/or by the judgment of foreclosure.

5.3 Application of Foreclosure Sale Proceeds. The proceeds of any Foreclosure Sale shall be applied in the following manner:

(a) First, to pay the portion of the Secured Obligations attributable to the expenses of sale, costs of any action and any other sums for which Mortgagor is obligated to reimburse Mortgagee hereunder or under the other Loan Documents;

(b) Second, to pay the portion of the Secured Obligations attributable to any sums expended or advanced by Mortgagee under the terms of this Mortgage which then remain unpaid;

(c) Third, to pay all other Secured Obligations in any order and proportions as Mortgagee in its sole discretion may choose; and

(d) Fourth, to remit the remainder, if any, to the person or persons entitled to it.

5.4 Application of Rents and Other Sums. Mortgagee shall apply any and all Rents collected by it in the manner provided in the Assignment of Leases and Rents of even date herewith executed by Mortgagor in favor of Mortgagee. Any and all sums other than Rents collected by Mortgagee or a receiver and proceeds of a Foreclosure Sale which Mortgagee may receive or collect under Section 5.2 shall be applied in the following manner:

(a) First, to pay the portion of the Secured Obligations attributable to the costs and expenses of operation and collection that may be incurred by Mortgagee or any receiver;

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- (b) Second, to pay all other Secured Obligations in any order and proportions as Mortgagee in its sole discretion may choose; and
- (c) Third, to remit the remainder, if any, to the person or persons entitled to it.

Mortgagee shall have no liability for any funds which it does not actually receive.

5.5 Waiver of Marshalling. Mortgagee shall have the right to determine the order in which any or all of the premises securing this Loan shall be subjected to the remedies provided herein, in the other Loan Documents and in the Portfolio I Loan Documents, or otherwise available at law or in equity. Mortgagee shall have the right to determine the order in which any of the indebtedness evidenced by the Note and the Portfolio I Note is satisfied and the proceeds realized upon the exercise of such remedies. Mortgagor and any other party who now or at any time hereafter in the future may have a security or other interest in the Property waives any and all right to require the marshalling of assets or to require that any of the collateral be sold in parcels, or as an entirety, or in any combination, in connection with the exercise of the rights and remedies permitted by applicable law and by the Loan Documents and Portfolio I Loan Documents.

6. RELEASE OF LIEN. I, Mortgagor and Co-Borrowers shall fully pay and perform all of the Secured Obligations and comply with all of the other terms and provisions hereof and the other Loan Documents to be performed and complied with by Mortgagor and Co-Borrowers, then Mortgagee shall release this Mortgage and the lien thereof by proper instrument upon payment, performance and discharge of all of the Secured Obligations and payment by Mortgagor of any filing fee in connection with such release.

7. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

7.1 Additional Provisions. The Loan Documents fully state all of the terms and conditions of the parties' agreement regarding the matters mentioned in or incidental to this Mortgage. The Loan Documents also grant further rights to Mortgagee and contain further agreements and affirmative and negative covenants by Mortgagor and Co-Borrowers which apply to this Mortgage and the Property.

7.2 Giving of Notice. Any notice, demand, request or other communication which any party hereto may be required or may desire to give hereunder shall be given as provided in Section 9.3 of the Loan Agreement.

7.3 Remedies Not Exclusive. No action for the enforcement of the lien or any provision hereof shall be subject to any defense which would not be good and available to the party interposing same in an action at law upon the Note. Mortgagee shall be entitled to enforce payment and performance of any of the Secured Obligations and to exercise all rights and powers under this Mortgage or other agreement or any laws now or hereafter in force, notwithstanding some or all of the Secured Obligations may now or hereafter be otherwise secured, whether by mortgage, deed of trust, pledge, lien, assignment or otherwise. Neither the acceptance of this Mortgage nor its enforcement, whether by court action or other powers herein contained, shall prejudice or in any manner affect Mortgagee's right to realize upon or enforce any other security now or hereafter held by Mortgagee, it being agreed that Mortgagee shall be

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entitled to enforce this Mortgage and any other remedy herein or by law provided or permitted, but each shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to every other remedy given hereunder or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity or by statute. No waiver of any default of the Mortgagor hereunder shall be implied from any omission by Mortgagee to take any action on account of such default if such default persists or is repeated, and no express waiver shall affect any default other than the default specified in the express waiver and that only for the time and to the extent therein stated. No acceptance of any payment of any one or more delinquent installments which does not include interest at the Default Rate from the date of delinquency, together with any required late charge, shall constitute a waiver of the right of Mortgagee at any time thereafter to demand and collect payment of interest at such Default Rate or of late charges, if any.

