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KAREN A. YARBROUGH

COOK COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS

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The property identified as: **PIN:** 16-17-302-035-0000

Address:

Street: 917 S Lombard Ave

Street line 2:

City: Oak Park

State: IL

ZIP Code: 60304

Lender: Zoe Pendergast

Borrower: Echelon Realty Investments Corporation

Loan / Mortgage Amount: \$30,000.00

This property is located within the program area and the transaction is exempt from the requirements of 765 ILCS 77/70 et seq. because the application was taken by an exempt entity.

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Execution date: 10/12/2017

UNOFFICIAL COPY**MORTGAGE NOTE
(Fixed Rate)**

THIS IS A BALLOON MORTGAGE NOTE AND THE FINAL PAYMENT OR THE BALANCE DUE UPON MATURITY IS \$30,000.00 TOGETHER WITH ACCRUED INTEREST AND ALL ADVANCEMENTS MADE BY THE MORTGAGEE UNDER THE TERMS OF THE MORTGAGE

This instrument was prepared by: Johnny J. Bardine, Esq., 4437 Central Avenue North, St. Petersburg, FL 33713.

MORTGAGE NOTE (Fixed Rate) THIS MORTGAGE (herein "Instrument"), is made on this 6th day of October, 2017 between the Mortgagors/Grantors, **Echelon Realty Investments Corporation**, whose address is **9725 Woods Dr #1517 Skokie, IL 60077** (herein "Borrower"), and the Mortgagee, **Zoe Pendergast** whose address is **2019 59th Street South, Gulfport, FL 33707** (herein Lender").

Whereas, Borrower is indebted to Lender in the principal sum of **THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS AND 00/100 (\$30,000.00)**, calculated together a return to the Lender of **\$6000.00 plus \$1,000 in attorney's fees**, which indebtedness is evidenced by Borrower's note of even date (herein "Note"), providing for the payment of the full debt, due and payable upon the closing of the 917 S Lombard Ave Oak Park, IL 60304 property sale or **January 8, 2017**, whichever occurs first..

TO SECURE TO LENDER (a) the repayment of the indebtedness evidenced by the Note, with interest thereon, and all renewals, extensions and modifications thereof; (b) the repayment of any future advances, with interest thereon, made by Lender to Borrower pursuant to paragraph 22 hereof (herein "Future Advances"); hereof; (c) the payment of all other sums, with interest thereon, advanced in accordance herewith to protect the security of this Instrument; and (d) the performance of the covenants and agreements of Borrower herein contained, Borrower does hereby mortgage grant, convey and assign to Lender the following described property located in **COOK** County, Illinois:

Legal Description:

The South 13.38 feet of Lot 8 and the North 23.62 feet of Lot 9 in Block 1 in the West Harrison Street Subdivision of the North 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 17, Township 39 North, Range 13, East of the Third Principal Meridian, in Cook County, Illinois.

LOT 23, HULBERTS LOMBARD, Section 05 Cook County, Illinois

Which has the address of 917 S Lombard Ave Oak Park, IL 60304, "Property Address"

TOGETHER with all buildings, improvements, hereditaments, appurtenances and tenements now or hereafter erected on the property, and all heretofore or hereafter vacated alleys and streets abutting the property, and all easements, rights, appurtenances, rents, royalties, mineral, oil and gas rights and profits thereof herein referred to as the "Property".

Borrower INITIAL SV

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Borrower covenants that Borrower is lawfully seized of the estate hereby conveyed and has the right to mortgage, grant, convey and assign the Property that the property is unencumbered and that Borrower will warrant and defend generally the title to the Property against all claims and demands, subject to any easements and restrictions listed in a schedule of exceptions to coverage in any title insurance policy insuring Lender's interest in the Property.

Borrower and Lender covenant and agree as follows:

1. **PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST.** Borrower shall promptly pay when due the interest on the indebtedness evidenced by the Note, any prepayment and late charges provided in the Note and all other sums secured by this Instrument. In the event the agreed payment is less than the interest due then the excess unpaid interest shall be added to the principal.

