Recording Requested By: VERDUGO TRUSTEE SERVICE CORPORATION

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CATHERINE SMITH 5902 W ERIE AVE CHICAGON 60644 Doc#: 0723415056 Fee: \$26.50 Eugene "Gene" Moore RHSP Fee: \$10.00

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SUBSTITUTION OF TRUSTEE

Network Branch #:1300550200083 "SMITH" Cook, Illinois PIF: 06/23/2007

FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE OWNER, THIS RELEASE SHALL BE FILED WITH THE RECORDER OR THE REGISTRAR OF TITLES IN WHOSE OFFICE THE MORTGAGE OR DEED OF TRUST WAS FILED.

WHEREAS, the undersigned is the present Peneficiary under the Deed of Trust described as follows:

Original Trustor: M. C. SMITH AND KATHERINE SMITH, HIS WIFE, IN JOINT TENANCY

Original Beneficiary: ASSOCIATES FINANCE, INc.

Original Trustee: MARTIN E. HERMAN

Dated: 07/23/1996 Recorded: 07/24/1996 in Book/Reel/Liber: N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.:

0096563110, in the county of Cook, State of Illinois

Legal: THE EAST 1/2 OF THE SOUTH 150 FEET OF LOT 409 IN AUSTIN'S RESUBDIVSIION OF BLOCK 9 IN AUSTINVILLE BEING AUSTIN AND MERRICK'S SUBDIVISON OF THE EAST 1/2 OF THE NORTH EAST 1/4 OF SECTION 8 AND THE WEST 1/2 OF THE NORTH WEST 1/4 OF SECTION 9 TOWNSHIP 39 NORTH RANGE 13 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAIN IN COOK COUNTY ILLIPOIS

Assessor's/Tax ID No. 16-08-218-015

Property Address: 5902 W ERIE AVE, CHICAGO, IL 60644

AND WHEREAS, the undersigned, who is the present Beneficiary under said Deed of Trust, accres 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 VERDUGO TRUSTEE SERVICE CORPORATION whose address is 5902 W ERIE AVE as Successor Trustee under said Deed of Trust, to have all the powers of said original Trustee, effective immediately.

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CITIFINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. 309, LLC, A DELAWARE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (SUCCESSOR BY REASON OF MERGER WITH ASSOCIATES FINANCE, INC.)

On July 20th, 2007

By: MARYLYN C BROWN, Vice-President

STATE OF Maryland COUNTY OF Frederick

On July 20th, 2007, before the Jane Eyler, a Notary Public in and for Frederick County, in the State of Maryland, personally appeared MARYL' N C BROWN, Vice-President who acknowledged himself/herself to be the aforesaid officer of the above named corporation, and that he/she, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained, by signing the name of the corporation by himself/herself as the officer designated therein. In witness who leaf I hereunto set my hand and official seal,

WITNESS my hand and official seal,

JANE EYLER

Notary Expires: 11/01/2009

Prepared By:

Patti K Miller, VERDUGO TRUSTEE SERVICE CORPORATION PO BOX 9443, GAITHERS JURG, MD 20898-9443

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