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#### MORTGAGE

THIS MORTGAGE ("Security Instrument") is given on 09/10/06. The mortgagor is KATRINA Y. BALLEY STNGLE NEVER BEEN MARRIED

MERCURY TITLE COMPANY, LLC

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("Borrower"). This Security Instrument is in an toFORD CONSUMER FINANCE CO. JNC. its successors and/or assigns, a NEW YURK corporation, whose add 250 E. JOHN CARPENTER FREEWAY

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corporation, whose address is

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("Lender").

modifications; (b) the payment of all other sums, with interest advanced under paragraph 6 to protect the security of this Security Instrument; and (c) the performance of Borrower's covrigants and agreements under this Security Instrument and the Note. For this purpose, Borrower does hereby mortgage, great and convey to Lender the following described property located in COOK County, triingis:

PIN: 16-24-207-065

which has the address of 1338 SOUTH WASHTENAN AVE CHICAGO, IL 60809

TOGETHER WITH all the improvements now or hereafter erected on the propert, and all easements, rights, appurtenances, rents, royalties, mineral, oil and gas rights and profits, water rights and stock and all 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 eatete hereby conveyed and has the right to mortgage, grant and convey the Property and that the Property is unencumbered, except for current taxes. Borrower

warrants and will defend generally the title to the Property against all claims and demands.

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

2. Application of Payments. Unless applicable law provides otherwise, all payments received by Lender under

paragraph 1 shall be applied; first, to late charges due under the Note; second, to interest due; and last, to principal due.

3. 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 on time directly to the person owed payment. 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) contests in good faith the lien by, 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 forfeiture of any part of the Property; 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 furth above within 10 days of the giving of notice.

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4. Hazard 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 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.

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 Lander 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 Lander. Londer 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 paragraph 1 or change the amount of the payments, if under paragraph 20 the Property is acquired by Lender, Borrower's right to any insurance policies and proceeds resulting from damage to Ma Property prior to the acquisition shall pass to Londer to the extent of the sums secured by this

Security Instrument immediately prior to the acquisition.

5. Preservation and Maintenance of Property; Leaseholds, Borrower shall not destroy, damage, or substantially change the Property, allow the Property to deteriorate or commit waste. If this Security Instrument is on a leasehold, Borrower shall comply with the provisions of the lease, and if Borrower acquires fee title to the Property, the leasehold and

fee title shall not morge unlers Cender agrees to the merger in writing.

6. Protection of Lendar's Pights in the Property. If Borrower fails to perform the covenants and agreements contained in this Security Instrument, or there is a legal proceeding that may significantly affect Lender's rights in the Property (such as a proceeding in Jankruptcy, probate, or condemnation or to enforce laws or regulations), then Lender may do and pay for whatever is necessary to protect the value of the Property and Lender's rights in the Property Londer's actions may include paying any sums sourced by a lien which has priority over this Security Instrument, appearing in court, paying reasonable attorneys' fees and entering on the Property to make repairs. Although Lender may take action under this paragraph, Lender does not have to do so.

Any amounts disbursed by Lender under this paragraph shall become additional debt of Borrower secured by this Security Instrument. Unless Borrower and Lander pres to other terms of payment, these amounts shall bear interest from the date of disbursement at the Note rate and shall be payable, with interest, upon notice from Lender to Borrower

requesting payment.

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7. Inspection, Lender or its agent may make reasonable entries upon and inspections of the Property, Lender shall

give Borrower notice at the time of or prior to an inspection applicifying reasonable cause for the inspection.

8. Condemnation. The proceeds of any award or claim for damages, direct or consequential, in connection with any condemnation or other taking of any part of the Property, or for conveyance in lieu of condemnation, are hereby assigned

and shall be paid to Lender.

In the event of a total taking of the Proporty, the proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due, with any excess paid to Borrowar In the event of a partial taking of the Property, unless Borrower and Lender otherwise agree in writing, the sums secured by this Security Instrument shall be reduced by the amount of the proceeds multiplied by the following fraction: (a) the total amount of the sums secured immediately before the taking, divided by (b) the fair market value of the Property immediately before the taking. Any balance shall be paid to the Borrower.

If the Property is abandoned by Borrower, or if, after notice by Lender to Sprrower that the condemnor offers to make an award or settle a claim for damages. Borrower fails to respond to Lender v. to a 30 days after the date the notice is given. Lender is authorized to collect and apply the proceeds, at its option, either to restoration or repair of the Property or to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then due.

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 paragraph 1 or change the amount of such payments.