2. **APPLICATION OF PAYMENTS.** Unless applicable law provides otherwise, all payments received by Lender from Borrower under the Note or this instrument shall be applied by Lender in the following order of priority: (i) amounts payable to Lender by Borrower under paragraph 2 hereof; (ii) interest payable on the Note; (iii) principal of the Note; (iv) interest payable on advances made pursuant to paragraph 8 hereof; (v) principal of advances made pursuant to paragraph 8 hereof; (vi) interest payable on any Future Advance, provided that if more than one Future Advance is outstanding, Lender may apply payments received among the amounts of interest payable on the Future Advances in such order as Lender, in Lender's sole discretion, may determine; (vii) principal of any Future Advance, provided that if more than one Future Advance is outstanding, Lender may apply payments received among the principal balances of the Future Advances in such order as Lender, in Lender's sole discretion, may determine; and (viii) any other sums secured by this Instrument in such order as Lender, at Lender's option, may determine; provided, however, that Lender may, at Lender's option, apply any sums payable pursuant to paragraph 8 hereof prior to interest on and principal of the Note, but such application shall not otherwise affect the order of priority of application specified in this paragraph 3.

3. **CHARGES; LIENS.** Borrower shall pay, when due, the claims of all persons supplying labor or materials to or in connection with the Property. Without Lender's prior written permission, Borrower shall not allow any lien inferior to this Instrument to be perfected against the Property.

4. **PRESERVATION AND MAINTENANCE OF PROPERTY** Borrower (a) shall not commit waste or permit impairment or deterioration of the Property, (b) shall not abandon the Property, (c) shall restore or repair promptly and in a good and workmanlike manner all or any part of the Property to the equivalent of its original condition, or such other condition as Lender may approve in writing, in the event of any damage, injury or loss thereto, whether or not insurance proceeds are available to cover in whole or in part the costs of such restoration or repair, (d) shall keep the Property, including improvements, fixtures, equipment, machinery and appliances thereon in good repair and shall replace fixtures, equipment, machinery and appliances on the Property when necessary to keep such items in good repair, (e) shall comply with all laws, ordinances, regulations and requirements of any governmental body applicable to the Property, and (f) shall give notice in writing to Lender of and, unless otherwise directed in writing by Lender, appear in and defend any action or proceeding purporting to affect the Property, the security of this Instrument or the rights or powers of Lender.

5. **USE OF PROPERTY.** Property may be used only for purposes permitted by law.

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6. **PROTECTION OF LENDER'S SECURITY.** If Borrower fails to perform the covenants and agreements contained in this instrument, or if any action or proceeding is commenced which affects the Property or title thereto or the interest of Lender therein, including, but not limited to, eminent domain, insolvency, code enforcement, or arrangements or proceedings involving a bankrupt or decedent, then Lender at Lender's option may make such appearances, disburse such sums and take such action as Lender deems necessary, in its sole discretion to protect Lender's interest, including, but not limited to, (i) disbursement of attorney's fees, (ii) entry upon the Property to make repairs, (iii) procurement of satisfactory insurance as provided in paragraph 5 hereof and may also (iv) declare all of the sums secured by this Instrument to be immediately due and payable without prior notice to Borrower, and Lender may invoke any remedies permitted by paragraph 19 of this Instrument.

Any amounts disbursed by Lender pursuant to this paragraph 8, with interest thereon at the rate stated in the Note, shall become additional indebtedness of Borrower secured by this Instrument.

7. **INSPECTION.** Lender may make or cause to be made reasonable entries upon and inspections of the Property.

8. **CONDEMNATION.** Borrower shall promptly notify Lender of any action or proceeding relating to any condemnation or other taking, whether direct or indirect, of the Property, or part thereof, and Borrower shall appear in and prosecute any such action or proceeding unless otherwise directed by Lender in writing. Borrower authorizes Lender, at Lender's option, as attorney-in-fact for Borrower, to commence, appear in and prosecute, in Lender's or Borrower's name, any action or proceeding relating to any condemnation or other taking of the Property, whether direct or indirect, and to settle or compromise any claim in connection with such condemnation or other taking. The proceeds of any award, payment or claim for damages, direct or consequential, in connection with any condemnation or other taking, whether direct or indirect, of the Property, or part thereof, or for conveyances in lieu of condemnation, are hereby assigned to and shall be paid to Lender.

