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SEND TAX NOTICES TO:

HOWARD BRAUN
PAMELA BRAUN
8535 LAWDALE
SKOKIE, IL 60076

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This Modification of Mortgage prepared by:

Connie Griffin
1st Equity Bank
3956 West Dempster St
Skokie, IL 60076

MODIFICATION OF MORTGAGE

THIS MODIFICATION OF MORTGAGE dated April 12, 2003, is made and executed between **HOWARD BRAUN and PAMELA BRAUN, AS HUSBAND AND WIFE**, (referred to below as "Grantor") and **1st Equity Bank**, whose address is 3956 West Dempster St, Skokie, IL 60076 (referred to below as "Lender").

MORTGAGE. Lender and Grantor have entered into a Mortgage dated December 12, 2003 (the "Mortgage") which has been recorded in COOK County, State of Illinois, as follows:

FILING DATE FEBRUARY 20, 2004 AS DOCUMENT NO. 040513212 IN THE RECORDS OF THE RECORDER'S OFFICE OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

REAL PROPERTY DESCRIPTION. The Mortgage covers the following described real property located in COOK County, State of Illinois:

LOTS 15 AND 16 IN BLOCK 9 IN HARRY A. ROTH AND COMPANY'S BROADVIEW HEIGHTS SUBDIVISION, BEING A SUBDIVISION OF THAT PART OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 23, TOWNSHIP 41 NORTH, RANGE 13, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, LYING EASTERLY OF EAST PRAIRIE ROAD, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

The Real Property or its address is commonly known as 8535 LAWDALE, SKOKIE, IL 60076. The Real Property tax identification number is 10-23-122-021-0000 & 10-23-122-022-0000.

MODIFICATION. Lender and Grantor hereby modify the Mortgage as follows:

THIS MODIFICATION EXTENDS THE MATURITY DATE TO APRIL 12, 2009 AND INCREASES THE PRINCIPAL BALANCE BY \$12,000.00 WHICH IS EVIDENCED BY A NEW NOTE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$52,000.00 FOR A TOTAL INDEBTEDNESS OF \$52,000.00 WITH A MAXIMUM LEIN OF \$104,000.00 .

CONTINUING VALIDITY. Except as expressly modified above, the terms of the original Mortgage shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect and are legally valid, binding, and enforceable in accordance with their respective terms. Consent by Lender to this Modification does not waive Lender's right to require strict performance of the Mortgage as changed above nor obligate Lender to make any future modifications. Nothing

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in this Modification shall constitute a satisfaction of the promissory note or other credit agreement secured by the Mortgage (the "Note"). It is the intention of Lender to retain as liable all parties to the Mortgage and all parties, makers and endorsers to the Note, including accommodation parties, unless a party is expressly released by Lender in writing. Any maker or endorser, including accommodation makers, shall not be released by virtue of this Modification. If any person who signed the original Mortgage does not sign this Modification, then all persons signing below acknowledge that this Modification is given conditionally, based on the representation to Lender that the non-signing person consents to the changes and provisions of this Modification or otherwise will not be released by it. This waiver applies not only to any initial extension or modification, but also to all such subsequent actions.

GRANTOR ACKNOWLEDGES HAVING READ ALL THE PROVISIONS OF THIS MODIFICATION OF MORTGAGE AND GRANTOR AGREES TO ITS TERMS. THIS MODIFICATION OF MORTGAGE IS DATED APRIL 12, 2008.

GRANTOR:

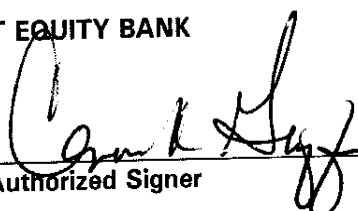
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HOWARD BRAUN

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PAMELA BRAUN

LENDER:**1ST EQUITY BANK**

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Authorized Signer

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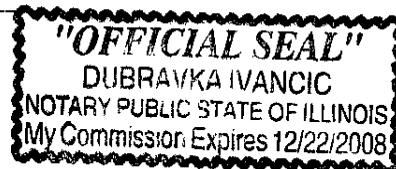
On this day before me, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared **HOWARD BRAUN and PAMELA BRAUN**, to me known to be the individuals described in and who executed the Modification of Mortgage, and acknowledged that they signed the Modification as their free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

Given under my hand and official seal this 12th day of April, 20 08.

By Dubravka Ivancic Residing at 1st Equity Bank

Notary Public in and for the State of Illinois

My commission expires 12/22/08

**LENDER ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

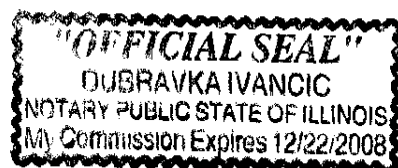
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On this 12th day of April, 2008, before me, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared Connie R. Englin and known to me to be the VP, authorized agent for 1st Equity Bank that executed the within and foregoing instrument and acknowledged said instrument to be the free and voluntary act and deed of 1st Equity Bank, duly authorized by 1st Equity Bank through its board of directors or otherwise, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and on oath stated that he or she is authorized to execute this said instrument and in fact executed this said instrument on behalf of 1st Equity Bank.

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