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DISCHARGE OF MORTGAGE

WASHINGTON MUTUAL - SAN ANTONIO #:10368901 "WARD" Lender ID:L06/137553633 Shelby, Alabama
MERS #: 100010980004034343 VRU #: 1-888-679-6377

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that Mortgage Eletronic Registration Systems, Inc. (MERS), as nominee for Homeside Lending, Inc., hereinafter referred to as the Mortgagee, DOES HEREBY CERTIFY, that a certain Mortgage made and executed by AMY S WARD AND HUSBAND, MICHAEL A WARD to secure payment of the principal sum of \$100,000.00 plus interest, originally to SOUTHTRUST MORTGAGE CORPORATION, in the County of Shelby, and the State of Alabama, Dated: 11/25/1997 Recorded: 12/02/1997 in Book/Reel/Liber: N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.: 1997-39143, is now Paid and Satisfied, and is therefore discharged.

In all references 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).

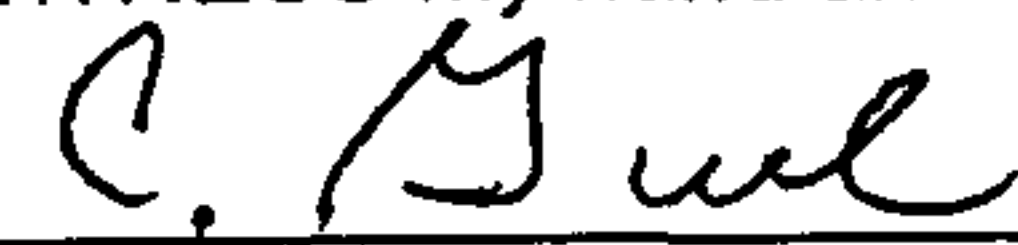
Mortgage Eletronic Registration Systems, Inc. (MERS), as nominee for Homeside Lending, Inc.
On May 2nd, 2003

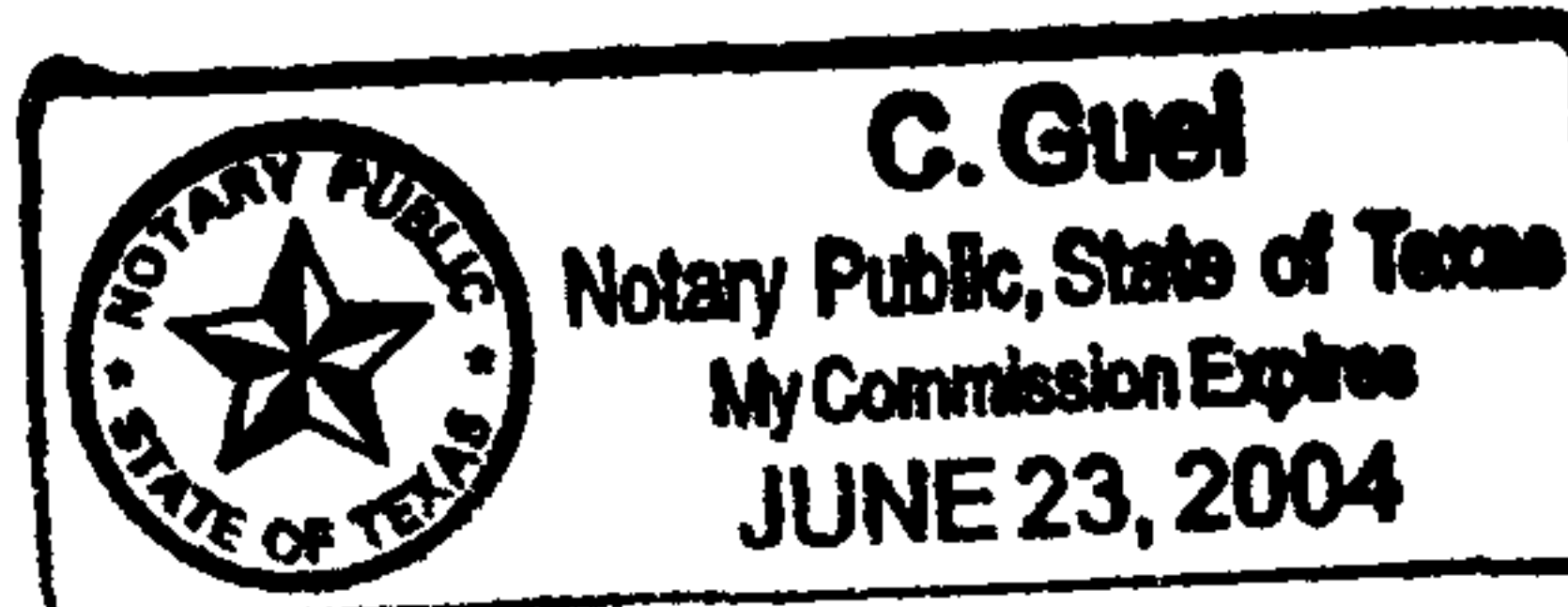
By: 
J FEUERBACHER, Vice President

STATE OF Texas
COUNTY OF Bexar

On May 2nd, 2003, before me, C GUEL, a Notary Public in and for Bexar in the State of Texas, personally appeared J FEUERBACHER, 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,


C GUEL
Notary Expires: 06/23/2004



(This area for notarial seal)

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