Borrower authorizes Lender to apply such awards, payments, proceeds or damages, after the deduction of Lender's expenses incurred in the collection of such amounts, to payment of the sums secured by this Instrument, whether or not then due, in the order of application set forth in paragraph 3 hereof, with the balance, if any, to Borrower. Unless Borrower and Lender otherwise agree in writing, any application of proceeds to principal shall not extend or postpone the due date of the monthly installments referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2 hereof or change the amount of such installments. Borrower agrees to execute such further evidence of assignment of any awards, proceeds, damages or claims arising in connection with such condemnation or taking as lender may require.

9. **BORROWER AND LIEN NOT RELEASED.** From time to time, Lender may, at Lender's option, without giving notice to or obtaining the consent of Borrower, Borrower's successors or assigns or of any junior lien holder or guarantors, without liability on Lender's part and notwithstanding Borrower's breach of any covenant or agreement of Borrower in this Instrument, extend the time for payment of said indebtedness or any part thereof, reduce the payments thereon, release anyone liable on any of said indebtedness, accept a renewal note or notes therefore, modify the terms and time of payment of said indebtedness, release from the lien of this Instrument any part of the Property, take or release other or additional security, recover any part of the Property, consent to any map or plan of the Property, consent to the granting of any easement, join in any extension or subordination agreement, and agree in writing with Borrower to modify the rate of interest or period of amortization of the Note or change the amount of the monthly installments payable thereunder. Any actions taken by Lender pursuant to the terms of this paragraph 11 shall not affect the obligation of

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Borrower or Borrower's successors or assigns to pay the sums secured by this Instrument and to observe the covenants of Borrower contained herein, shall not affect the guaranty of any person, corporation, partnership or other entity for payment of the indebtedness secured hereby, and shall not affect the lien or priority of lien hereof on the Property. Borrower shall pay Lender a reasonable service charge, together with such title insurance premiums and attorney's fees as may be incurred at Lender's option, for any such action if taken at Borrower's request.

10. **FORBEARANCE BY LENDER NOT A WAIVER.** Any forbearance by Lender in exercising any right or remedy hereunder, or otherwise afforded by applicable law, shall not be a waiver of or preclude the exercise of any right or remedy. The procurement of insurance or the payment of taxes or other liens or charges by Lender shall not be a waiver of Lender's right to accelerate the maturity of the indebtedness secured by this Instrument.

11. **REMEDIES CUMULATIVE.** Each remedy provided in this instrument is distinct and cumulative to all other rights or remedies under this Instrument, or afforded by law or equity and may be exercised concurrently, independently, or successively, in any order whatsoever.

12. **ACCELERATION IN CASE OF BORROWER'S INSOLVENCY.** If Borrower shall voluntarily file a petition under the Federal Bankruptcy Act, as such Act may from time to time be amended, or under any similar or successor Federal statute relating to bankruptcy, insolvency, arrangements or reorganizations, or under any state bankruptcy or insolvency act, or file an answer in an involuntary proceeding admitting insolvency or inability to pay debts, or if Borrower shall fail to obtain a vacation or stay of involuntary proceedings brought for the reorganization, dissolution or liquidation of Borrower, or if Borrower shall be adjudged a bankrupt, or if a trustee or receiver shall be appointed for Borrower or Borrower's property, or if the Property shall become subject to the jurisdiction of a Federal bankruptcy court or similar state court, or if Borrower shall make an assignment for the benefit of Borrower's creditors, or if there is an attachment, execution or other judicial seizure of any portion of Borrower's assets and such seizure is not discharged within ten days, then Lender may, at Lender's option, declare all of the sums secured by this Instrument to be immediately due and payable without prior notice to Borrower, and Lender may invoke any remedies permitted by paragraph 19 of this Instrument. Any attorney's fees and other expenses incurred by Lender in connection with Borrower's bankruptcy or any of the other aforesaid events shall be additional indebtedness of Borrower secured by this Instrument pursuant to paragraph 8 hereof.

