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<u>Discharge of Mortgage</u>

WFHM - CLIENT 685 #:3915490 "HILDRETH" Lender ID:669167/1669439349 Shelby, Alabama MERS #: 100013700084265303 VRU #: 1-888-679-6377

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS") AS NOMINEE FOR WELLS FARGO HOME MORTGAGE, INC., hereinafter referred to as the Mortgagee, DOES HEREBY CERTIFY, that a certain Mortgage made and executed by DOUGLAS J HILDRETH AND KAREN K HILDRETH HUSBAND AND WIFE to secure payment of the principal sum of \$161,900.00 plus interest, originally to FIRST UNION MORTGAGE CORPORATION, in the County of Shelby, and the State of Alabama, Dated: 04/30/1998 Recorded: 05/07/1998 in Book/Reel/Liber: N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.: 1998-16733, is now Paid and Satisfied, and is therefore discharged.

In all references in this in this instrument to any party, the use of a particular gender or number is intended to include the appropriate gender or number as the case may be.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Mortgagee has set his hand and has caused these presents to be signed by its duly authorized officer(s).

MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS") AS NOMINEE FOR WELLS FARGO

HOME MORTGAGE, INC.

On <u>November 22nd, 2002</u>

GAZAHEAN TADASSE, Assistant Vice

President

STATE OF South Carolina COUNTY OF Lancaster

On November 22nd, 2002, before me, TAMMY D. WHITAKER, a Notary Public in and for Lancaster County, in the State of South Carolina, personally appeared GAZAHEGN TADASSE, 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, and that by his/her/their signature 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 Expires: 02/14/2012

TAMMY D. WHITAKER NOTARY PUBLIC LANCASTER COUNTY, S. C. My Commission Expires Feb. 14, 2012

(This area for notarial seal)

Prepared By: GF TIFFANY ROYAL, WELLS FARGO HOME MORTGAGE, INC. 5024 PARKWAY PLAZA BLVD, MAC# X5401-032, CHARLOTTE, NC 28217 800-544-3466