7.4 Waiver of Statutory Rights. To the extent permitted by law, Mortgagor hereby agrees that it shall not and will not apply for or avail itself of any appraisal, valuation, stay, extension or exemption laws, or any so-called "Moratorium Laws," now existing or hereafter enacted, in order to prevent or hinder the enforcement or foreclosure of this Mortgage, but hereby waives the benefit of such laws. Mortgagor for itself and all who may claim through or under it waives any and all right to have the property and estates comprising the Property marshaled upon any foreclosure of the lien hereof and agrees that any court having jurisdiction to foreclose such lien may order the Property sold as an entirety. Without limiting the foregoing:

(a) The Mortgagor hereby expressly waives any and all rights of reinstatement and redemption, if any, under any order or decree of foreclosure of this Mortgage, on its own behalf and on behalf of each and every person, it being the intent hereof that any and all such rights of reinstatement and redemption of the Mortgagor and of all other persons are and shall be deemed to be hereby waived to the full extent permitted by the provisions of Illinois Compiled Statutes 735 ILCS 5/15-1c(3) or other applicable law or replacement statutes;

(b) The Mortgagor will not invoke or utilize any such law or laws or otherwise hinder, delay or impede the execution of any right, power remedy herein or otherwise granted or delegated to the Mortgagee but will suffer and permit the execution of every such right, power and remedy as though no such law or laws had been made or enacted; and

(c) If the Mortgagor is a trustee, Mortgagor represents that the provisions of this paragraph (including the waiver of reinstatement and redemption rights) were made at the express direction of Mortgagor's beneficiaries and the persons having the power of direction over Mortgagor, and are made on behalf of the trust estate of Mortgagor and all beneficiaries of Mortgagor, as well as all other persons mentioned above.

7.5 Estoppel Affidavits. Mortgagor, within fifteen (15) days after written request from Mortgagee, shall furnish a written statement, duly acknowledged, setting forth the unpaid principal of, and interest on, the Secured Obligations and stating whether or not any offset or defense exists against such Secured Obligations, and covering such other matters as Mortgagee may reasonably require.

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7.6 Merger. No merger shall occur as a result of Mortgagee's acquiring any other estate in or any other lien on the Property unless Mortgagee consents to a merger in writing.

7.7 Binding on Successors and Assigns. This Mortgage and all provisions hereof shall be binding upon Mortgagor and all persons claiming under or through Mortgagor, and shall inure to the benefit of Mortgagee and its successors and assigns.

7.8 Captions. The captions and headings of various paragraphs of this Mortgage are for convenience only and are not to be construed as defining or limiting, in any way, the scope or intent of the provisions hereof.

7.9 Severability. If all or any portion of any provision of this Mortgage shall be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect, then such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability shall not affect any other provision hereof or thereof, and such provision shall be limited and construed as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision or portion thereof was not contained herein.

7.10 Effect of Extensions of Time and Amendments. If the payment of the Secured Obligations or any part thereof be extended or varied or if any part of the security be released, all persons now or at any time hereafter liable therefor, or interested in the Property, shall be held to assent to such extension, variation or release, and their liability and the lien and all provisions hereof shall continue in full force, the right of recourse, if any, against all such persons being expressly reserved by Mortgagee, notwithstanding such extension, variation or release. Nothing in this Section 7.10 shall be construed as waiving any provision contained herein or in the Loan Documents which provides, among other things, that it shall constitute an Event of Default if the Property be sold, conveyed, or encumbered.

7.11 Mortgagee's Lien for Service Charge and Expenses. At all times, regardless of whether any proceeds of the loan secured hereby have been disbursed, this Mortgage secures (in addition to the amounts secured hereby) the payment of any and all commissions, service charges, liquidated damages, expenses and advances due to or incurred by Mortgagee in connection with such loan; provided, however, that in no event shall the total amount secured hereby exceed two hundred percent (200%) of the face amount of the Note.