13. **TRANSFERS OF THE PROPERTY OR BENEFICIAL INTERESTS IN BORROWER; ASSUMPTION.** On sale or transfer of (i) all or any part of the Property, or any interest therein, or (ii) beneficial interests in Borrower (if Borrower is not a natural person or persons but is a corporation, partnership, trust or other legal entity), Lender may, at Lender's option, declare all of the sums secured by this Instrument to be immediately due and payable, and Lender may invoke any remedies permitted by paragraph 19 of this Instrument.

14. **NOTICE.** Except for any notice required under applicable law to be given in another manner, (a) any notice to Borrower provided for in this Instrument or in the Note shall be given by mailing such notice by first class mail addressed to Borrower at Borrower's address stated below or at such other address as Borrower may designate by notice to Lender as provided herein, and (b) any notice to Lender shall be given by certified mail, return receipt requested, to Lender's address stated herein or to such other address as Lender may designate by notice to Borrower as provided herein. Any notice provided for in this Instrument or in the Note shall be deemed to have been given to Borrower or Lender when given in the manner designated herein.

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15. **SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS BOUND; JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITY; AGENTS; CAPTIONS.** The covenants and agreements herein contained shall bind, and the rights hereunder shall inure to, the respective successors and assigns of Lender and Borrower, subject to the provisions of paragraph 15 hereof. All covenants and agreements of Borrower shall be joint and several. In exercising any rights here under or taking any actions provided for herein, Lender may act through its employees, agents or independent contractors as authorized by Lender. The captions and headings of the paragraphs of this Instrument are for convenience only and are not to be used to interpret or define the provisions hereof.

16. **GOVERNING LAW; SEVERABILITY.** This Instrument shall be governed by the law of the jurisdiction in which the Property is located. In the event that any provision of this Instrument or the Note conflicts with applicable law, such conflict shall not affect other provisions of this Instrument or the Note which can be given effect without the conflicting provisions, and to this end the provisions of this Instrument and the Note are declared to be severable.

17. **ACCELERATION; REMEDIES.** Upon Borrower's breach of any covenant or agreement of Borrower in this instrument, including, but not limited to, the covenants to pay when due any sums secured by this Instrument, Lender at Lender's option may declare all of the sums secured by this Instrument to be immediately due and payable without further demand and may foreclose this Instrument by judicial proceeding and may invoke any other remedies permitted by applicable law or provided herein. Lender shall be entitled to collect all costs and expenses incurred in pursuing such remedies, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees, costs of documentary evidence, abstracts and title reports.

18. **RELEASE.** Upon payment of all sums secured by this Instrument, Lender shall release this Instrument. Borrower shall pay Lender's reasonable costs incurred in releasing this Instrument.

19. **ATTORNEY'S FEES.** As used in this instrument and in the Note, "attorney's fees" shall include attorney's fees, if any, which may be awarded by a court of competent jurisdiction.

20. **RIDERS TO THIS INSTRUMENT.** If one or more riders are executed by borrower and recorded together with this Instrument, the covenants and agreements of each such rider shall be incorporated into and shall amend and supplement the covenants and agreements of this instrument as if rider(s) were a part of this Instrument.

21. **HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES.** Borrower shall not cause or permit the presence, use, disposal, storage or release of any Hazardous Substances on or in the Property. Borrower shall not do, or allow anyone else to do, anything affecting the Property that is in violation of any Environmental Law. The preceding two sentences shall not apply to the presence, use or storage on the Property of small quantity of Hazardous Substances that are generally recognized to be appropriate to normal residential uses and to maintenance of the Property.