9. Borrower Not Released; Forbearance By Lander Not a Waiver Extension of the time for payment or modification of amortization of the sums secured by this Security Instrument granted by London to any successor in interest of Borrower shall not operate to release the liability of the original Borrower or Borrower's successors in interest. Lender shall not be required to commence proceedings against any successor in interest or refute to extend time for payment or otherwise modify amortization of the sums secured by this Security Instrument by reason of any demand made by the original Borrower or Borrower's successors in interest. Any forbearance by Lender in exercising any right or remedy shall not be a waiver of or preclude the exercise of any right or remedy.

10. Buccessors and Assigns Bound; Joint and Several Liability; Co-signers. The covenants and agreements of this Security Instrument shall bind and benefit the successors and assigns of Lender and Borrower, subject to the provisions of paragraph 16. Borrower's covenants and agreements shall be joint and several. Any Borrower who co-signs this Security Instrument but does not execute the Note: (a) is co-signing this Security Instrument only to mortgage, grant and convey that Borrower's interest in the Property under the terms of this Security Instrument; (b) is not personally obligated to pay the sums secured by this Security Instrument; and (c) agrees that Lander and any other Borrower may agree to extend, modify, forbar or make any accommodations with regard to the terms of this Security Instrument or the Note without

that Borrower's consent.

11. Loan Charges. If the loan secured by this Security Instrument is subject to a law which sets maximum loan charges, and that law is finally interpreted so that the interest or other loan charges collected or to be collected in connection with the loan exceed the permitted limits; then: (a) any such loan charge shall be reduced by the amount necessary to reduce the charge to the permitted limit; and (b) any sums already collected from Borrower which exceeded permitted limits will be refunded to Borrower. Lender may choose to make this refund by reducing the principal owed under the Note or by making a direct payment to Borrower. If a refund reduces principal, the reduction will be treated as a partial prepayment.

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12. Legislation Affecting Lender's Rights. If enectment or expiration of applicable laws has the effect of rendering any provision of the Note or this Security Instrument unenforceable according to its terms, Lender, at its option, may raquire immediate payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument and may invoke any remedies permitted by paragraph 20. If Lender exercises this option, Lender shall take the steps specified in the second paragraph of paragraph 16.

13. Notices. Any notice to Borrower provided for in this Security Instrument shall be given by delivering it or by mailing it by first class mail unless applicable law requires use of another method. The notice shall be directed to the Property Address or any other address Borrower designates by notice to Lender. Any notice to Lender shall be given by first class mail to Lender's address stated herein or any other address Lender designates by notice to Borrower. Any notice provided for in this Security Instrument shall be deemed to have been given to Borrower or Lender when given as

provided in this paragraph.

14. Governing Law: Severability. This Security Instrument shall be governed by federal law and the law of the jurisdiction in which the Property is located. In the event that any provision or clause of this Security Instrument or the Note conflicts with applicable law, such conflict shall not affect other provisions of this Security Instrument or the Note which can be given effect without the conflicting provision. To this end the provisions of this Security Instrument and the Note are declared to be severable.

15. Borrower's Copy. Borrower shall be given one conformed copy of the Note and of this Security Instrument.

16. Transfer of the Property or a Beneficial Interest in Borrower, If all or any part of the Property or any interest in it is sold or transferred (or it a baneficial interest in Borrower is sold or transferred and Borrower is not a natural person) without Lender's prior written consent, Lender may, at its option, require immediate payment in full of all surns secured by this Security Instrument. However, this option shall not be exercised by Lender if exercise is prohibited by federal law as of the date of this Security Instrument.

If Lender exercises this option, Lender shall give Borrower notice of acceleration. The notice shall provide a period of not less than 30 days from the date the notice is delivered or mailed within which Borrower must pay all sums secured by this Security Instrument. If Birrower fails to pay these sums prior to the expiration of this period, Lender may invoke any

remedies permitted by this Scrulity Instrument without further notice or demand on Borrower.

17. Barrower's Right to Reinstate. If Barrower meets certain conditions, Barrower shall have the right to have enforcement of this Security Instrument discontinued at any time prior to the earlier of: (a) 5 days (or such other period as applicable law may specify for rein recement) before sale of the Property pursuant to any power of sale contained in this Security Instrument; or (b) entry or a judgment enforcing this Security Instrument. Those conditions are that Borrower; (a) pays Lender all sums which then would be doe under this Security Instrument and the Note had no acceleration occurred; (b) curse any default of any other coverants or agreements, (c) pays all expenses incurred in enforcing this Security instrument, including, but not limited to, rear one ale attorneys free; and (d) takes such action as Lender may reasonably require to assure that the lien of this Security Agreement, Lender's rights in the property and Borrower's obligation to pay the sums secured by this Security Instrument shall continue unchanged. Upon reinstatement by Borrower, this Security Instrument and the obligation secured hereby shall erosin fully effective as if no acceleration had occurred. However, this right to reinstate shall not apply in the case of acceleration under paragraphs 12 or 16.

