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Loan #: 0006157389 Customer #: 743 RLS #: 697122

## 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: THOMAS D. STRICKLAND, 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 APRIL 20, 1999, and filed for the record in the County Recorder of SHELBY, State of ALABAMA, as Instrument No. 1999-18076 in Book No. --- at Page No. --- on APRIL 30, 1999.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the said, WACHOVIA BANK OF DELAWARE, N.A., SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO FIRST UNION NATIONAL BANK OF DELAWARE, SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO FIRST UNION HOME EQUITY BANK NA SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO FIRST UNION HOME EQUITY CORPORATION, has caused these presents to be signed by its Assistant Vice President, Dated: NOVEMBER 01, 2002

Beneficiary:

WACHOVIA BANK OF DELAWARE, N.A., SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO FIRST UNION NATIONAL BANK OF DELAWARE, SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO FIRST UNION HOME EQUITY BANK NA SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO FIRST UNION HOME EQUITY CORPORATION

By:

Wendy Brown, Assistant Vice President

WITNESS:

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State of CALIFORNIA County of **SACRAMENTO** 

SS.

On NOVEMBER 01, 2002, before me, Gary L. Snyder, personally appeared Wendy Brown, Assistant 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.

Witness my hand and official seal.

(Notary Name): / Gary L. Snyder

GARY L. SNYDER ACOMMISSION #1367362 POR NOTARY PUBLIC - CALIFORNIA 5 SACRAMENTO COUNTY

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Gary Snyder