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RELEASE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE AND SECURITY AGREEMENT

The undersigned, the present owner(s) of the mortgage hereinafter described, do hereby acknowledge that a certain mortgage and security agreement bearing date of the 1st day of May, 2002, made and executed by Northern Natural Gas Company to Citicorp North America, Inc. and recorded in the records of the office of the Recorder of the County of Delaware, State of Iowa, in Book 2002 at Page 1745, on the 7th day of May, 2002 is hereby released.

Words and phrases herein, including acknowledgment hereof, shall be construed as in the singular or plural number, and as masculine, feminine or neuter gender, according to the context.

Dated this 9th day of October, 2002.

CITICORP NORTH AMERICA, INC.

Signature

Todd J. Mogil, Vice President
Print Name and Title

CORPORATE

STATE OF Texas, Harris COUNTY, ss:

On this 9th day of October, 2002, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, to me personally appeared Todd J. Mogil, to me personally known, who being by me and duly sworn, did say that s/he is the Vice President of said corporation; ~~that the affixed seal thereto is the seal of said corporation;~~ that said instrument was signed ~~and sealed~~ on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors; and that the said Todd J. Mogil as such officer, acknowledged the execution of said instrument to be the voluntary act and deed ~~of~~ said corporation, by it and by her/him voluntarily executed.

Diana Alday
Notary Public in and for said State

DIANA ALDAY
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES
September 4, 2004