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State of ALABAMA County of SHELBY

RELEASE OF MORTGAGE

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that the undersigned, Countrywide Home Loans, Inc. (fka Countrywide Funding Corporation), the current mortgagee ("Mortgagee"), of that certain Mortgage executed by

WAYNE C. SMITH, CATHERINE M. SMITH HUSBAND AND WIFE

as mortgagor, dated 10/13/1998 and filed for record 10/19/1998 in Mortgage Book N/A, Page N/A, Doc# 1998-40719, Probate Records of SHELBY County, Alabama, does hereby declare that the Mortgage has been paid and satisfied in full and is forever discharged. The recorder or clerk of said county is hereby instructed to record this instrument and to cancel, release, and discharge the Mortgage in accordance with the regulations of said county and state.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused these presents to be executed on this the 17 day of August, 2012.

By:

Countrywide Home Loans, Inc. (fka Countrywide Funding Corporation

Akia Pierce

Its: Assistant Vice President

STATE OF ARIZONA COUNTY OF MARICOPA

On **8** · 17 · 12, before me, Wade Dado, Notary Public, personally appeared Akia Pierce, Assistant Vice President of Countrywide Home Loans, Inc. (fka Countrywide Funding Corporation), whose identity was proven to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person who he or she claims to be and whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his ther authorized capacity, and that by his ther signature on the instrument the person, or entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my notarial seal the day and year last written.

> WADE DADO **NOTARY PUBLIC - ARIZONA** Maricopa County My Commission Expires March 6, 2015

Wade Dado Notary Public

WAYNE C. SMITH, CATHERINE M. SMITH 8705 Montauk Dr Raleigh, NC 27615

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