FENNEMORE CRAIG. P.C. 1 Cathy L. Reece (005932) Keith L. Hendricks (012750) 2 3003 N. Central Ave., Suite 2600 3 Phoenix, Arizona 85012 Telephone: (602) 916-5343 4 Facsimile: (602) 916-5543 Email: creece@fclaw.com 5 Attorneys for ML Manager LLC 6 IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT 7 FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA 8 In re Chapter 11 9 MORTGAGES LTD., Case No. 2:08-bk-07465-RJH 10 Debtor. MOTION TO SELL REAL PROPERTY FREE 11 AND CLEAR OF LIENS, CLAIMS, **ENCUMBRANCES, AND INTERESTS** 12 Real Property located in Maricopa County, AZ 13 at Hohokam Freeway and Belleview Street, Phoenix, Arizona 14 **Hearing Date: TBD** 15 **Hearing Time: TBD**

ML Manager LLC ("ML Manager"), requests that the Court enter an order authorizing ML Manager as the manager for CITLO Loan LLC and the agent for certain Pass-Through Investors, to sell the approximate 6 acres of real property(including the 42 apartment units) located in Maricopa County, Arizona, at Hohokam Freeway and Belleview Street, Phoenix, Arizona for the price and on the terms set forth in the proposed Agreement of Sale and Purchase and Escrow Instructions ("Sale Agreement") which is attached as Exhibit A or upon better terms as reasonably determined by ML Manager. ML Manager requests a hearing be held on May 27, 2010 at the time and place set for another sale hearing and requests that the Court accelerate the hearing and shorten the notice period accordingly. The Sale Agreement has a strict time period for satisfaction of the contingencies and based on the limited number of days the Court is available during that

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time frame ML Manager will need to have the hearing accelerated to May 27 and notice shortened or it will lose the sale.

Borrower City Lofts, LLC defaulted on its loan with Mortgages Ltd. The unpaid principal balance alone is around \$11.88 million. Interest and fees also are due. ML Manager scheduled a deed of trust sale and foreclosed on the real property. The guarantors are Michael and Kay Peloquin and suit on the guarantors has been commenced. Pursuant to the Official Investors' Committee's First Amended Plan confirmed by the Court, CITLO Loan, LLC ("CITLO Loan LLC") was formed on the effective date and the fractional interests in the note and deed of trust which were held by the MP Funds and Mortgages Ltd. were transferred into CITLO Loan LLC. Subsequently some of the pass-through investors transferred their interests into CITLO Loan LLC. At the current time, 4 Pass-Through Investors had not transferred their fractional interests ("4 Pass-Through Investors"). As a result, 86.798% of the interest in the real property is owned by CITLO Loan LLC and 13.202% is owned by the 4 Pass-Through Investors who did not transfer into CITLO Loan LLC.

ML Manager retained the services of Hendricks and Partners, a leading apartment real estate brokerage firm, to widely market the property for sale. After completing substantial marketing efforts and receiving several offers, the ML Manager Board determined that Vijay Sethi submitted the best offer. ML Manager entered into negotiations over a Sale Agreement with Vijay Sethi ("Purchaser") for the purchase of approximately 6 acres for \$1,700,000.00. Purchaser will deposit \$50,000 earnest money and open escrow at Thomas Title & Escrow. The sale will be free and clear of all liens, claims, encumbrances and interests. Because the property has already been fully marketed, this is not proposed to be an auction and no higher and better bids are being solicited. It is, however, possible that the exit financier could elect to exercise its right to compete and make a better offer. The contingencies include the waiver of the right to

compete by the exit financier (which waiver or exercise is in process), approval by the investors in CITLO Loan LLC and the applicable MP Funds (which is in process), and Bankruptcy Court approval. Purchaser will commence its 30-day due diligence once the Seller's contingencies are satisfied, including approval by the Bankruptcy Court, and Purchaser will close 15 days thereafter. The parties anticipate that such closing will occur in July 2010. The purchase price is to be paid in cash at closing. This is an arms-length, negotiated sale between unrelated parties.

This property consists of approximately 6 acres and contains of 42 apartment units, known as the Belleview Estates, and approximately 2.6 acres of vacant land located adjacent to the apartment units. The sale will include all the land, buildings, other improvements, personal property, and leases and sublease related to the property, among other things.

Even though the debt will not be paid in full, ML Manager believes that this price reflects the current market value of the property and that it is unlikely in the foreseeable future to get a higher amount for the property. The property produces a small amount of cash from its operations, however, the property is in need of several capital improvement projects and the cash flow from the property is substantially insufficient to pay for the cost of these projects. ML Manager believes that this sale is in the best interest of the investors in the loan and is a valid exercise of its business judgment.

Due to the pending actions pending in the Bankruptcy Court and District Court by certain investors, ML Manager believes that it is prudent and necessary to seek Bankruptcy Court approval of the sale. An order approving the sale and authorizing the sale by ML Manager of 100% of the interest in the real property will insure a smooth closing and will aid in the implementation of the Plan.

Under the Operating Agreement of CITLO Loan LLC, since this event is a Major Decision, ML Manager must seek approval of the sale from the investors in the CITLO

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Loan LLC entity and the MP Funds investors. Approval must be obtained by a majority of the investors' dollars voting. The voting process is the works and by the time the parties get to a sale hearing the results will be known to ML Manager. If approved ML Manager asserts it has the authority and ability to go forward with the sale of CITLO Loan LLC's interests.

Under Section 3(b) of the Agency Agreement, ML Manager as the agent for the 4 Pass-Through Investors has the authority and ability to engage a broker, enter into a sale agreement and to sell the foreclosed real estate on behalf of the principals. ML Manager asserts that the 4 Pass-Through Investors are subject to the Agency Agreement. Three of the Pass-Through Investors are part of the Rev Op Group, however, it is not clear if they will object to this Motion and sale. They may not have any objection to this sale once they have a chance to study the Sale Agreement terms. Should ML Manager have to prove the authority it has under the Subscription Agreements and Agency Agreements as to any objecting Pass-Through Investors in this loan then ML Manager will do so at the sale hearing. Normally ML Manager as the agent would execute the documents on behalf of the Pass-Through Investors since it holds the irrevocable power of attorney coupled with an interest to do so. Due to certain allegations made by other Pass-Through Investors about the Agency Agreement, the title company may request that the 4 Pass-Through Investors be required to execute documents effectuating the Court's order and the sale. In that event then ML Manager will request that the sale order include such direction to the 4 Pass-Through Investors or that the sale order include other language required by the title company authorizing ML Manager to execute any and all such documents on behalf of the 4 Pass-Through Investors.

ML Manager asserts that the Court has retained jurisdiction in the Plan for such a matter as this, including sections 9.1(e), (g) and (h) of the Plan among others, and has the authority to approve the sale under Section 363 of the Bankruptcy Code and under Section

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105 of the Bankruptcy Code, among other sections, as an order in aid of implementation of the Plan.

ML Manager does not seek an order as a part of this Motion to disburse the sale proceeds or determine what amount should be paid by investors as their fair share of the expenses, including exit financing. This requested order will authorize the sale and allow ML Manager to close, with all interests to attach to the proceeds. ML Manager anticipates that any decisions with regard to the distribution of proceeds will be made at a later date if and when the sale closes and the money becomes available for distribution. As is customary ML Manager does propose to pay the closing costs and any commission as set forth in the Sale Agreement at the closing out of the gross sale proceeds.

WHEREFORE, ML Manager LLC requests that the Court enter an order authorizing and approving the sale as set forth above, and for such other and further relief as is just and proper under the circumstances.

DATED: May 14, 2010

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