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WM Specialty vs Scott Smith et al

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WM SPECIALTY MORTGAGE LLC

9451 Corbin Avenue

Northridge, CA 91324

Plaintiff

vs.

SCOTT THOMAS SMITH

DIANE DEE STEPHENS

Mortgagors and Real Owners

935 Main Street

Woodland, PA 16881

Defendants

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

OF CLEARFIELD COUNTY

CIVIL ACTION - LAW

ACTION OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

Term 07-1200-CJ

No.

**CIVIL ACTION: MORTGAGE
FORECLOSURE**NOTICE

You have been sued in court. If you wish to defend against the claims set forth in the following pages, you must take action within twenty (20) days after the Complaint and notice are served, by entering a written appearance personally or by attorney and filing in writing with the court your defenses or objections to the claims set forth against you. You are warned that if you fail to do so the case may proceed without you and a judgment may be entered against you by the Court without further notice for any money claim in the Complaint or for any other claim or relief requested by the Plaintiff. You may lose money or property or other rights important to you.

YOU SHOULD TAKE THIS PAPER TO YOUR LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A LAWYER OR CANNOT AFFORD ONE, GO TO OR TELEPHONE THE OFFICE SET FORTH BELOW. THIS OFFICE CAN PROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT HIRING A LAWYER.

IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO HIRE A LAWYER, THIS OFFICE MAY BE ABLE TO PROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT AGENCIES THAT MAY OFFER LEGAL SERVICES TO ELIGIBLE PERSONS AT A REDUCED FEE OR NO FEE.

KEYSTONE LEGAL SERVICES

211 1/2 E. Locust Street

Clearfield, PA 16830

814-765-9646

PENNSYLVANIA BAR ASSOCIATION

P.O. Box 186

Harrisburg, PA 17108

800-692-7375

A V I S O

LE HAN DEMANDADO A USTED EN LA CORTE. SI DESEA DEFENDERSE CONTRA LAS QUEJAS PERESENTADAS, ES ABSOLUTAMENTE NECESSARIO QUE USTED RESPONDA DENTRO DE 20 DIAS DESPUES DE SER SERVIDO CON ESTA DEMANDA Y AVISO. PARA DEFENDERSE ES NECESSARIO QUE USTED, O SU ABOGADO, REGISTRE CON LA CORTE EN FORMA ESCRITA, EL PUNTO DE VISTA DE USTED Y CUALQUIER OBJECCION CONTRA LAS QUEJAS EN ESTA DEMANDA.

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JUL 30 2007
2 CC Sheriff
William A. Shaw
Prothonotary/Clerk of Courts

RÉCUERDE: SI USTED NO REPONDE A ESTA DEMANDA, SE PUEDE PROSEGUIR CON EL PROCESO SIN SU PARTICIPACION. ENTONCES, LA COUTE PUEDE, SIN NOTIFICARIO, DECIDIR A FAVOR DEL DEMANDANTE Y REQUERIRA QUE USTED CUMPLA CON TODAS LAS PROVISIONES DE ESTA DEMANDA. POR RAZON DE ESA DECISION, ES POSSIBLE QUE USTED PUEDA PERDER DINERO, PROPIEDAD U OTROS DERECHOS IMPORTANTES.

USTED DEBE LLEVAR ÉSTE PAPEL A SU ABOGADO ENSEGUIDA. SI USTED NO TIENE UN ABOGADO, VAYA O LLAME POR TELÉFONO LA OFICINA FIJADA AQUÍ ABAJO. ESTA OFICINA PUEDE PROVEERÉ CON INFORMACIÓN DE CÓMO CONSEUIR UN ABOGADO.

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WILL BE USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING THE DEBT.**

Resources available for Homeowners in Foreclosure

ACT NOW!

Even though your lender (and our client) has filed an Action of Mortgage Foreclosure against you, you still may be able to **SAVE YOUR HOME FROM FORECLOSURE**.

