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26300 LA ALAMEDA, SUITE 200 MISSION VIEJO, CA 92691

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COOK COUNTY RETORDER

#### MORTGAGE

THIS MORTGAGE ("Security Instrument") is given on MAY 16, 1997 MAURICE SMITH AND MUSHAKA SMITH

The mortgagor is

("Borrower"). This Security Instrument is given to CALIFORNIA LENDING GROUP, INC., the UNITED LENDING GROUP

which is organized and existing under the laws of CALIFORNIA address is 26300 LA ALAMEDA, SUITE 200, MISSION VIELD, CA 92691

, and whose

Dollary (U.S. \$ 35,000.00 This debt is evidenced by Borrower's note dated the same date as this Security Intrument ("Note"), which provides for monthly payments, with the full debt, if not paid earlier, due and payable on JUNE 01, 2027

This Security Instrument secures to Lender: (a) the repayment of the debt evidenced by the News, with interest, and all renewals. extensions and modifications of the Note; (b) the payment of all other sums, with interest, avacced under paragraph 7 to protect 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 Lander the following described property located in COOK

LOT ONE IEXCEPT THE SOUTH 65 FEET THEREOF) IN BLOCK 9 IN F.H. BARTLETT'S WENTWORTH AVERUE. AND 95TH STREET SUBDIVISION IN THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 4, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 1.4 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN. TAYA 2504-414-129

which has the address of 9400 SOUTH LAFAYETTE AVENUE. CHICAGO Misois 60620 ("Property Address"):

(Street, City),

(Zap Code)

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TOGETHER WITH all the improvements now or hereafter erected on the property, and all ensements, appuriousness, 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 mortgage, 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 may 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.

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

 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 Lander. 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 tien on the Property; (b) yearly leasehold payments or ground runts on the Property, if any; (c) yearly hazard or property insurance premiums; (d) yearly flood insurance premiums, if any; (e) yearly utorigage insurance premiums, if any; and (f) any sums payable by Borrower to Leader, in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 8, in lieu of the payment of mortgage insurance premiums. These items are called "Earrow Items." Lender may, at any time, content and hold Funds in an amount not to ascend the maximum amount a lender for a federally related mortgage form 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 leaser amount. If so, Lender may, at any time, collect and hold Funds in an amount not to exceed the leaser amount. Lender may estimate the amount of Funds of on the basis of current data and reasonable estimates of expenditures of future Earrow 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 folding and applying the Funds, annually analyzing the secrow 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 or z-tilize charge for an independent real estate tax reporting service used by Lender in connection with this loan, unless applicable law provides otherwise. Unless an agreement is made or applicable law requires interest to be paid, Lender shall not be required to pay Borrower any interest or earnings on the Funds. Borrower and Lender may agree in writing, however, that interest and delaits to the Funds. Len.—shall give to Borrower, without charge, an annual accounting of the Funds, showing credits and delaits 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.

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 Escruw Items when due, Lender may so notify Borrower in writing, and, in such case Borrower shall pay to Lender the amount necessary to make up the deficiency. Borrower shall make up the deficiency in no more than twelve monthly payments, at Lender's sole discretion.

Upon payment in full of all sums secured by this Security Instrument, Lender shall promptly refund to Borrower any Funds hald by Lender. If, under puragraph 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 again. The sums secured by this Security Instrument.

3. Application of Payments. Unless applicable law provides otherwise, all payments received by Lender onder paragraphs I and 2 shall be applied: first, to any prepayment charges due under the Note; second, to amounts payable under paragraph 2; 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 learnhold payments or ground reats, 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 stakes 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) 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 (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

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this Security Instrument. Leader may give Borrower a notice identifying the lice. Borrower shall satisfy the lice 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 bereafter erected on the Property insured against loss by fire, hazards included within the term "extended coverage" and any other hazards, including floods or flooding, 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 classe. 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 toss, Borrower shall give prompt notice to the insurance carrier and Lender.

Lender may make proof of lost 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 damager. If the restoration or repair is economically fessible and Lender's security is not lossened. If the restoration or repair is not economically fessible 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 survive within 30 days a notice from Lender that the insurance carrier has offered to settle a claim, then Lender may collect the improve 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 exonitity 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 will pass to Lender to the extent of the sums secured by this Security Instrument

immediately prior to the acquisition.

