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RELEASE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE

Know All Men by These Presents: That the undersigned, the present owner(s) of the mortgage hereinafter described, do hereby acknowledge that a certain mortgage bearing date of the 7th day of April, A.D. 19 98, made and executed by Mercantile Bank of Western Iowa kna Mercantile Bank Midwest to Sharon K and Carl R Christensen husband and wife Recorded in the records of the office of the Recorder of the County of Madison State of Iowa, in Book 197 Page/Document No. 860 on the 27th day of April, A.D. 19 98, is redeemed, paid off, satisfied and discharged in full.

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 content.

Dated this 17th day of December, 1998.

Mercantile Bank of Western Iowa Karea & andewer V KAREN B ANDEWEG, VICE PRESIDENT KIMBERLY BUTLER, SR. VICE PRESIDENT CORPORATE STATE OF COUNTY SS: 17th day of December A.D. 19 98 On this__ , before me the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared KAREN E ANDEWEG KIMBERLY BUTLER , and_ _, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn, did say that they are the **VICE PRESIDENT** and SR. VICE PRESIDENT respectively, of said corporation; that the seal affixed 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 _ KAREN E ANDEWEG KIMBERLY BUTLER , as such officers, acknowledged the execution of said instrument to be the voluntary act and deed of said corporation by it and by them voluntarily executed. Public in and for said County INDIVIDUAL STATE OF COUNTY SS: On this day of_ , A.D. 19_ , before me the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared to me known to be the identical persons named in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their voluntary act and deed.

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Notary Public in and for said County