- 1). Call an attorney. For referrals to a qualified attorney call either of the following numbers: 814-765-9646 or 800-692-7375.
- 2). Call the Consumer Credit Counseling Agency at 1-800-989-2227 for free counseling.
- 3). Visit HUD'S website www.hud.gov for Help for Homeowners Facing the Loss of Their Homes.
- 4). Call the Plaintiff (your lender) at 866-296-8937 and ask to speak to someone about Loss Mitigation or Home Retention options.
- 5). Call or contact our office to request the amount to bring the account current, or payoff the mortgage or request a Loan Workout / Home Retention Package. Call our toll free number at 1-866-413-2311 or via email at homeretention@goldbecklaw.com. Call Seth at 215-825-6329 or fax 215-825-6429. The figure and/or package you requested will be mailed to the address that you request or faxed if you leave a message with that information. The attorney in charge of our firm's Homeowner Retention Department is David Fein who can be reached at 215-825-6318 or Fax: 215-825-6418. Please reference our Attorney File Number WM-1164.

Para informacion en espanol puede comunicarse con Loretta al 215-825-6344.

This Action of Mortgage Foreclosure will continue unless you take action to stop it.

COMPLAINT IN MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

1. Plaintiff is WM SPECIALTY MORTGAGE LLC, 9451 Corbin Avenue, Northridge, CA 91324.
2. The names and addresses of the Defendants are SCOTT THOMAS SMITH, 935 Main Street, Woodland, PA 16881 and DIANE DEE STEPHENS, 935 Main Street, Woodland, PA 16881, who are the mortgagors and real owners of the mortgaged premises hereinafter described.
3. On April 06, 2006 mortgagors made, executed and delivered a mortgage upon the Property hereinafter described to MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS INC, ACTING AOLELY AS A NOMINEE FOR HOME FUNDS DIRECT, which mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Clearfield County as Instrument #200605625. The mortgage has been assigned to: WM SPECIALTY MORTGAGE LLC by assignment of Mortgage. Plaintiff is the real party in interest pursuant to a purchase or transfer of the mortgage obligation from the last record holder and an Assignment of Mortgage to Plaintiff has been and/or will be lodged for recording with the Recorder of Deeds in the ordinary course of business. The Mortgage and assignment(s) are matters of public record and are incorporated by this reference in accordance with Pennsylvania Rule of Civil Procedure 1019(g); which Rule relieves the Plaintiff from its obligation to attach documents to pleadings if those documents are matters of public record.
4. The Property subject to the Mortgage is more fully described in the legal description set forth as Exhibit "A" ("Property").
5. The mortgage is in default because the monthly payments of principal and interest are due and unpaid for November 01, 2006 and each month thereafter and by the terms the Mortgage, upon default in such payments for a period of one month or more, the entire principal balance and all interest due and other charges are due and collectible.
6. The following amounts are due to Plaintiff on the Mortgage:

Principal Balance	\$57,885.80
Interest from 10/01/2006 through 07/31/2007 at 10.6250%.....	\$5,122.40
Per Diem interest rate at \$16.85	
Reasonable Attorney's Fee at 5% of Principal Balance	
as more fully explained in the next numbered paragraph	\$2,894.29
Late Charges from 11/01/2006 to 07/31/2007	\$192.95
Monthly late charge amount at \$32.16	
Costs of suit and Title Search	\$900.00
Fees	\$183.20
Recoverable Balance.....	<u>\$927.00</u>
	<u><u>\$68,105.64</u></u>

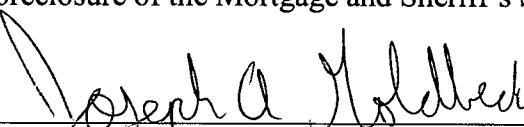
7. If the Mortgage is reinstated prior to a Sheriff's Sale, the Attorney's Fees set forth above may be less than the amount demanded based on work actually performed. The Attorney's Fees requested are in conformity with the Mortgage and Pennsylvania law. Plaintiff is entitled to collect Attorney's fees of up to 5% of the remaining principal balance in the event the Property is sold to a third party purchaser at Sheriff's Sale or if the complexity of the action requires additional fees in excess of the amount demanded in the Action.
8. Plaintiff is not seeking a judgment of personal liability (or an "in personam" judgment) against the Defendants in this Action but reserves its right to bring a separate Action to establish that right, if such right exists. If Defendants have received a discharge of their personal liability in a Bankruptcy proceeding, this Action of Mortgage Foreclosure is, in no way, an attempt to re-establish the personal

liability that was discharged in Bankruptcy, but only to foreclose the Mortgage and sell the Property pursuant to Pennsylvania law.

