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COOK COUNTY RECORDER

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LOAN NO.: 306201

MORTGAGE

THIS MORTGAGE ("Security Instrument") is given on July 23, 1996  
The mortgagor is MARGARET DIAZ, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN

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("Borrower").

This Security Instrument is given to EQUITYVANTAGE INC., a Delaware corporation

under the laws of Delaware, which is organized and existing  
3rd Floor, Houston, TX 77040-6311, and whose address is 13111 Northwest Frwy.,

("Lender").

Borrower owes Lender the principal sum of sixty four thousand and NO/100ths

Dollars (U.S. \$ 64,000.00). This debt is evidenced by Borrower's note dated the same date as this Security  
Instrument ("Note"), which provides for monthly payments with the full debt, if not paid earlier, due and payable on  
August 1, 2026.

This Security Instrument secures to Lender: (a) the repayment of the debt evidenced  
by the Note, with interest and other sums owed under the Note such as late charges, and all renewals, extensions and  
modifications of the Note; (b) the payment of all other sums, with interest, advanced under paragraphs 2, 3 or 7 to protect the  
security of the security of this Security Instrument; and (c) the performance of Borrower's covenants and agreements under this  
Security Instrument and the Note. For this purpose, Borrower does hereby mortgage, grant and convey to Lender and Lender's  
successors and assigns the following described property located in Cook County, Illinois:

LOT 3 IN BLOCK 26 IN NOTRE DAME ADDITION TO SOUTH CHICAGO BEING A SUBDIVISION OF  
THE SOUTH 3/4 OF FRACTIONAL SECTION 7, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 15, EAST OF THE  
THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

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which has the address of 10210 S. COMMERICAL AVENUE,  
Illinois (Street)  
60617- (Property Address)  
[Zip Code]

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD this property unto Trustee and Trustee's successors and assigns, forever, together with all  
the improvements now or hereafter erected on the property, and all easements, appurtenances, and fixtures now or hereafter a  
part of the property. All replacements and additions shall also be covered by this Security Instrument. All of the foregoing is  
referred to in this Security Instrument as the "Property."

BORROWER COVENANTS that Borrower is lawfully seized of the estate hereby conveyed and has the right to grant  
and convey the Property and that the Property is unencumbered, except for encumbrances of record. Borrower warrants and will  
defend generally the title to the Property against all claims and demands, subject to any encumbrances of record.

THIS SECURITY INSTRUMENT combines uniform covenants for national use and non-uniform covenants with limited  
variations by jurisdiction to constitute a uniform security instrument covering real property.

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UNIFORM COVENANTS. Borrower and Lender covenant and agree as follows:

1. **Payment of Principal and Interest; Prepayment and Late Charges.** Borrower shall promptly pay when due the principal of and interest on the debt evidenced by the Note and any prepayment and late charges due under the Note.

2. **Funds for Taxes and Insurance.** Subject to applicable law or to a written waiver by Lender, Borrower shall pay to Lender on the day monthly payments are due under the Note, until the Note is paid in full, a sum ("Funds") for: (a) yearly taxes and assessments which may attain priority over this Security Instrument as a lien on the Property; (b) yearly household payments or ground rents on the Property, if any; (c) yearly hazard or property insurance premiums; (d) yearly flood insurance premiums, if any; (e) yearly mortgage insurance premiums, if any; and (f) any sums payable by Borrower to Lender, in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 8, in lieu of the payment of mortgage insurance premiums. These items are called "Escrow Items." Lender may, at any time, collect and hold Funds in an amount not to exceed the maximum amount a lender for a federally related mortgage loan may require for Borrower's escrow account under the federal Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act of 1974 as amended from time to time, 12 U.S.C. Section 2601 et seq. ("RESPA"), unless another law that applies to the Funds sets a lesser amount. If (c), Lender may, at any time, collect and hold Funds in an amount not to exceed the lesser amount. Lender may estimate the amount of Funds due on the basis of current data and reasonable estimates of expenditures of future Escrow Items or otherwise in accordance with applicable law.

