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**DISCHARGE OF MORTGAGE** 

WASHINGTON MUTUAL - VERNON HILLS -908 #:0055413850 "RITTINGHOUSE" Lender ID:F19/163/1681379026 Shelby, Alabama

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, FA SUCCESSOR TO WASHINGTON MUTUAL HOME LOANS, INC., hereinafter referred to as the Mortgagee, DOES HEREBY CERTIFY, that a certain Mortgage made and executed by JAMES RITTINGHOUSE AND KIM RITTINGHOUSE, HUSBAND AND WIFE to secure payment of the principal sum of \$300,000.00 plus interest, originally to COMPASS BANK, in the County of Shelby, and the State of Alabama, Dated: 04/30/2002 Recorded: 05/15/2002 as Instrument No.: 200220515000230610, 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).

WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, FA SUCCESSOR TO WASHINGTON MUTUAL HOME LOANS, INC. On November 24th, 2003

By: J.B.KERNS, First Vice President

STATE OF Texas
COUNTY OF Bexar

On November 24th, 2003, before me, a Notary Public in and for Bexar in the State of Texas, personally appeared J.B. KERNS, First 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: / /

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Prepared By: Gail Compton, WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, FA, P O BOX 47529, SAN ANTONIO, TX 78265-7529 1-800-342-7581