9. Notice of Intention to Foreclose and a Notice of Homeowners' Emergency Mortgage Assistance has been sent to Defendants by certified and regular mail, as required by Act 160 of 1998 of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on the date(s) set forth in the true and correct copy of such notice(s) attached hereto as Exhibit "B". The Defendants have not had the required face-to-face meeting within the required time and Plaintiff has no knowledge of any such meeting being requested by the Defendants through the Plaintiff, the Pennsylvania Housing Finance Agency, or any appropriate Consumer Credit Counseling Agency.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff demands a de terris judgment in mortgage foreclosure in the sum of \$68,105.64, together with interest at the rate of \$16.85, per day and other expenses, costs and charges incurred by the Plaintiff which are properly chargeable in accordance with the terms of the Mortgage and Pennsylvania law until the Mortgage is paid in full, and for the foreclosure of the Mortgage and Sheriff's Sale of the Property.

By: _____


GOLDBECK McCAFFERTY & MCKEEVER

BY: JOSEPH A. GOLDBECK, JR., ESQUIRE

ATTORNEY FOR PLAINTIFF

VERIFICATION

I, Peter Read, as the representative of the Plaintiff corporation within named do hereby verify that I am authorized to and do make this verification on behalf of the Plaintiff corporation and the facts set forth in the foregoing Complaint are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. I understand that false statements therein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

Date: 07.27.07



Washington Mutual Bank as manager to
WM Specialty Mortgage LLC as owner


Peter Read - AWP

#0690936836 - SCOTT THOMAS SMITH and DIANE DEE STEPHENS

Exhibit A

ORDER #: 5210762

EXHIBIT A

**ALL THAT PARCEL OF LAND IN TOWNSHIP OF BRADFORD, CLEARFIELD COUNTY,
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN DEED BOOK 2005,
PAGE 19737, ID# 106-M9-632-3 AND ID# 106-M9-632-2, BEING KNOWN AND DESIGNATED AS
METES AND BOUNDS PROPERTY.**

**DEED FROM SCOTT THOMAS SMITH, SINGLE AS SET FORTH IN DEED BOOK 2005, PAGE 19737
DATED 11/10/2005 AND RECORDED 11/14/2005, CLEARFIELD COUNTY RECORDS,
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA.**

Exhibit B

ACT 91 NOTICE

DATE OF NOTICE: April 3, 2007

TAKE ACTION TO SAVE YOUR HOME FROM FORECLOSURE

THIS LAW FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AND WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT OWED TO OUR CLIENT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM YOU WILL BE USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING THE DEBT.

This is an official notice that the mortgage on your home is in default, and the lender intends to foreclose. Specific information about the nature of the default is provided in the attached pages.

The HOMEOWNER'S MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (HEMAP) may be able to help to save your home. This Notice explains how the program works.

To see if HEMAP can help, you must MEET WITH A CONSUMER CREDIT COUNSELING AGENCY WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE. Take this Notice with you when you meet with the Counseling Agency.

The name, address and phone number of Consumer Credit Counseling Agencies serving your County are listed at the end of this Notice. If you have any questions, you may call the Pennsylvania Housing Finance Agency toll free at 1-800-342-2397. (Persons with impaired hearing can call (717) 780-1869.)

This Notice contains important legal information. If you have any questions, representatives at the Consumer Credit Counseling Agency may be able to help explain it. You may also want to contact any attorney in your area. The local bar association may be able to help you find a lawyer.