The Funds shall be held in an institution whose deposits are insured by a federal agency, instrumentality, or entity (including Lender, if Lender is such an institution) or in any Federal Home Loan Bank. Lender shall apply the Funds to pay the Escrow Items. Lender may not charge Borrower for holding and applying the Funds, annually analyzing the escrow account, or verifying the Escrow Items, unless Lender pays Borrower interest on the Funds and applicable law permits Lender to make such a charge. However, Lender may require Borrower to pay a one-time charge for an independent real estate tax reporting service used by Lender in connection with this loan, unless applicable law provides otherwise. Unless applicable law requires interest to be paid, Lender shall not be required to pay Borrower any interest or earnings on the Funds. Lender shall give to Borrower, without charge, an annual accounting of the Funds, showing credits and debits to the Funds and the purpose for which each debit to the Funds was made. The Funds are pledged as additional security for all sums secured by this Security Instrument, and may be applied to the payment or partial payment of such sums after 30 days prior written notice to Borrower if the sum in question has not been timely paid by Borrower.

If the Funds held by Lender exceed the amounts permitted to be held by applicable law, Lender shall account to Borrower for the excess Funds in accordance with the requirements of applicable law. If the amount of the Funds held by Lender at any time is not sufficient to pay the Escrow Items when due, Lender may so notify Borrower in writing, and, in such case Borrower promptly shall pay to Lender the amount necessary to make up the deficiency. Any amounts advanced by Lender to pay Escrow Items because the Funds are insufficient shall become additional debt of the Borrower secured by this Security Instrument and shall bear interest at the Note rate from the date of disbursement until paid. Borrower shall make up the deficiency promptly.

Upon payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument, Lender shall promptly refund to Borrower any Funds held by Lender. If under paragraph 21, Lender shall acquire or sell the Property, Lender, prior to the acquisition or sale of the Property, shall apply any Funds held by Lender at the time of acquisition or sale as a credit against the sums secured by this Security Instrument.

3. **Application of Payments.** Unless applicable law provides otherwise, all payments received by Lender under paragraphs 1 and 2 shall be applied: first, to any prepayment charges due under the Note; second, to amounts advanced by Lender for the protection or maintenance of the Property or Lender's interest in the Property; third, to interest due; fourth, to principal due; and last, to any late charges due under the Note.

4. **Charges; Liens.** Borrower shall pay all taxes, assessments, charges, fines and impositions attributable to the Property which may attain priority over this Security Instrument, and leasehold payments or ground rents, if any. Borrower shall pay these obligations in the manner provided in paragraph 2, or if not paid in that manner, Borrower shall pay them on time directly to the person owed payment. Borrower shall promptly furnish to Lender all notices of amounts to be paid under this paragraph. If Borrower makes these payments directly, Borrower shall promptly furnish to Lender receipts evidencing the payments.

Borrower shall promptly discharge any lien which has priority over this Security Instrument unless Borrower: (a) agrees in writing to the payment of the obligation secured by the lien in a manner acceptable to Lender; (b) contends in good faith the lien is, or defends against enforcement of the lien in, legal proceedings which in the Lender's opinion operate to prevent the enforcement of the lien; or (c) secures from the holder of the lien an agreement satisfactory to Lender subordinating the lien to this Security Instrument. If Lender determines that any part of the Property is subject to a lien which may attain priority over this Security Instrument, Lender may give Borrower a notice identifying the lien. Borrower shall satisfy the lien or take one or more of the actions set forth above within 10 days of the giving of notice.

5. **Hazard or Property Insurance.** Borrower shall keep the improvements now existing or hereafter erected on the Property insured against loss by fire, hazards included within the term "extended coverage" and any other hazards, including floods or flooding and earthquakes, for which Lender requires insurance. This insurance shall be maintained in the amounts and for the periods that Lender requires. The insurance carrier providing the insurance shall be chosen by Borrower subject to Lender's approval which shall not be unreasonably withheld. If Borrower fails to maintain coverage described above, Lender may, at Lender's option, obtain coverage to protect Lender's rights in the Property in accordance with paragraph 7.