Occupancy, Preservation, Maintenance and Protection of the Property; Borrower's Louis Application; Leaseholds. Borrower shall occupy, establish, and use the Property of Borrower's principal residence within sixty days after the execution of this Security Instrument and shall continue to occupy the Property as Borrower's principal residence for at least one year after the date of occupancy, unless Lendor otherwise agrees in writing, which consent shall not be unresonably withheld, or unless extenuating circumstances exist which are beyond Borrower's sourcel. Borrower shall not destroy, damage or impair the Property, allow the Property to deteriorate, or commit waste on the Property. Borrower shall be in default if any furfeiture action or proceeding, whether civil or criminal, is begun that in Lencer's good faith judgment could result in forfeiture of the Property or otherwise materially impair the lien created by this Security learning or Lender's security interest. Borrower may cure much a default and reinstate, as provided in paragraph 18, by causing the extrem or proceeding to be dismissed with a ruling that, in Lender's good faith determination, precludes forfeiture of the Borrowe's interest in the Property or other material impairment of the lien created by this Security Instrument or Lender's security interior. Borrower shall also be in default if Borrower, during the loan application process, gave materially false or inaccurate infor net on or statements to Lender (or failed to provide Lender with any meterial information) in connection with the loan evidenced by the Note, including, but not limited to, representations concerning Borrower's occupancy of the Property as a principal residence. If this Security Instrument is on a seasehold, Borrower shall comply with all the provisions of the lease. If Rorrower acquires the title to the Property, the leasehold and the fee title shall not merge unless Lander agrees to the merger in writing.

7. Protection of Lender's Rights 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 bankruptcy, probate, for condemnation or forfeiture or to enforce laws or regulations), then Lander may do and pay for whatever is necessary to protect the value of the Property and Lender's rights in the Property. Lender a actions may include paying any sums secured 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

7. Lender does not have to do so.

Any amounts disbursed by Lender under this paragraph 7 shall become additional debt of Borrower secured by this Security Instrument. Unless Borrower and Lender agree to other terms of payment, these amounts shall hear interest from the date of disbursement at the Note rate and shall be payable, with interest, upon notice from Lender to Borrower requesting payment.

B. Mortgage Insurance. If Lender required mortgage insurance as a condition of making the toan secured by this Security Instrument, Borrower shall pay the premiums required to maintain the mortgage insurance in effect. If, for any reason, the mortgage insurance coverage required by Lender Ispace or conser to be in effect, Borrower shall pay the premius a required to

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obtain coverage automatically equivalent to the mortgage insurance previously in effect, at a cost substantially equivalent to the cost to Borrower of the mortgage insurance previously in effect, from an alternate mortgage insurance approved by Lender. If substantially equivalent mortgage insurance coverage is not available, Borrower shall pay to Lender each mouth a sum equal to one-twelfth of the yearly mortgage insurance premium being paid by Borrower when the insurance coverage lapsed or cessed to be in effect. Lender will accept, use and retain these payments as a loss reserve in lieu of mortgage insurance. Loss reserve payments may no longer be required, at the option of Lender, if mortgage insurance coverage (in the amount and for the period that Lender requires) provided by an insurer approved by Lender again becomes available and is obtained. Borrower shall pay the premiums required to maintain mortgage insurance in effect, or to provide a loss reserve, until the requirement for mortgage insurance ends in accordance with any written agreement between Borrower and Lender or applicable law.

- 9. 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 specifying reasonable cause for the inspection.
- 10. 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 Lengter.

In the event of a lotal taking of the Property, the proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument, whether or not then one with any excess paid to Borrower. In the event of a partial taking of the Property in which the fair market value of the Property immediately before the taking is equal to or greater than the amount of the sums secured by this Security Instrument immediately before the taking, unless Borrower and Lender otherwise agree in writing, the sums secured by this Security Instrument shall be enduced 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 is less than the amount of the sums secured immediately before the taking is less than the amount of the sums secured immediately before the taking, unless Borrower and Londer otherwise agree in writing or unless applicable law otherwise provides, the proceeds shall be applied to the sums secured by this Security Instrument whether or not the sums are then due.

If the Property is abandoned by Borrower, or it, after notice by Lender so Borrower that the condemnor offers to make an award or tettle a claim for damages. Borrower fails to respond to Lender within 30 days after the date the notice is given, Lender is authorized to collect and apply the proceeds, as it applies, 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 paragraphs. I and 2 or change the amount of such payments.