La notificacion en adjunto es de suma importancia, pues afecta su derecho a continuar viviendo en su casa. Si no comprende el contenido de esta notification obtenga una traduccion immediatamente llamanda esta agencia (Pennsylvania Housing Finance Agency) sin cargos al numero mencionada arriba. Puedes ser elegible para un prestamo por el programa llamado "Homeowner's Emergency Mortgage Assistance Program" el cual puede salvar su casa de la perdida del derecho a redimir su hipoteca.

Prepared by: GOLDBECK McCAFFERTY & McKEEVER
Suite 5000 - Mellon Independence Center.
701 Market Street
Philadelphia, PA 19106
Fax (215) 627-7734

Date: April 3, 2007

TO: SCOTT THOMAS SMITH

Homeowners Name: SCOTT THOMAS SMITH and DIANE DEE STEPHENS

Property Address: 935 Main Street, Woodland, PA 16881

Loan Account No.: 0690936836

Original Lender: HOME FUNDS DIRECT

Current Lender/Servicer: HOMEQ SERVICING CORP.

**HOMEOWNERS'
EMERGENCY MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

**YOU MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR FINANCIAL
ASSISTANCE WHICH CAN SAVE YOUR HOME FROM
FORECLOSURE AND HELP YOU MAKE FUTURE
MORTGAGE PAYMENTS**

**IF YOU COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE HOMEOWNER'S
EMERGENCY MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE ACT OF 1983 (THE "ACT"), YOU MAY BE
ELIGIBLE FOR EMERGENCY MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE:**

*** IF YOUR DEFAULT HAS BEEN CAUSED BY CIRCUMSTANCES BEYOND YOUR
CONTROL,**

*** IF YOU HAVE A REASONABLE PROSPECT OF BEING ABLE TO PAY YOUR
MORTGAGE PAYMENTS, AND**

*** IF YOU MEET OTHER ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS ESTABLISHED BY THE
PENNSYLVANIA HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY.**

TEMPORARY STAY OF FORECLOSURE - Under the Act, you are entitled to a temporary stay of foreclosure on your mortgage for thirty (30) days from the date of this Notice. During that time you must arrange and attend a "face-to-face" meeting with one of the designated consumer credit counseling agencies listed at the end of this Notice.

**THIS MEETING MUST OCCUR WITHIN THE NEXT (30) DAYS. IF YOU DO NOT
APPLY FOR EMERGENCY MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE, YOU MUST BRING YOUR
MORTGAGE UP TO DATE. THE PART OF THIS NOTICE CALLED "HOW TO CURE
YOUR MORTGAGE DEFAULT", EXPLAINS HOW TO BRING YOUR MORTGAGE UP TO
DATE.**

CONSUMER CREDIT COUNSELING AGENCIES - If you meet with one of the consumer credit counseling agencies listed at the end of this notice, the lender may NOT take action against you for thirty (30) days after the date of this meeting. The names, addresses and telephone numbers of designated consumer credit counseling agencies for the county in which the property is located are set

forth at the end of this Notice. It is only necessary to schedule one face-to-face meeting. Advise your lender immediately of your intentions.

APPLICATION FOR MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE - Your mortgage is in default for the reasons set forth later in this Notice (see following pages for specific information about the nature of your default.) If you have tried and are unable to resolve this problem with the lender, you have the right to apply for financial assistance from the Homeowner's Emergency Mortgage Assistance Program. To do so, you must fill out, sign and file a completed Homeowner's Emergency Assistance Program Application with one of the designated consumer credit counseling agencies listed at the end of this Notice. Only consumer credit counseling agencies have applications for the program and they will assist you in submitting a complete application to the Pennsylvania Housing Finance Agency. Your application **MUST** be filed or postmarked within thirty (30) days of your fact-to-face meeting.

YOU MUST FILE YOUR APPLICATION PROMPTLY. IF YOU FAIL TO DO SO OR IF YOU DO NOT FOLLOW THE OTHER TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN THIS LETTER, FORECLOSURE MAY PROCEED AGAINST YOUR HOME IMMEDIATELY AND YOUR APPLICATION FOR MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE WILL BE DENIED.

