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**LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., successor in interest to Pacific Northwest Bank, successor in interest to Interwest Bank, (hereinafter referred to as "SELLER") through its duly authorized representative whose signature appears below makes and appoints and by this Limited Power of Attorney does make, constitute and appoint Wells Fargo Financial Bank (hereinafter referred to as "WELLS FARGO") the true and lawful attorney-in-fact for the SELLER, and in the SELLER's name and stead to execute, by the signature of any authorized WELLS FARGO employee or agent, any and all documents for the purpose of releasing any liens or security interests in real or personal property held as security, or for the assignment and transferring to WELLS FARGO any and all mortgages, deeds of trusts, security instruments, and the related notes or line of credit agreements, including, but not limited to the assignments of mortgages, deeds of trust, and security instruments; the note/home equity line of credit endorsements, affidavit and agreements, for any home equity line of credit transaction committed to WELLS FARGO under that certain Home Equity Line of Credit Sale Agreement between Pacific Northwest Bank and WELLS FARGO dated April 23, 2004 (the "Agreement"); giving and granting unto the said attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done, and to make, correct, amend, endorse, accept or deliver all agreements and instruments; as fully, to all intents and purposes, as the SELLER might or could do if present at the doing thereof through one of its authorized representatives, with full power of substitution and revocation. The SELLER hereby ratifies and confirms all that the said attorney-in-fact shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Limited Power of Attorney.

SELLER hereby agrees that this Limited Power of Attorney is coupled with an interest and is not revocable.  
SELLER further agrees that this Limited Power of Attorney shall be effective as of the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2004.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and seal as of the 21 day of October, 2004.

SELLER: WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A., successor in interest to PACIFIC NORTHWEST BANK, successor in interest to INTERWEST BANK

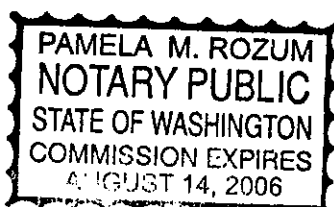
By: [Signature]  
(Signature of authorized officer of SELLER)  
David H. Straus  
(Printed name of authorized officer)  
President, Washington Business Banking  
(Title of authorized officer)

STATE OF Washington )  
COUNTY OF King ) ss:

On this 21<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2004, before me, the undersigned officer, personally appeared David H. Straus, who acknowledged himself/herself to be the President, Co. Sec. & CIO, of Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., a U.S. corporation and that he/she, as such officer, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained, by signing the name of the corporation by himself/herself as such officer.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal.

Pamela M. Rozum  
Notary Public



**SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE**

I hereby certify that I am the duly elected and qualified Secretary of the SELLER, and that, as such, I am authorized to execute this certificate on behalf of the SELLER. I further certify that the above-named officer of the SELLER ("Authorized Officer") is a duly elected, qualified, and acting officer of the SELLER, holding the officer title of Senior Vice President on the date hereof, and that the Board of Directors of the SELLER has duly authorized, empowered, and directed the Authorized Officer to execute and deliver this Limited Power of Attorney in the name of and on behalf of the SELLER.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the SELLER as of this second day of November 2004.

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Robert S. Singley  
Secretary

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