7.12 Applicable Law. This Mortgage shall be governed by and construed under the internal laws of the State of Illinois.

7.13 Limitation of Liability. The provisions of Section 9.18 of the Loan Agreement are hereby incorporated by reference.

7.14 Due on Sale Clause. As more fully set forth in Section 6.2 of the Loan Agreement, the assignment, sale, conveyance, pledge, transfer or encumbrance of the Property, or any interest therein, or the transfer of an interest in Mortgagor, except for the permitted transfers set forth in Section 6.3 of the Loan Agreement, without prior written consent of Mortgagee, shall constitute an Event of Default.

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7.15 Time is of the Essence. Time is of the essence with respect to each and every covenant, agreement and obligation of Mortgagor under this Mortgage, the Note and the other Loan Documents.

7.16 Recordation. Mortgagor forthwith upon the execution and delivery of this Mortgage, and thereafter from time to time, will cause this Mortgage, and any security instrument creating a lien or evidencing the lien hereof upon the Property, or any portion thereof, and each instrument of further assurance, to be filed, registered or recorded in such manner and in such places as may be required by any present or future law in order to publish notice of and fully to protect the lien hereof upon, and the interest of Mortgagee in, the Property.

Mortgagor will pay all filing, registration or recording fees and taxes, and all expenses incident to the preparation, execution and acknowledgment of this Mortgage, any mortgage supplemental hereto, any security instrument with respect to the Property and any instrument of further assurance, and all federal, state, county and municipal stamp taxes, duties, impositions, assessments and charges arising out of or in connection with the execution and delivery of the Note, this Mortgage, any mortgage supplemental hereto, any security instrument, any other Loan Documents or any instrument of further assurance.

7.17 Modifications. This Mortgage may not be changed or terminated except in writing signed by both parties. The provisions of this Mortgage shall extend and be applicable to all renewals, amendments, extensions, consolidations, and modifications of the other Loan Documents, and any and all references herein to the Loan Documents shall be deemed to include any such renewals, amendments, extensions, consolidations or modifications thereof.

7.18 Independence of Security. Mortgagor shall not by act or omission permit any building or other improvement on any premises not subject to the lien of this Mortgage to rely on the Property or any part thereof or any interest therein to fulfill any municipal or governmental requirement, and Mortgagor hereby assigns to Mortgagee any and all rights to give consent for all or any portion of the Property to rely on any premises not subject to the lien of this Mortgage or any interest therein to fulfill any municipal or governmental requirement. Mortgagor shall not by act or omission impair the integrity of the Property as a single zoning lot, and as one or more complete tax parcels, separate and apart from all other premises. Any act or omission by Mortgagor which would result in a violation of any of the provisions of this Section 7.18 shall be void.

7.19 Maximum Indebtedness. Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, in no event shall the indebtedness secured by this Mortgage exceed an amount equal to \$34,000,000.00; provided, however, in no event shall Mortgagee be obligated to advance funds in excess of the face amount of the Note.

7.20 Invalidity of Provisions. In the event that any provision of this Mortgage is deemed to be invalid by reason of the operation of law, or by reason of the interpretation placed thereon by any administrative agency or any court, Mortgagor and Mortgagee shall negotiate an equitable adjustment in the provisions of the same in order to effect, to the maximum extent permitted by law, the purpose of this Mortgage and the validity and enforceability of the

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remaining provisions, or portions or applications thereof, shall not be affected thereby and shall remain in full force and effect.

7.21 Complete Agreement. This Mortgage, the Note, the Loan Agreement and the other Loan Documents constitute the complete agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and none of the Loan Documents may be modified, altered or amended except by an agreement in writing signed by both Mortgagor and Co-Borrowers (to the extent they are also a party to said Loan Documents) and Mortgagee.

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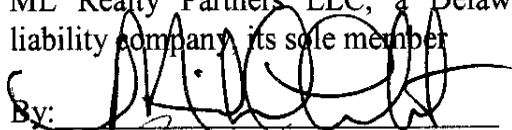
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Mortgagor has executed this Mortgage as of the date first written above.