- 1). Borrower Not Released; Forbarrance By Lender Not a Wife Extension of the time for payment or modification of amortization of the sums secured by this Security Instrument granted by the fee to any nuccessor in interest of Borrower shall not operate to release the liability of the original Borrower or Borrower's nuccessors in interest. Lender shall not be required to common proceedings against any nuccessor in interest or refuse 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 stall not be a waiver of or preclude the exercise of any right or remedy.
- 12. Successors and Assigns Bound: Joint and Several Liability; Co-signers. The orvenants and agreements of this Security Instrument shall bind and benefit the successors and assigns of Lender and Borrower subject to the provisions of paragraph 17. Borrower's covenants and agreements that be joint and accord. Any Borrower who co signs this Security Instrument but does not execute the Note: (a) is co-signing this Security Instrument only to mortgage. 370.00 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 Lender and any other Borrower may agree to extend, medify, forbear or make any accommodations with regard to the terms of this Security Instrument or the Note without that Borrower's occurent.
- 13. Lean Charges. If the loan accured 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 measuremy 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 without any prepayment charge under the Note.
- 14. 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

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Leader's addises stated herein or any other address Leader designates by notice to Borrower. Any notice provided for in this Security Instrument shall be deemed to have been given to Borrower or Leader when given as provided in this paragraph.

15. Governing Law; Severability. This Security Instrument shall be governed by federal law and the law of the jurisdiction in which the Property is focated. 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.

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

17. 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 for if a beneficial interest in Borrower is sold or transferred and Borrower is not a natural person) without Lander's prior written consent. Lender may, at its option, require immediate payment in full of all sums 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 Borrower fails to pay these sums prior to the expiration of this period. Lender may invoke any remedies permitted by this Security hastrument without further notice or demand on Borrower.

18. Borrower's Rain to Reinstate. If Borrower meets certain conditions, Borrower shall have the right to have enforcement of this Security (continued at any time prior to the earlier of: (a) 5 days (or such other period as applicable law may specify for renoratement) before sale of the Property pursuant to any power of sale contained in this Security Instrument; or (b) entry of a judgment enforcing this Security Instrument. Those conditions are that Borrower; (a) pays Lender all sums which then would be due under this Security Instrument and the Note as if no acceleration had occurred; (b) cures any default of any other covenants or a presents; (c) pays all expenses incurred in enforcing this Security Instrument, including, but not limited to, reasonable attempts; fees; and (d) takes such action as Lender may reasonably require to assure that the lien of this Security Instrument, Lender's rights in the Property and Borrower's obligation to pay the sums secured by this Security Instrument shall continue unchanges. Upon reinstatement by Borrower, this Security Instrument and the obligations secured hereby shall remain fully effective (s if no acceleration had occurred. However, this right to reinstate shall not apply in the case of acceleration under paragraph 17.

19. Sale of Note; Change of Laan Servicer. The Note of a partial interest in the Note (sogether with this Security Instrument) may be sold one or more times without prior notice to Servower. A sale may result in a change in the entity (known as the "Loan Servicer") that collects monthly payments due under the lighter and this Security Instrument. There also may be one or more changes of the Loan Servicer unrelated to a sale of the Note. If their is a change of the Loan Servicer, Borrower will be given written notice of the change in accordance with paragraph 14 above and policable law. The notice will also contain any other information required by applicable law.

29. 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, nor allow anyour that to do, mything 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 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, lewsuit or other action by any governmental or regulatory agency or private party involving the Property and any Hazardous Substance or divinoumental 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 that, promptly take all necessary remedial actions in accordance with Environmental Law.

As used in this paragraph 20, "Hazardous Substances" are those substances defined as toxic or hazardous substances by Environmental Law and the following substances: gasoline, korosene, other flammable or toxic petroleum products, toxic pesticides and herbicides, volatite solvents, materials containing asbestos or formaldebyde, and radioactive materials. As used in this paragraph 20. "Environmental Law" means federal laws and laws of the jurisdiction where the Property is tocated that relate to health, safety or environmental protection.

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 17 unless

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applicable him provides otherwise). The notice shall specify: (a) the default; (b) the action required to even the default; (c) it dots, not less than 30 days from the date the notice is given to Borrower, by which the default must be cared; and (d) that failure to cure the default on or before the date specified in the notice may result in acceleration of the sums occured by this Security Instrument, foreclosure by judicial proceeding and sale of the Property. The notice shall further inform 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 foreclosure. 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 name socured by this Security Instrument without further demand and may foreclose this Security Instrument by judicial proceeding. Lender shall be entitled to collect all expenses incorred in pursuing the remedies provided in this paragraph 21, including, but not limited to, ransonable attorneys' fees and costs of little evidence.

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

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

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