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## RELEASE OF MORTGAGE / DEED OF TRUST

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That the undersigned for and in consideration of the payment of indebtedness secured and the cancellation of all the notes thereby secured and the sum of one dollar, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, does hereby remise, release, satisfy, convey and quit claim unto: LORENE THEROUX BENTON AND HUSBAND, SAMUEL EUGENE BENTON, heirs, legal representatives, successors and/or assignees, and assigns all right, title, interest, claim, or demand whatsoever it may have acquired in, through or by a certain Mortgage/Deed of Trust bearing the date JANUARY 22, 1997, and filed for the record in the County Recorder of SHELBY, State of ALABAMA, as as Instrument No. 1997-02488, in Book No. ---, at Page No. --- on JANUARY 24, 1997.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the said, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS INC. AS NOMINEE FOR HOMESIDE LENDING INC., has caused these presents to be signed by its Vice President, Dated: DECEMBER 22, 2001

MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS INC. AS NOMINEE FOR HOMESIDE

LENDING INC.

By:

A. Yates, Vice President

WITNESS:

(Name):

N Lopez

**CALIFORNIA** State of County of <u>ORANGE</u>

(Name):

W. Comez

On DECEMBER 22, 2001, before me, A. Arreola, personally appeared Julie A. Yates, Vice President personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies) and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

SS.

Witness my hand and official seal.

(Notary Name): A. Arreola

A. ARREOLA COMM. #1243233 NOTARY PUBLIC-CALIFORNIA **ORANGE COUNTY** My Comm. Exp. Nov. 23, 2003

PREPARED BY: T.D. Service Company, P.O. Box 11988

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