

ASSIGNMENT OF MORTGAGE

STATE OF ALABAMA

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, Southeastern Mortgage of Alabama, L.L.C., a limited liability company with its principle office at Birmingham, Alabama, as ASSIGNOR, has this day transferred, sold, assigned, conveyed, and set over to Washington Mutual as ASSIGNEE, its successors, representatives, and assigns, all of ASSIGNOR'S rights, title, and interest in and to that certain mortgage executed by **Brandi Steed and Peggy Harless**

to Southeastern Mortgage of Alabama, L.L.C., dated **November 5, 2001** and in the amount of **\$131,047.00** and recorded in Volume 2001, Page 48506, of the records of the Probate Court of ~~XXXXXXX~~ ^{SHELBY} County, State of Alabama, together with the note and indebtedness described in and secured by the instrument aforesaid.

The ASSIGNOR herein specifically sells, transfers, and conveys to the above ASSIGNEE, its successors, representatives, and assigns, the aforementioned mortgage, the property described therein, the indebtedness secured thereby, together with all the rights, title, interest, powers, options, privileges, and immunities contained therein.

The ASSIGNOR herein has this day sold and assigned to the ASSIGNEE herein the note secured by the aforementioned security instrument and this transfer is made to secure the ASSIGNEE, its successors, representatives, and assigns, in the payment of said note.

SIGNED on 11/05/01.

SOUTHEASTERN MORTGAGE OF ALABAMA, L.L.C.

BY: Phillip W. Hayley
Its: Vice President

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I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State in said County, hereby certify that Phillip W. Hayley whose name as Vice President of Southeastern Mortgage of Alabama, L.L.C., a limited liability company, is signed to the foregoing conveyance, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me this day, that being informed of the contents of the conveyance, he as such officer and with full authority, executed the same voluntarily for and as the act of said company.

Given under my hand and official seal on 11/05/01.

Brandi J. Quid
NOTARY PUBLIC
My commission expires: October 21, 2005