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STATE OF INDIANA

COUNTY OF LAKE

KNOW ALL BY THESE PRESENTS:

THAT THE UNDERSIGNED, of the County of Bexar, State of Texas, the present legal and equitable Owner and Holder of that one certain Promissory Note in the original principal sum of \$165000.00, dated OCTOBER 13TH, 2000, and executed by WILLIAM J. NOWAK AND CATHERINE L. NOWAK, HUSBAND AND WIFE payable to MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.

more fully described in a Mortgage/Deed of Trust, duly recorded in Instrument No. 2000075424, Certificate No., Drawer No., Book, Page, of the Mortgage/Deed of Trust records of LAKE County, INDIANA; said Note being secured by therein described lien against the following described property:

AS DESCRIBED IN SAID MORTGAGE

FOR AND IN CONSIDERATION of the full and final payment of said Note, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have released and discharged, and by these presents do hereby release and discharge, the securing said Note.

Executed this December 270 2001 tent is the property of

the Lake (MERS) Plectronic Registration Systems, Inc.

Attest:

VICE PRESIDENT

G HARKLESS ASSISTANT SECRETARY

STATE OF Texas

COUNTY OF Bexar

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared B. SANTELLAN, VICE PRESIDENT, and G. HARKLESS, ASSISTANT SECRETARY, of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems,

Inc. (MERS) known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed on the foregoing purpose and acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the stated and as the act and deed of said Corporation.

Given under my hand and seal of office on December 27, 2001.

PATRICIA BELTRAN Notary Public, State of Texas My Commission Expires MAY 1, 2002

Prepared By:

Notary Public

Inv. Pool No. E03-172 1675717976 14372133 Inv. Loan No. PFDT: No. 01-12-- 17

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