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MICHELLE UTSLER RECORDER MADISON COUNTY, IOWA

Prepared by and Return to: /AmerUs Home Equity, Inc. Attn: Joyce Jessen/Ginny Stearns P.O. Box 35130 Des Moines, Iowa 50315-0130

TITLE HOLDER: Bruce A. Mecham Release of Mortgage - For corporation.

Commercial Federal Bank, FSB, as successor by merger to AmerUs Bank, FSB formerly Midland Savings Bank, FSB does hereby acknowledge that full payment has been made of a certain mortgage, bearing date October 5, 1995, made and executed by

BRUCE A. MECHAM AND MARLA MECHAM

to Midland Savings Bank, FSB

recorded in the Records of MADISON COUNTY, IOWA, in MORTGAGE RECORD 179 at PAGE 352 on November 20, 1995, and hereby release the same of record.

DATE SATISFIED: August 25, 1997

DATED: February 24, 1999



ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF IOWA

COUNTY OF POLK )

Commercial Federal Bank, a Federal Savings Bank, as successor by merger to AmerUs Bank, a Federal Savings Bank By: AmerUs Home Equity, Inc., an Iowa corporation, Attorney-in-Fact

Craig L. Bergman, Corporate Officer

On this day February 24, 1999 before me the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the County of POLK, State of Iowa, personally appeared Craig L. Bergman to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is the Corporate Officer of AmerUs Home Equity, Inc., an Iowa corporation, Attorney-in-Fact for Commercial Federal Bank, a Federal Savings Bank, as successor by merger to AmerUs Bank, a Federal Savings Bank executing the foregoing instrument; that no seal has been procured by said corporation; that said instrument was signed on behalf of said corporation, by authority of its Board of Directors and that Craig L. Bergman as such officer, acknowledged the execution of said instrument to be the voluntary act and deed of said corporation and of the fiduciary, by him and as the fiduciary voluntary executed.

> JOYCH JESSEN JOHNISSION EXPIRES April 29, 2001

Joyce Jessen, Notary Public in and for POLK County, State of Iowa

My Commission expires 4/29/2001