AGENCY ACTION - Available funds for emergency mortgage assistance are very limited. They will be disbursed by the Agency under the eligibility criteria established by the Act. The Pennsylvania Housing Finance Agency has sixty (60) days to make a decision after it receives your application. During that time, no foreclosure proceedings will be pursued against you if you have met the time requirements set forth above. You will be notified directly by the Pennsylvania Housing Finance Agency of its decision on your application.

NOTE: IF YOU ARE CURRENTLY PROTECTED BY THE FILING OF A PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY, THE FOLLOWING PART OF THIS NOTICE IS FOR INFORMATION PURPOSES ONLY AND SHOULD NOT BE CONSIDERED AS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT THE DEBT.

(If you have filed bankruptcy you can still apply for Emergency Mortgage Assistance.)

HOW TO CURE YOUR MORTGAGE DEFAULT (Bring it up to date).

NATURE OF THE DEFAULT - The MORTGAGE debt held by the above lender on your property located at: **935 Main Street, Woodland, PA 16881** IS SERIOUSLY IN DEFAULT because:

A. YOU HAVE NOT MADE MONTHLY MORTGAGE PAYMENTS for the following months and the following amounts are now past due:

- (a) Monthly payment from 11/01/2006 thru 4/3/2007
(6 mos. at \$535.98/month) \$3,215.88
- (b) Late charges from 11/01/2006 thru 4/3/2007
(6 mos. at \$32.16/month) \$192.95
- (c) Other charges; Escrow, Inspec., NSF Checks
- (d) Other provisions of the mortgage obligation, if any
- (e) TOTAL AMOUNT REQUIRED AS OF THIS DATE: \$3,408.83

HOW TO CURE THE DEFAULT - You may cure the default within **THIRTY (30) DAYS** of the date of this notice **BY PAYING THE TOTAL AMOUNT PAST DUE TO THE LENDER WHICH IS \$ 3,408.83**, PLUS ANY MORTGAGE PAYMENTS AND LATE CHARGES WHICH BECOME DUE DURING THE THIRTY (30) DAY PERIOD. Payments must be made either by cashier's check, certified check or money order made payable and sent to:

WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK
Attention: Collection Department
9451 Corbin Avenue
Northridge, CA 91324

IF YOU DO NOT CURE THE DEFAULT - If you do not cure the default within THIRTY (30) DAYS of the date of this Notice, the lender intends to exercise its rights to accelerate the mortgage debt. This means that the entire outstanding balance of this debt will be considered due immediately and you may lose the chance to pay the mortgage in monthly installments. If full payment of the total amount past due is not made within THIRTY (30) DAYS, the lender also intends to instruct its attorneys to start legal action to foreclose upon your mortgaged property.

IF THE MORTGAGE IS FORECLOSED UPON - The mortgaged property will be sold by the Sheriff to pay off the mortgage debt. If the lender refers your case to its attorneys, but you cure the delinquency before the lender brings legal proceedings against you, you will still be required to pay the reasonable attorney's fees that were actually incurred, up to \$50.00. However, if legal proceedings are started against you, you will have to pay all reasonable attorney's fees actually incurred by the lender even if they exceed \$50.00. Any attorney's fees will be added to the amount you owe the lender, which may also include other reasonable costs. If you cure the default within the THIRTY (30) DAY period, you will not be required to pay attorney's fees.

OTHER LENDER REMEDIES - The lender may also sue you personally for the unpaid principal balance and all other sums due under the mortgage.

RIGHT TO CURE THE DEFAULT PRIOR TO SHERIFF'S SALE - If you have not cured the default within the THIRTY (30) DAY period and foreclosure proceedings have begun, you still have the right to cure the default and prevent the sale at any time up to one hour before the Sheriff's Sale. You may do so by paying the total amount then past due, plus any late or other charges then due, reasonable attorney's fees and costs connected with the foreclosure sale and any other costs connected with the Sheriff's Sale as specified in writing by the lender and by performing any other requirements

under the mortgage. Curing your default in the manner set forth in this notice will restore your mortgage to the same position as if you had never defaulted.

