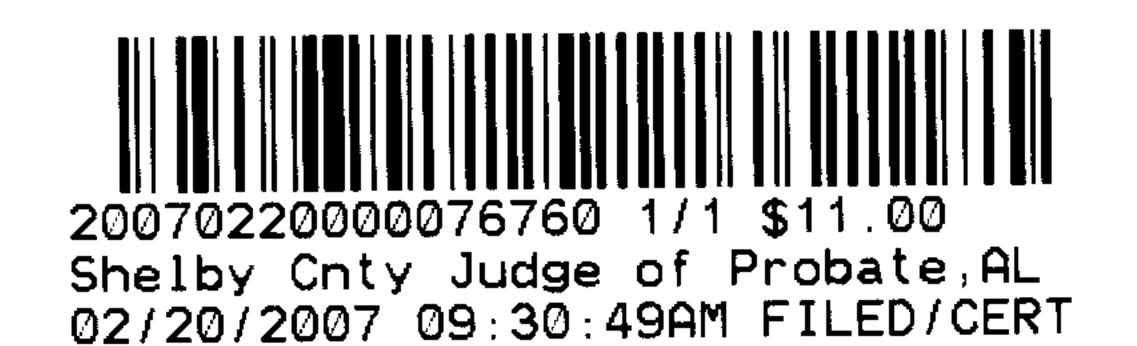
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RELEASE OF MORTGAGE/DEED OF TRUST

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: MARY JO ESKRIDGE AND JAMES ESKRIDGE HUSBAND AND WIFE, JOINT TENANTS, 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 JANUARY 29, 2004, and filed for the record in the County Recorder of SHELBY, State of ALABAMA, as as Instrument No. 20040223000091230, in Book No. ---, at Page No. --- on FEBRUARY 23, 2004.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the said, ARGENT MORTGAGE COMPANY, L.L.C., has caused these presents to be signed by its ASSISTANT VICE PRESIDENT, Dated: DECEMBER 29, 2006

ARGENT MORTGAGE COMPANY, L.L.C.

By: MICHAELERO, ASSISTANT VICE PRESIDENT

State of

CALIFORNIA

County of ORANGE

} ss.

On DECEMBER 29, 2006, before me, IRIS B JENKINS, a Notary Public, personally appeared ARME CABALLERO 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.

My Comm. Expires Nov. 4, 2007

Witness my hand and official seal.

(Notary Name): IRIS B JENKINS

PREPARED BY: LANDAMERICA, P.O. BOX 25088

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