Borrower shall immediately give Lender written notice of any investigation, claim, demand lawsuit or other action by any governmental or regulatory agency or private party involving the Property and any Hazardous Substance or Environmental Law of which Borrower has actual knowledge. If Borrower learns, or is notified by any governmental or regulatory authority, that any removal or other remediation of any Hazardous Substance affecting the Property is necessary, Borrower shall promptly take all necessary remedial actions in accordance with Environmental Law.

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As used in this paragraph 21, "Hazardous Substances" are those substances defined as toxic or hazardous substances by Environmental Law and the following substances: gasoline, kerosene, other flammable or toxic petroleum products, toxic pesticides and herbicides, volatile solvents, materials containing asbestos or formaldehyde, and radioactive materials. As used in this paragraph 23, "Environmental Law" means federal laws and laws of the jurisdiction where the property is located that relate to health, safety and environmental protection.

In Witness Whereof, Borrower has executed this Instrument or has caused the same to be executed by its representatives thereunto duly authorized.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of:

Sienna Victor

(Seal) Borrower

Sienna Victor
Echelon Realty Investments Corporation.

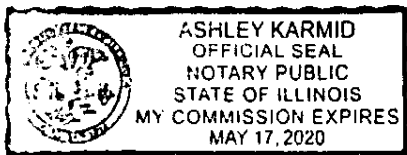
STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF Cook

I hereby certify that on this day, before me, an officer duly authorized in the state aforesaid and in the county aforesaid to take acknowledgements, personally appeared Sienna Victor to me known to be the person(s) described in who identified themselves to be the persons described by means of Ashley Karmid and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged before me that she executed the same for the purpose expressed.

Witness my hand and official seal in the county and state aforesaid this 6th day of October 2017

(Seal)

Ashley Karmid
Notary Public
My Commission Expires 05/17/2020



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BALLOON NOTE (Fixed Rate)

THIS LOAN IS PAYABLE IN FULL AT MATURITY. YOU MUST REPAY THE ENTIRE PRINCIPAL BALANCE OF THE LOAN AND UNPAID INTEREST THEN DUE. LENDER IS UNDER NO OBLIGATION TO REFINANCE THE LOAN AT THAT TIME. YOU WILL, THEREFORE, BE REQUIRED TO MAKE PAYMENT OUT OF OTHER ASSETS THAT YOU MAY OWN, OR YOU MUST FIND A LENDER, WHICH MAY BE THE LENDER YOU HAVE THIS LOAN WITH, WILLING TO LEND YOU THE MONEY. IF YOU REFINANCE THIS LOAN AT MATURITY, YOU MAY HAVE TO PAY SOME OR ALL OF THE CLOSING COSTS NORMALLY ASSOCIATED WITH A NEW LOAN EVEN IF YOU OBTAIN REFINANCING FROM THE SAME LENDER.

This instrument was prepared by: Johnny J. Bardine, Esq., 4437 Central Avenue, St. Petersburg, FL 33713.

October 6, 2017

Saint Petersburg, Florida

Property Address: 917 S Lombard Ave Oak Park, IL 60304

Legal Description: The South 13.38 feet of Lot 8 and the North 23.62 feet of Lot 9 in Block 1 in the West Harrison Street Subdivision of the North 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 17, Township 39 North, Range 13, East of the Third Principal Meridian, in Cook County, Illinois.

LOT 23, HULBERTS LOMBARD, Section 05, Cook County, Illinois. PIN 16-17-302-035-0000

1. BORROWER'S PROMISE TO PAY

In return for a loan that I have received, I promise to pay U.S. \$30,000.00 ("Principal"), plus interest, to the order of Lender. Lender is ZOE PENDERGAST. I will make all payments under this Note in the form of wire, check or money order.

I understand that Lender may transfer this Note. Lender or anyone who takes this Note by transfer and who is entitled to receive payments under this Note is called the "Note Holder."

2. INTEREST

I will pay Lender the principal plus \$6,000.00 and \$1,000 in attorney's fees (a total of \$37,000) at the time of the closing of this property sale or on January 8, 2018, whichever occurs first.

3. PAYMENTS

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(A) Time and Place of Payments

I will make this one time, lump sum payment either upon closing or on January 8, 2018 to Zoe Pendergast via wire transfer or at a different place if required by the Note Holder.

