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STATE OF INDIANA  
LAKE COUNTY  
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### RELEASE OF MORTGAGE

The Mortgagee is the holder of that certain Mortgage dated DECEMBER 5, 1994, which was recorded on DECEMBER 14, 1994, in the office of the County Recorder for LAKE County, Indiana, and is indexed as: 94084093. This Mortgage was executed by ROBERT P. THORNTON (Mortgagor), in favor of BANK OF HIGHLAND N/K/A SAND RIDGE BANK, as Mortgagee. The Mortgage having been complied with, the indebtedness secured by it having been fully paid, and the purposes of the Mortgage having been fully satisfied, Mortgagee hereby releases the Mortgage and hereby releases all of Mortgagee's right, title and interest in and to the Property.

Dated: DECEMBER 3, 1997

By: Donald L. Harris  
DONALD L. HARRIS

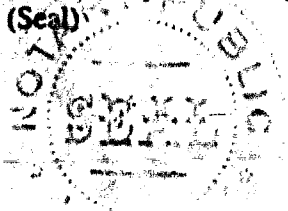
Title: VICE PRESIDENT

STATE OF INDIANA,  
COUNTY OF LAKE ss:

Before me, SHARON S. RUHS, a Notary Public, this 3RD day of DECEMBER, 1997, of DONALD L. HARRIS, VICE PRESIDENT (Title(s)) of BANK OF HIGHLAND N/K/A SAND RIDGE BANK (Name of Business or Entity) a INDIANA CORPORATION acknowledged the execution of the annexed mortgage of the business or entity.

My commission expires: 2/11/99

(Seal)



(Notary Public) Sharon S. Ruhs  
SHARON S. RUHS

(Notary's County) LAKE

This instrument was prepared by: DONALD L. HARRIS, VICE PRESIDENT

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