18. Sale of Note: Change of Loan Servicer. The Note or a partial interest in the Note (together with this Security)

Instrument) may be sold one or more times without prior totile to Borrower. A sale may result in a change in the entity (known as the "Loan Servicer") that collects monthly payments due under the Note and this Security Instrument. There also may be one or more changes of the Loan Servicer unrelated to a sale of the Note. If there is a change of the Loan Servicer, Borrower will be given written notice of the change in recordance with paragraph 13 above and applicable law. The notice will state the name and address of the new Loan Servicer and the address to which payments should be made.

The notice will also contain any other information required by applicable law.

19. 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 for allow onyone also to do, anything affecting the Property that is in violation of any Environmental Law. The preceding two sinterces shall not apply to the presence, usin, or storage on the Property of small quantities of Hazardous Substances that are generally recognized to be appropriate to normal residential uses and to maintenance of the Property.

Borrower shall promptly 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 Subptylice affecting the Property is

necessary, Borrower shall promptly take all necessary remedial actions in accordance with the Environmental Law.

As used in this paragraph, "Hazardous Substances" are those substances defined as toxic or hazardous substances. by Environmental Law and the following substances: gasoline, korosene, other flammable or contribution perfoleum products, toxic pesticides or herbicides, volatile solvents, materials containing asbestos or formaldehyde, and radioactive materials. As used in this paragraph, "Environmental Law" means tederal laws and laws of the jurisdiction vinces the Property is

located that relate to health, safety or environmental protection.

20. Acceleration; Ramedies. 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 paragraphs 12 and 16 unless applicable law provides otherwise). The notice shall specify: (a) the default; (b) the action required to cure the default; (c) a 😭 date, not less than 30 days from the date the notice is given to Borrower, by which the default must be cured; and (d) that the failure to cure the default on or before the date specified in the notice may result in acceleration of the sums secured by Ch this Security Instrument, foreclosure by judicial proceeding and sale of the Property. The notice shall further inform t Borrower of the right to reinstate after acceleration and the right to assert in the foreclosure proceeding the non-existence ? of a default or any other defense of Borrower to acceleration and fore-losure. 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. Londer shall be entitled to collect all expenses incurred in pursuing the remedies provided in this paragraph, including, but not limited to. reasonable attorneys' foes and costs of title evidence.

21. Lender in Possession. Upon acceleration under paragraph 20 or abandonment of the Property and at any time prior to the expiration of any period of redemption following judicial sale. Lender (in person, by agent or by judicially appointed receiver) shall be entitled to enter upon, take possession of and manage the Property and to collect the rents of the Property including those past due. Any rents collected by Lender or the receiver shall be applied first to payment of the costs of management of the Property and collection of rents, including, but not limited to, receiver's fees, premiums on

receiver's bonds and reasonable attorneys' fees, and then to the sums secured by this Security Instrument.

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Lander shall release this Security Instrument without charge to Borrower. Borrower shall pay any recordation costs. 23. Waiver of Homeotead, Borrower waives all right of hornestead exemption in the Property. BY SIGNING BELOW, Borrower accepts and agrees to the terms and covenants contained in this Security Agreement. STATE OF ILLINOIS, County ss: . the widersianer Notary Public in and for said county and state, do Sirvle never Marrien personally known to me it be the same person subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared briore me this day in person, and acknowledged that 📥 he 🔠 signed and delivered the said instrument as her free voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein set forth. Given under my hand and official seal, his My commission expires: }(`)( This document was prepared by: OFFICIAL SEAL KATHLEEN S. SALEMI Moul TO: NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF ILLINOIS MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 10/3/99

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#### LEGAL DESCRIPTION

LOT 30 IN THE SUBDIVISION OF LOTS 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13 AND 14 IN BLOCK 3, LOTS 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 AND 7 IN BLOCK 4 AND LOTS 3, 4 AND 5 IN BLOCK 5 IN COOK AND ANDERSON'S SUBDIVISION OF THE WEST 1/2 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 24, TOWNSHIP 39 NORTH, RANGE 13 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

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