ORDER NO. ESCROW NO. LOAN NO.

WHEN RECORDED MAIL TO

Name

EMPIRE FUNDING CORPORATION

Street Address

9737 GREAT HILLS TRAIL

City State Zip

AUSTIN, TX 78759

SPACE ABOVE THIS LINE RECORDER'S USE"

CORPORATION ASSIGNMENT OF DEED OF TRUST

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned grants, assigns and transfers to: EMPIRE FUNDING CORP., AN OKLAHOMA CORPORATION DOING BUSINESS IN CALIFORNIA AS OKLAHOMA EMPIRE FUNDING CORP. MARCH 20th, 1998 all beneficial interest under that certain Deed of Trust dated LARRY A. BERG AND LISA A. BERG, HUSBAND AND WIFE, AS JOINT TENANTS

executed by

(TRUSTOR)

to WESTERN TITLE COMPANY, INC. A NEVADA CORPORATION (TRUSTEE) and recorded 5/6/78 0 10459003 of Official Records in the Office of the County Recorder of State of NEVADA , describing land therein as:

LOT 340, AS SHOWN ON THE MAP OF GARDNERVILLE RANCHOS UNIT NO. 7, FILED FOR RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER OF DOUGLAS COUNTY, NEVADA, ON MARCH 27, 1974, AS

DOCUMENT NO. 72456.

APN: 29-324-35

TOGETHERwith the note or notes therein described or referred to, the money due and to become due thereon with interest, and all rights accrue under said Deed of Trust.

Dated this 20th day of MARCH

,1998 METROPOLITAN FINANCIAL, INC., A NEVADA CORP.

KENNETH WALKER, PRESIDENT

STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF ORANGE

SS.

On MARCH 20, 1998

before me, LISA L. KOMINEK

(here insert name and title of the officer)

KENNETH WALKER, PRESIDENT, METROPOLITAN FINANCIAL, INC., 1820 personally appeared

W. ORANGEWOOD AVE, SUITE 211, ORANGE, CA 92668

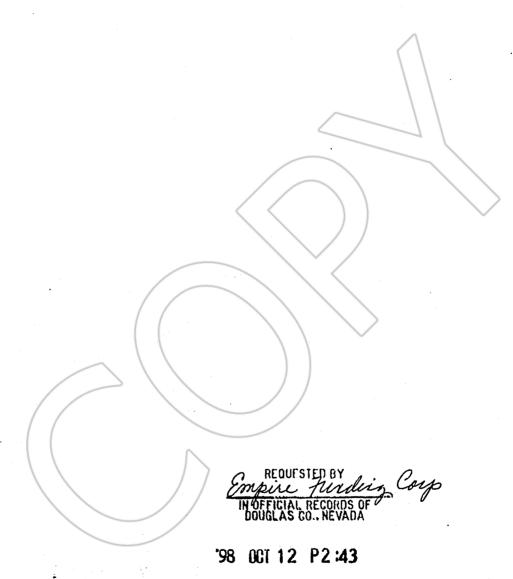
personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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WITNESS my official/hand and seal.

Signature

LISA L. KOMINEK Commission # 1135741 Notary Public - California **Orange County** My Comm. Expires Apr 26, 2001



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