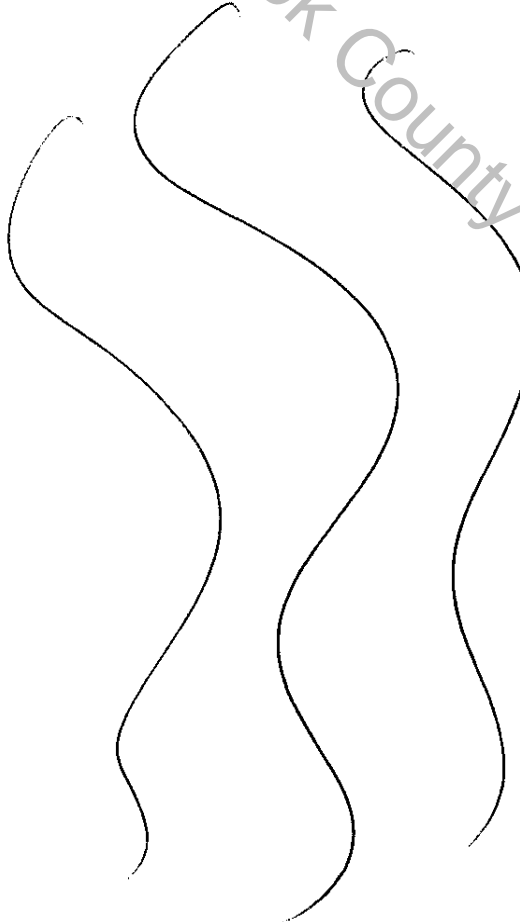
MORTGAGOR

MLRP SERGO LLC, a Delaware limited liability company

By: ML Realty Partners LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, its sole member

By: 
Its: President and CEO

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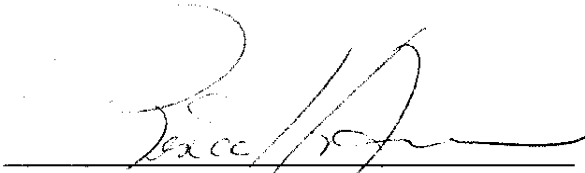


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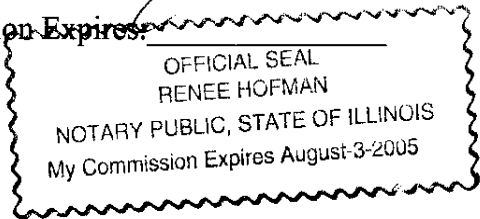
STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) ss
COUNTY OF DePue)

On the 24 day of July, 2004 before me, a notary public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Michael Suedt, President of ML Realty Partners LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, the sole member of MLRP Sergo LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, who is known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person acted and executed the instrument on behalf of the limited liability company.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal.



Notary Public
My Commission Expires: _____



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EXHIBIT "A"

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

PARCEL 1:

LOT 1 IN CENTERPOINT BUSINESS CENTER, BEING A RESUBDIVISION IN SECTION 10, TOWNSHIP 38 NORTH, RANGE 12, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED OCTOBER 8, 2003 AS DOCUMENT 0328119083, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

PARCEL 2:

NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR THE BENEFIT OF PARCEL 1 FOR THE PURPOSE OF PEDESTRIAN AND VEHICULAR INGRESS AND EGRESS OVER THE EAST-WEST ROADWAY EASEMENT AREA AND THE EAST ROADWAY EASEMENT AREA CREATED BY THE CENTERPOINT MC COOK INDUSTRIAL CENTER UNIT NO 1 SUBDIVISION RECORDED AS DOCUMENT 09015566 AND MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED ON EXHIBITS "D" AND "F" IN THE RECIPROCAL GRANT OF EASEMENT AGREEMENT RECORDED JUNE 22, 1999 AS DOCUMENT 99598178 AND AS CREATED BY DEED FROM CENTERPOINT PROPERTIES CORPORATION TO MLRP ERGO LLC RECORDED JANUARY 2, 2004 AS DOCUMENT 0400245005.

PARCEL 3:

EASEMENT FOR THE BENEFIT OF PARCEL 1 FOR INGRESS AND EGRESS AS CREATED BY PLAT OF CENTERPOINT MC COOK INDUSTRIAL CENTER UNIT NO. 2 SUBDIVISION RECORDED SEPTEMBER 20, 2002 AS DOCUMENT 0021033691 AND AS SET FORTH ON PLAT OF SUBDIVISION OF CENTERPOINT BUSINESS CENTER RECORDED OCTOBER 8, 2003 AS DOCUMENT 0328119083.

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EXHIBIT B

INCORPORATED AGREEMENTS

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