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RELEASE OF MORTGAGE

AMERICAN General.

This certifies, that a certain mortgage executed by ALBERT C AUSTIN JR & PAMELA R AUSTIN of the City of HAMMOND , County of LAKE State of IN to

AMERICAN GENERAL FINANCE INC.

2414 INTERTSTAE PLAZA DR HAMMOND, IN 46324

HAMMOND, IN 46324

County, LAKE

, on OCTOBER 24TH, 1997 , securing the principal sum, of \$12462.64

and duly recorded in Mortgage Book 97073707 , in the Office of the LAKE

CountyINDIANA

has been fully paid and satisfied, and same is hereby released

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Undersigned has hereunto set its hand by its properly authorized offices this 9TH day of MARCH

AMERICAN GENERAL FINANCE INC.

My Commission expires: 01-20

STATE OF INDIANA COUNTY OF LAKE

Branch Manager and Attorney-in-Fact

Lawrence A Hord & Hord

The undersigned, a Notary Public, in and for the State and County aforesaid, does hereby certify that the foregoing Release was this day produced to me in said County and Branch Manager and State and acknowledged by LAWRENCE A. HORVATH to be the act Attorney-in-Fact, of said AMERICAN GENERAL FINANCE INC. and deed of AMERICAN GENERAL FINANCE INC. , and the act and deed of LAWRENCE A.HORVATH , Branch Manager and Attorney-in-Fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 9TH day of MARCH 2000

> Notary Public, LAKE State of INDIANA

County,

This instrument was prepared by LYNNETTE LANNON

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