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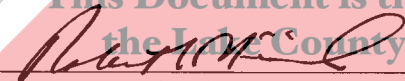
ASSIGNMENT OF MORTGAGE

For good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, **THE BANK OF NEW YORK AS TRUSTEE UNDER THE POOLING AND SERVICING AGREEMENT DATED AS OF AUGUST 31, 1997, SERIES 1997-C, 20 BROAD ST. LL-2 NEW YORK NY 10005**

by these presents does convey, grant, bargain, sell, assign, transfer and set over to: **HOMEQ SERVICING CORPORATION, 4837 WATT AVE, SUITE 100, Mailcode #CA3501, North Highlands, CA 95660-3309**

the described Mortgage, together with the certain note(s) described therein with all interest, all liens, and any rights due or to become due thereon. Said Mortgage for \$25,800.00 is recorded in the State of INDIANA, County of LAKE Official Records, dated AUGUST 25, 1997 and recorded on SEPTEMBER 04, 1997, as Instrument No. 97058731, in DRAWER: ---, at CARD: ---.

Original Mortgagor: **FREDRICK A SMITH**
Original Mortgagee: **MERCHANTILE MORTGAGE COMPANY**
Property Address: **2174 KENTUCKY ST GARY IN 46407-**
HOMEQ SERVICING CORPORATION ATTORNEY IN FACT FOR THE BANK OF NEW YORK AS TRUSTEE UNDER THE POOLING & SERVICING AGREEMENT DATED AS OF AUGUST 31, 1997 SERIES 1997-C

By: 
Robert L. Minnich, Vice President

State of CALIFORNIA }
County of SACRAMENTO } ss.

On MAY 27, 2005, before me, Gary L. Snyder, personally appeared Robert L. Minnich, Vice President personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies) and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal.


(Notary Name): Gary L. Snyder



===== PREPARED BY: PRINCETON RECONVEYANCE SERVICE: P O BOX 13309
MAILCODE #CA3501
SACRAMENTO, CA 95813-3309
RYAN RUZ (HOMEQ)

Recording Requested By:
HOMEQ SERVICING CORPORATION

And When Recorded Mail To:
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