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FIRST AMENDMENT

TO

DECLARATION OF CONDOMINIUM OWNERSHIP

AND

BY-LAWS, EASEMENTS, RESTRICTIONS AND COVENANTS FOR THE

18th PLACE CONDOMINIUMS

This FIRST AMENDMENT to the Declaration of Condominium Ownership and By-Laws, Easements, Restrictions and Covenants for the 13th Place, Condominiums is made this day of August, 2006 by RMR 18th Place, LLC, an Illnois limited liability company (the "Declarant"):

WITNESSETH THAT:

WHEREAS, Declarant filed a Declaration of Condominium Own rship and By-Laws Easements, Restrictions and Covenants for the 18th Place Condominiums in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Cook County, Illinois on as Document Number 0619310039 (the "Declaration"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Declaration, the Declarant held title to the following described real estate (the "Property"), which Property was, by and through the Declaration, submitted to the provisions of the Condominium Property Act:

Lots 13 and 14 in the Subdivision of the South ½ of Block 5 in Walsh and McMullen's Subdivision of the South ¾ of the Southeast ¼ of Section 20, Township 39 North, Range 14, East of the Third Principal Meridian, in Cook County, Illinois.

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and

WHEREAS, Declarant intends to amend the Declaration in conformance with the requirements of the Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/I (the "Act") by recording this First Amendment to Declaration of Condominium Ownership and By-Laws Easements, Restrictions and Covenants for the 18th Place Condominiums (the "First Amendment"); and

WHEREAS, the Declaration did not accurately reflect the Declarant's intentions vis-à-vis the "Commercial Activities" restriction as originally set forth in Article XVII, Section 12 of the Declaration; and

WHEREAS, this First Amendment will now set forth and accurately reflect the Declarant's intention with respect to the "Home Business Use" to be inserted in lieu of the previously set ions. Commercial Activities" provisions, as aforesaid; and

WHEREAS, except as to the "Home Business Use" provision replacement, as aforesaid, this First Amendment does not otherwise alter or modify the Declaration; and

WHEREAS, this First Amendment is not intended to and therefore does not modify the number of dwelling Units in the Condominium; and

WHEREAS, this First Amendment is not intended to and therefore does not modify the Plat of Survey attached as Exhibit "A" to the Declaration; and

WHEREAS, this First Amendment is not intended to and therefore does not modify the percentage ownership interests assigned to the Units as more fully set forth in Exhibit "B" to the Declaration.

NOW, THEREFORE, this instrument (the First Amendment) amends the Declaration as follows:

1. This First Amendment amends the Declaration in the following respects as referenced by the following Section and paragraph reference, which mirror and parallel that set forth in the original Declaration:

Article XVII, Section 12.

by deleting the following provision in its entirety:

"12. <u>Commercial Activities</u>. No industry, business, trade, occupation, or profession of any kind, commercial, religious, educational, or otherwise, designated for profit, altruism, exploration, or otherwise, shall be conducted, maintained, or permitted in any unit."

and

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by **inserting** in lieu thereof the following provision:

- "12. Home Business Use. No provision herein shall be construed to prevent or prohibit a Unit Owner from maintaining their personal professional library, keeping their personal business or professional records or accounts, handling their personal business or professional communications, or conferring with business or professional associates, clients or customers in their Unit; provided such meetings with agents, employees, clients, or customers can be done in a regular or continuing or recurring manner or the Unit Owner can have employees, or agents doing business from the Unit; ONLY as may be allowed by Municipal Ordinances in effect from time to time."
- 2. This First Amendment to the Declaration is made pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Declaration and the Act.
- 3. This First Amendment to the Declaration is executed on the following page by RMR 18th Place, LLC, an Illinois limited liability company, as Declarant possessing requisite power and authority to execute this instrument.

[see signatures on following pages]

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said RMR 18th Place, LLC, an Illinois limited liability company, as Declarant as aforesaid, has caused its name to be signed in this First Amendment by its Manager this 4 day of August, 2006.

RMR 18th Place, LLC,

an Illinois limited liability company

By: X ///hor

Michael J. Williamson, Its Manager

STATE OF ILLATIOIS)

SS

COUNTY OF C OCK

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that the above named Manager of RMR 18th Place, LLC, an Illinois limited liability company, Declarant, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument as such Manager, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed and delivered the said instrument as his own free and voluntary act and as the free and voluntary act of said company for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and Notarial Seal this 14

day of August, 2006.

OFFICIAL SEAL
JOHN E LOVESTRAND
NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF ILLINOIS
ANY COMMISSION EXPIRES 0900410

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KAUENSWOOD BANK **CONSENT OF MORTGAGEE** Community Bank of Ravenswood, holder of Mortgages on the Property recorded December 9, 2004 and May 26, 2005 as Document Numbers 0434433208 and 0514649018, respectively, hereby consents to the First Amendment to the Declaration of Condominium Ownership for the 18th Place Condominiums and agrees that said Mortgage is subject to the provisions of said First Amendment to the Declaration and the Condominium Property act of the State of Illinois. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Community Bank of Ravenswood has caused this instrument to be signed by its duly authorized officers on its behalf on this /91/2 day of August, 2006. RAVENSWOOD BANK Community Bank of Ravenswood ATTEST: STATE OF ILLINOIS)) ss COUNTY OF COOK) The undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, do hereby certify that Community Bank of Ravenswood, personally known to me to be the same persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument as such JENIOR CLOSENT and MSST. VICEPRESIDENT, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that they signed, sealed and delivered said instrument as their free and voluntary act, and as the

free and voluntary act of said corporation, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

GIVEN under my hand and notarial seal this / th day of August, 2006.

My Commission Expires: 08/06/2008

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