EARLIEST POSSIBLE SHERIFF'S SALE DATE - It is estimated that the earliest date that such a Sheriff's Sale of the mortgaged property could be held would be approximately four (4) to six (6) months from the date of this Notice. A notice of the actual date of the Sheriff's Sale will be sent to you before the sale. Of course, the amount needed to cure the default will increase the longer you wait. You may find out at any time exactly what the required payment or action will be by contacting the lender.

HOW TO CONTACT THE LENDER:

Name of Lender: WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK

Address: 9451 Corbin Avenue
Northridge, CA 91324

Phone Number: 888-852-1745

Fax Number: 818-775-6260

Contact: Collection Department

EFFECT OF SHERIFF'S SALE - You should realize that a Sheriff's Sale will end your ownership of the mortgaged property and your right to occupy it. If you continue to live in the property after the Sheriff's Sale, a lawsuit to remove you and your furnishings and other belongings could be started by the lender at any time.

ASSUMPTION OF MORTGAGE - You may sell or transfer your home to a buyer or transferee who will assume the mortgage debt, provided that all the outstanding payments, charges and attorney's fees and costs are paid prior to or at the sale and that the other requirements of the mortgage are satisfied.

YOU MAY ALSO HAVE THE RIGHT:

* TO SELL THE PROPERTY TO OBTAIN MONEY TO PAY OFF THE MORTGAGE DEBT OR TO BORROW MONEY FROM ANOTHER LENDING INSTITUTION TO PAY OFF THIS DEBT.

* TO HAVE THIS DEFAULT CURED BY ANY THIRD PARTY ACTING ON YOUR BEHALF.

* TO HAVE THE MORTGAGE RESTORED TO THE SAME POSITION AS IF NO DEFAULT HAD OCCURRED, IF YOU CURE THE DEFAULT. (HOWEVER, YOU DO NOT HAVE THIS RIGHT TO CURE YOUR DEFAULT MORE THAN THREE TIMES IN ANY CALENDAR YEAR.)

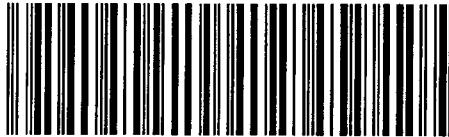
* TO ASSERT THE NONEXISTENCE OF A DEFAULT IN ANY FORECLOSURE PROCEEDING OR ANY OTHER LAWSUIT INSTITUTED UNDER THE MORTGAGE DOCUMENTS.

* TO ASSERT ANY OTHER DEFENSE YOU BELIEVE YOU MAY HAVE TO SUCH ACTION BY THE LENDER.

* TO SEEK PROTECTION UNDER THE FEDERAL BANKRUPTCY LAW.

Contact: Collection Department
Phone Number: 888-852-1745

Washington Mutual
PO Box 2441
Mailstop N010207
Chatsworth, CA 91313-2441



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January 16, 2007

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DIANE STEPHENS
PO BOX 172
WOODLAND PA 16881

WE ARE A DEBT COLLECTOR. THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT, AND
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NOTICE OF COLLECTION ACTIVITY

RE: ACCOUNT # 0690936836

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HOMEOWNER'S NAME(S): Diane Stephens
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 935 Main St.
Woodland PA 16881
LOAN ACCT. NUMBER: 0690936836
ORIGINAL LENDER: Jax
CURRENT LENDER/SERVICER: Washington Mutual Bank

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935 Main St.
Woodland PA 16881

IS SERIOUSLY IN DEFAULT BECAUSE:

Non-payment

A. YOU HAVE NOT MADE MONTHLY MORTGAGE PAYMENTS for the following months and the following amounts are now past due:

Monthly Installments:	11/01/2006	\$535.98
	12/01/2006	\$535.98
	01/01/2007	\$535.98

Other charges (explain/itemize):

Uncollected Late Charges	\$0.00
Uncollected Fees:	\$8.90
Corporate advances	\$0.00
Less Credits	\$0.00
TOTAL AMOUNT PAST DUE:	\$1616.84

