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RECORD AND RETURN TO:

AARON HARRIS EDNA M HARRIS 341 TURNBERRY RD BIRMINGHAM AL 35244-3291

RELEASE OF LIEN

STATE OF ALABAMA

KNOW ALL BY THESE PRESENTS:

COUNTY OF SHELBY

THAT THE UNDERSIGNED, of the County of Bexar, State of Texas, the present legal and equitable Owner and Holder of that one certain Promissory Note in the original principal sum of \$50000.00, dated SEPTEMBER 26TH, 1995, and executed by AARON HARRIS AND EDNA M. HARRIS

payable to MORTGAGEAMERICA, INC.

more fully described in a Mortgage, duly recorded in Instrument No. 19951002000276671, Mortgage Book, Page, of the Mortgage records of SHELBY County, ALABAMA; said Note being secured by the therein described lien.

FOR AND IN CONSIDERATION of the full and final payment of said Note, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have released and discharged, and by these presents do hereby release and discharge, the above described property from all liens held by the undersigned securing said Note.

Executed this January 21, 2003

Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. (MERS) as nominee for Washington Mutual Bank, FA, successor in interest to HomeSide Lending, Inc. by operation of law.

Attest:

J. FEUERBACHER

ASSISTANT SECRETARY

NANCY STATON

ASSISTANT VICE PRESIDENT

STATE OF Texas

COUNTY OF Bexar

SS.

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared NANCY STATON, ASSISTANT VICE PRESIDENT, and J. FEUERBACHER, ASSISTANT SECRETARY of

Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. (MERS) known to

me to be the persons whose names are subscribed on the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the purpose and consideration therein expressed, in the capacity therein stated and as the act and deed of said Corporation.

Given under my hand and seal of office on January 21, 2003.



**B. SMEBY** Notary Public, State of Texas My Commission Expires MAY 25, 2005

Notary Public

Inv. Pool: L35-001 Loan Number: 10171338 PIF - PFAL 3235826NOV02 MOTAS

Inv. Number: 457763779

PFDT: 02-11-25

MIN No.: 100010980004330626