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MORTGAGE

THIS MORTGAGE, Made this tenth day of December ,1954, by F. P. COTANT and EMMA COTANT, husband and wife now and at all times since prior to acquiring title to the real property hereinafter described,

of Carson , County of Skamania , State of Washington, mortgagor, and The National Bank of Commerce of Seattle, a national banking association,

organized and existing under the laws of the United States of America , mortgagee,

WITNESSETH, That the mortgager mortgages to the mortgagee, its successors and assigns, the following-described real estate, situated in the County of Skamania, and State of Washington, to wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the west half of the northeast quarter $(\mathbb{W}^1_2 \ \mathbb{N}\mathbb{E}^1_4)$ of Section 20, Township 3 North, Range 8 E.W.M.; thence south 82 rods; thence west 40 rods; thence north 82 rods; thence east 40 rods to the place of beginning;

SAVE AND EXCEPT THEREFROM: (1) Beginning at the northeast corner of the west half of the northeast quarter $(\mathbb{W}^1_2 \ \mathbb{NE}^1_4)$ of said Section 20; thence west along the north line thereof 660 feet; thence south 347 feet; thence east 212 feet; thence south 313 feet; thence east 448 feet; thence north 660 feet to the place of beginning; (2) A strip of land along the easterly side of the tract first above described, which has been conveyed to the State of Washington for highway purposes.