B. YOU HAVE FAILED TO TAKE THE FOLLOWING ACTION (Not applicable):

HOW TO CURE THE DEFAULT - You may cure the default within THIRTY (30) DAYS of the date of this notice **BY PAYING THE TOTAL AMOUNT PAST DUE TO THE LENDER**, WHICH IS \$1616.84, PLUS ANY MORTGAGE PAYMENTS AND LATE CHARGES WHICH BECOME DUE DURING THE THIRTY (30) DAY PERIOD. Payments must be made either by cash, cashier's check, certified check, or money order made payable and sent to:

Washington Mutual Bank
9451 Corbin Avenue
Northridge, CA 91324

You can cure any other default by taking the following action within THIRTY (30) DAYS of the date of this letter: (Not applicable):

IF YOU DO NOT CURE THE DEFAULT - If you do not cure the default within THIRTY (30) DAYS of the date of this Notice, the lender intends to exercise its rights to accelerate the mortgage debt. This means that the entire outstanding balance of this debt will be considered due immediately, and you may lose the chance to pay the mortgage in monthly installments. If full payment of the total amount past due is not made within THIRTY (30) DAYS, the lender also intends to instruct its attorneys to start legal action to foreclose upon your mortgaged property.

***IF THE MORTGAGE IS FORECLOSED UPON** The mortgaged property will be sold by the Sheriff to pay off the mortgage debt. If the lender refers your case to its attorneys, but you cure the delinquency before the lender begins legal proceedings against you, you will still be required to pay the reasonable attorney's fees that were actually incurred, up to \$50.00. However, if legal proceedings are started against you, you will have to pay all reasonable attorney's fees actually incurred by the lender even if they exceed \$50.00. Any attorney's fees will be added to the amount you owe the lender, which may also include other reasonable costs. If you cure the default within the THIRTY (30) DAY period, you will not be required to pay attorney's fees.

OTHER LENDER REMEDIES - The lender may also sue you personally for the unpaid principal balance and all other sums due under the mortgage.

RIGHT TO CURE THE DEFAULT PRIOR TO SHERIFF'S SALE - If you have not cured the default within the THIRTY (30) DAY period and foreclosure proceedings have begun, you may still have the right to cure the default and prevent the sale at any time up to one hour before the Sheriff's Sale. You may do so by paying the total amount then past due, plus any late or other charges then due, reasonable attorney's fees and costs connected with the foreclosure sale and any other costs connected with the Sheriff's Sale as specified in writing by the lender and by performing any other requirements under the mortgage. Curing your default in the manner set forth in this notice will restore your mortgage to the same position as if you had never defaulted.

EARLIEST POSSIBLE SHERIFF'S SALE DATE - It is estimated that the earliest date that such a Sheriff's Sale of the mortgaged property could be held would be approximately 9 months from the date of this Notice. A notice of the actual date of the Sheriff's Sale will be sent to you before the sale. Of course, the amount needed to cure the default will increase the longer you wait. You may find out at any time exactly what the required payment or action will be by contacting the lender.

HOW TO CONTACT THE LENDER:

Name of Lender:	Washington Mutual Bank
Address:	9451 Corbin Avenue Northridge, CA 91324
Phone Number:	1-888-852-1745
Fax Number:	1-818-775-6260
Contact Person:	Collection Department
Email Address:	www.wamuhomeloans.com

EFFECTS OF SHERIFF'S SALE: - You should realize that a Sheriff's Sale will end your ownership of the mortgaged property and your right to occupy it. If you continue to live in the property after the Sheriff's Sale, a lawsuit to remove you and your furnishings and other belongings could be started by the lender at any time.

ASSUMPTION OF MORTGAGE - You may or X may not sell or transfer your home to a buyer or transferee who will assume the mortgage debt, provided that all the outstanding payments, charges, and attorney's fees and costs are paid prior to or at the sale, and that the other requirements of the mortgage are satisfied.

