

**WATER DAMAGE, TOXIC MOLD & ENVIRONMENTAL DISCLOSURE, RELEASE  
AND INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT**

The undersigned parties to a purchase contract dated \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, for the purchase of the property and the improvements commonly known as \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Property") between \_\_\_\_\_ ("Buyer") and Countrywide Home Loans, Inc. ("Seller"), acknowledge and agree as follows:

Seller hereby advises Buyer that the Property (including, but not limited to, the basement) is or may be affected by water or moisture damage, toxic mold, and/or other environmental hazards or conditions. Seller further advises Buyer that as a consequence of possible water damage and/or excessive moisture, the Property may be or has been irrevocably contaminated with mildew, mold, and/or other microscopic organisms. Buyer is being advised that exposure to certain species of mold may pose serious health risks, and that individuals with immune system deficiencies, infants, children, the elderly, individuals with allergies or respiratory problems, and pets are particularly susceptible to experiencing adverse health effects from mold exposure.

Buyer acknowledges that Seller has advised Buyer to make his/her own evaluation of the Property and to have the Property thoroughly inspected. Buyer has been further advised by Seller that all areas contaminated with mold, and/or other environmental hazards or conditions, should be properly and thoroughly remediated. Additionally, Buyer has been advised by Sellers that habitation of the Property without complete remediation may subject the inhabitants to potentially serious health risks and/or bodily injury. Buyer acknowledges that it is the sole responsibility of Buyer to conduct any remediation on the Property.

Buyer also acknowledges that Buyer is buying the Property AS-IS. Buyer represents and warrants to Seller that Buyer has made (or will make before closing on the purchase of the Property) his/her own inspection and evaluation of the Property to Buyer's complete satisfaction, and Buyer accepts the Property AS-IS at the time of closing. Buyer is electing to purchase the Property from Seller in an AS-IS condition with full knowledge of the potential condition of the Property, the potentially serious health risks, and the potential liability that Buyer could incur as the owner of the Property for claims, losses, and damages arising out of any toxic mold contamination, and/or other environmental hazards or conditions on the Property. Buyer agrees that the purchase price of the Property reflects the agreed upon value of the Property AS-IS taking into account the aforementioned disclosures.

Buyer understands and acknowledges that the Property was acquired by Seller through foreclosure, deed-in-lieu of foreclosure, or similar process, that Seller has never occupied the Property, and that Seller has little or no direct knowledge regarding the condition of the Property. Buyer further acknowledges that Seller has not made and does not make any express or implied representations or warranties of any kind with respect to the environmental condition of the Property or whether the Property is in compliance with applicable local, state, or federal environmental or other laws, statutes, regulations, rules, ordinances, codes, or standards ("Laws"). Buyer hereby agrees not to pursue any claims, losses, or damages, against Seller, or

Seller's parent company, subsidiaries, affiliates, directors, officers, employees, partners, shareholders, representatives, agents, brokers, predecessors, successors, or assigns, arising out of or relating in any way to any violations of Laws, or for costs, fees, or expenses incurred in conducting investigations relating to Laws or the Property. In addition, to the fullest extent permitted by law, Buyer, for himself/herself, and for all Buyer's invitees, agents, heirs, executors, devisees, and assigns hereby forever waives and fully releases Seller, and Seller's parent company, subsidiaries, affiliates, directors, officers, employees, partners, shareholders, representatives, agents, brokers, predecessors, successors, and assigns (the "Released Parties") from and against any and all claims, causes of action, whether administrative or judicial, losses, costs (including any and all reasonable attorneys' fees, court costs, and reasonable costs of investigation, litigation, and settlement), expenses, sanctions, curtailments, interest, liabilities, penalties, fines, demands, liens, judgments, compensation, fees, loss of profits, injuries, death, and/or damages, of any kind whatsoever, whether known or unknown, fixed or contingent, joint or several, criminal or civil, or in law or in equity arising from, in connection with, or in any way relating to any known or unknown conditions of the Property, including but not limited to, the existence of toxic mold, and/or any other environmental hazards or conditions on the Property ("Claims").

Buyer also agrees to fully indemnify, protect, defend, and hold the Released Parties harmless from and against any and all Claims.

BUYER:

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Dated: \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

SELLER:

Countrywide Home Loans, Inc.

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_