(B) Amount of Payment

The payment to the Lender shall total \$37,000.00

4. BORROWER'S RIGHT TO PREPAY

I have the right to make payments of Principal at any time before they are due. A payment of Principal only is known as a "Prepayment". When I make a Prepayment, I will tell the Note Holder in writing that I am doing so.

I may make a full Prepayment or partial Prepayments without paying any Prepayment charge. The Note Holder will use my Prepayments to reduce the amount of Principal that I owe under this Note. However, the Note Holder may apply my Prepayment to the accrued and unpaid interest on the Prepayment amount before applying my Prepayment to reduce the Principal amount of this Note. If I make a partial Prepayment, there will be no changes in the due date or in the amount of my monthly payment unless the Note Holder agrees in writing to those changes.

5. BORROWER'S FAILURE TO PAY AS REQUIRED

(A) Late Charges for Overdue Payments

If the Note Holder has not received the full amount within three calendar days of the due date, I will pay a late charge to the Note Holder. The amount of the charge will be 10% of principal if paid within 30 days of maturity and 5% every month subsequently that the loan remains unpaid.

(B) Default

If I do not pay the full amount by three (3) calendar days after it is due, I will be in default.

(C) Notice of Default

If I am in default, the Note Holder may send me written notice telling me that if I do not pay the overdue amount by a certain date, the Note Holder may require me to pay immediately the full amount of Principal which has not been paid and all the interest that I owe on that amount. That date must be at least 30 days after the date on which the notice is mailed to me or delivered by other means.

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(D) No Waiver by Note Holder

Even if, at a time when I am in default, the Note Holder does not require me to pay immediately in full as described above, the Note Holder will still have the right to do so if I am in default at a later time.

(E) Payment of Note Holder's Costs and Expenses

If the Note Holder has required me to pay immediately in full as described above, the Note Holder will have the right to be paid back by me for all costs and expenses in enforcing this Note to the extent not prohibited by applicable law. Those expenses include, for example, reasonable attorneys' fees.

6. GIVING OF NOTICES

Unless applicable law requires a different method, any notice that must be given to me under this Note will be given by delivering it or mailing it by first class mail to me at the Galactica Address above or at a different address if I give the Note Holder a notice of my different address.

Any notice that must be given to the Note Holder under this Note will be given my mailing it by first class mail to the Note Holder at the address stated in Section 3(A) above or at a different address if I am given notice of that different address.

7. OBLIGATIONS OF PERSONS UNDER THIS NOTE

If more than one person signs this Note, each person is fully and personally obligated to keep all of the promises made in this Note, including the promise to pay the full amount owed. Any person who is a guarantor, surety or endorser of this Note is also obligated to do these things. Any person who takes over these obligations, including the obligations of a guarantor, surety or endorser of this Note, is also obligated to keep all of the promises made in this Note. The Note Holder may enforce its rights under this Note against each person individually or against all of us together. This means that any one of us may be required to pay of the amounts owed under this Note.

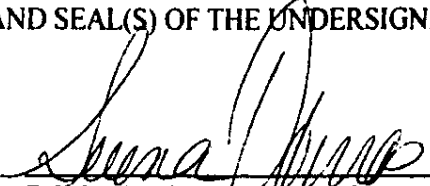
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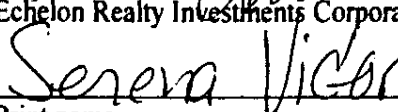
This Note is a uniform instrument with limited variations in some jurisdictions. In addition to the protections given to the Note Holder under this Note, a Mortgage, Deed of Trust, or Security Deed (the "Security Instrument"), date the same date as this Note, protects the Note Holder from

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possible losses that might result if I do not keep the promises that I make in this Note. That Security Instrument describes how and under what conditions I may be required to make immediate payment in full of all amounts I owe under this Note.

WITNESS THE HAND(S) AND SEAL(S) OF THE UNDERSIGNED/



Echelon Realty Investments Corporation Date 10/6/17


Print name

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