YOU MAY ALSO HAVE THE RIGHT:

- TO SELL THE PROPERTY TO OBTAIN MONEY TO PAY OFF THE MORTGAGE DEBT OR TO BORROW MONEY FROM ANOTHER LENDING INSTITUTION TO PAY OFF THIS DEBT.
- TO HAVE THE DEFAULT CURED BY ANY THIRD PARTY ACTING ON YOUR BEHALF.
- TO HAVE THE MORTGAGE RESTORED TO THE SAME POSITION AS IF NO DEFAULT HAD OCCURRED, IF YOU CURE THE DEFAULT. (HOWEVER, YOU DO NOT HAVE THIS RIGHT TO CURE YOUR DEFAULT MORE THAN THREE TIMES IN ANY CALENDAR YEAR.)
- TO ASSERT THE NONEXISTENCE OF A DEFAULT IN ANY FORECLOSURE PROCEEDING OR ANY OTHER LAWSUIT INSTITUTED UNDER THE MORTGAGE DOCUMENTS.
- TO ASSERT ANY OTHER DEFENSE YOU BELIEVE YOU MAY HAVE TO SUCH ACTION BY THE LENDER.
- TO SEEK PROTECTION UNDER THE FEDERAL BANKRUPTCY LAW.

CONSUMER CREDIT COUNSELING AGENCIES SERVING YOUR COUNTY ARE ATTACHED

We may report information about your account to credit bureaus. Late payments, missed payments or other defaults on your account may be reflected in your credit report.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CLEARFIELD COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

DOCKET # 103038
NO: 07-1200-CD
SERVICE # 1 OF 2
COMPLAINT IN MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

PLAINTIFF: WM SPECIALTY MORTGAGE LLC

vs.

DEFENDANT: SCOTT THOMAS SMITH and DIANE DEE STEPHENS

SHERIFF RETURN

NOW, August 03, 2007 AT 12:02 PM SERVED THE WITHIN COMPLAINT IN MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE ON SCOTT THOMAS SMITH DEFENDANT AT 935 MAIN ST., WOODLAND, CLEARFIELD COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, BY HANDING TO DIANE STEPHENS, ADULT AT RESIDENCE A TRUE AND ATTESTED COPY OF THE ORIGINAL COMPLAINT IN MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE AND MADE KNOWN THE CONTENTS THEREOF.

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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CLEARFIELD COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

DOCKET # 103038
NO: 07-1200-CD
SERVICE # 2 OF 2
COMPLAINT IN MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

PLAINTIFF: WM SPECIALTY MORTGAGE LLC

vs.

DEFENDANT: SCOTT THOMAS SMITH and DIANE DEE STEPHENS

SHERIFF RETURN

NOW, August 03, 2007 AT 12:03 PM SERVED THE WITHIN COMPLAINT IN MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE ON DIANE DEE STEPHENS DEFENDANT AT 935 MAIN ST., WOODLAND, CLEARFIELD COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, BY HANDING TO DIANE DEE STEPHENS, DEFENDANT A TRUE AND ATTESTED COPY OF THE ORIGINAL COMPLAINT IN MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE AND MADE KNOWN THE CONTENTS THEREOF.

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DOCKET # 103038
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SHERIFF RETURN

RETURN COSTS

Description	Paid By	CHECK #	AMOUNT
SURCHARGE	GOLDBECK	303669	20.00
SHERIFF HAWKINS	GOLDBECK	303669	28.85

Sworn to Before Me This

____ Day of _____ 2007

So Answers,



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Sheriff

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WM SPECIALTY MORTGAGE LLC
9451 Corbin Avenue
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Plaintiff

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SCOTT THOMAS SMITH
DIANE DEE STEPHENS
935 Main Street
Woodland, PA 16881

Defendants

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
OF CLEARFIELD COUNTY

No. 2007 1200-CD

PRAECIPE TO DISCONTINUE AND END

TO THE PROTHONOTARY:

Kindly mark the above case Discontinued and Ended upon payment of your costs only.


Michael T. McKeever, Esquire
Attorney for Plaintiff

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