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RELEASE OF MORTGAGE

WF HOME EQUITY #:68121002821998 "BATES" Shelby, Alabama KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A. successor by merger to WACHOVIA BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, hereinafter referred to as the Mortgagee, DOES HEREBY CERTIFY, that a certain Mortgage made and executed by RONALD L BATES AND BARBARA F BATES to secure payment of the principal sum of \$364,500.00 plus interest, originally to WACHOVIA BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, in the County of Shelby, and the State of Alabama, Dated: 02/15/2006 Recorded: 03/17/2006 in Book/Reel/Liber: N/A Page/Folio: N/A as Instrument No.: 20060317000124450, 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).

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A. successor by merger to WACHOVIA BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

On <u>August 9th</u>, 2018

JEFFREY JOSEPANILITELLO, Vice President

Loan Documentation

20180821000297590 1/1 \$15.00

Shelby Cnty Judge of Probate, AL 08/21/2018 08:20:04 AM FILED/CERT

STATE OF Minnesota COUNTY OF Hennepin

This instrument was acknowledged before me, JOSHUA JOHN LUNDHOLM, a Notary Public on August 9th, 2018 by JEFFREY JOSEPH MILITELLO as Vice President Loan Documentation of WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.

WITNESS my hand and official seal,

JOSHUA JOHN LUNDHOLM Notary Expires: 01/31/2019

(This area for notarial seal)

NOTARY PUBLIC - MINNESOTA

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 01/31/2019

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