All insurance policies and renewals shall be acceptable to Lender and shall include a standard mortgage clause. Lender shall have the right to hold the policies and renewals. If Lender requires, Borrower shall promptly give to Lender all receipts of paid premiums and renewal notices. In the event of loss, Borrower shall give prompt notice to the insurance carrier and Lender. Lender may make proof of loss if not made promptly by Borrower.

Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, insurance proceeds shall be applied to restoration or repair of the Property damaged, if the restoration or repair is economically feasible and Lender's security is not lessened. If the restoration or repair is not economically feasible or Lender's security would be lessened, the insurance proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with any excess paid to Borrower. If Borrower abandons the Property, or does not answer within 30 days a notice from Lender that the insurance carrier has offered to settle a claim, then Lender may collect the insurance proceeds. Lender may use the proceeds to repair or restore the Property or to pay sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due. The 30-day period will begin when the notice is given.

Unless Lender and Borrower otherwise agree in writing, any application of proceeds to principal shall not extend or postpone the due date of the monthly payments referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2 or change the amount of the payments. If under paragraph 21 the Property is acquired by Lender, Borrower's right to any insurance policies and proceeds resulting from damage to the Property prior to the acquisition shall pass to Lender to the extent of the sums secured by this Security Instrument immediately prior to the acquisition.

  
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NON-UNIFORM COVENANTS. Borrower and Lender further covenant and agree as follows:

21. Acceleration Remedies. Lender shall give notice to Borrower prior to acceleration following Borrower's breach of any covenant or agreement in this Security Instrument (but not prior to acceleration under paragraph 16 unless applicable law provides otherwise). The notice shall specify: (a) the default; (b) the action required to cure the default; (c) a date, no earlier than the expiration of any notice period required by applicable law, by which the default must be cured; and (d) that failure to cure the default on or before the date specified in the notice may result in acceleration of the sums secured by this Security Instrument, foreclosure by judicial proceeding and sale of the Property. If the default is not cured on or before the date specified in the notice, Lender at its option may require immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument without further demand and may foreclose this Security Instrument by judicial proceeding. Lender shall be entitled to collect all expenses incurred in pursuing the remedies provided in this paragraph 21, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees and costs of title evidence, all of which shall be additional sums secured by this Security Instrument.

22. Release. Upon payment of all sums secured by this Security Instrument, Lender shall prepare and file a discharge of this Security Instrument without charge to Borrower. Borrower shall pay any recordation costs.

23. Waiver of Homestead. Borrower waives all right of homestead exemption in the Property.

24. Riders to this Security Instrument. If one or more riders are executed by Borrower and recorded together with this Security Instrument, the covenants and agreements of such such rider shall be incorporated into and shall amend and supplement the covenants and agreements of this Security Instrument as if the rider(s) were a part of this Security Instrument.

(Check applicable box(es))

- Adjustable Rate Rider
- Condominium Rider
- 1-4 Family Rider
- Other(s) (specify)
- Planned Unit Development Rider

BY SIGNING BELOW, Borrower accepts and agrees to the terms and covenants contained in this Security Instrument and in any rider(s) executed by Borrower and recorded with it.

Witnesses:

*[Handwritten signature]*

*[Handwritten signature]*  
MARGARET DIAZ

-Borrower (Seal)

Name Printed:

-Borrower (Seal)

Name Printed:

-Borrower (Seal)

-Borrower (Seal)

(Sign Below This Line For Acknowledgment)

STATE OF ILLINOIS,

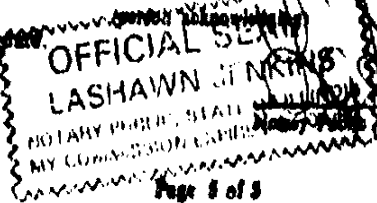
Cook County ss:

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this

2008/08/28

Witness my hand and seal on this day.

My Commission Expires: 4/1/98



*[Handwritten signature]*

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