## RELEASE AND SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

This Release and Settlement Agreement (the "Agreement") is effective on the date that all parties have executed the Agreement, and is entered into by and between the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, as Receiver for IndyMac Federal Bank, FSB ("FDIC") and Premier Towers, LP ("Premier") and Tarantino Properties, Inc. ("Tarantino") with respect to the claims made in the case captioned Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, as Receiver for IndyMac Federal Bank, FSB v. The Atterstrom Consulting Group, et al., in the 269th Judicial District Court of Harris County, Texas, Cause No. 2008-21777 (the "Litigation").

## <u>RECITALS</u>

WHEREAS, Premier sold the real property identified in the Exhibit to this Agreement

(the "Property") to on or about August 25, 2006, with Tarantino acting as
the marketing and sales agent for Premier (the "Subject Transaction");

WHEREAS, IndyMac Bank, F.S.B ("IndyMac") financed the Subject Transaction by funding mortgage loans secured by the Property;

WHEREAS, IndyMac asserted claims in the Litigation against Premier and Tarantino based on the Subject Transaction;

WHEREAS, FDIC is entitled to pursue the claims asserted by IndyMac in the Litigation;

WHEREAS, Premier and Tarantino expressly deny any liability relating to the asserted claims in the Litigation; and

WHEREAS, to avoid any further expense of litigation, the parties voluntarily enter into this Agreement.

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In consideration of the above and for such other good and valuable consideration, the sum and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged and based on the mutual promises and conditions contained herein, the parties agree as follows:

- Recitals. The above Recitals are incorporated herein by reference and made a
  part of this Agreement.
- 2. **Dismissal and Release**. FDIC and Premier/Tarantino, through counsel, shall execute a dismissal with prejudice and without any costs or attorney's fees to any party regarding all claims in the Litigation between Premier/Tarantino and FDIC.

For and in consideration of the total payment of \$20,000 (Twenty Thousand Dollars) by Premier/Tarantino immediately upon execution of this Agreement, and in consideration of the terms and conditions of this Agreement, FDIC does absolutely and unconditionally release Premier and Tarantino, their officers, directors, shareholders, members, insurers, employees, owners, agents, affiliates, successors, fiduciaries, and assigns, jointly and severally, from any and all claims, demands, actions or causes of action, known or unknown, now existing or hereafter acquired, and whether or not asserted in the Litigation, which FDIC had, has, claims to have, or may hereafter acquire against Premier and/or Tarantino, arising out of the facts and circumstances alleged in the Litigation.

3. Express Reservation from Releases by FDIC. Notwithstanding any other provision, by this Agreement, FDIC does not release, and expressly preserves fully and to the same extent as if the Agreement had not been executed, (a) any claims or causes of action that do not arise from or relate to the facts and circumstances alleged in the Litigation, or the defense of the same, or (b) any action taken by any other federal agency.

- Attorney's Fees and Costs. Each party shall bear its own attorney's fees and costs with respect to the Litigation.
- 5. Amendment. This Agreement may not be amended or modified at any time except by any instrument in writing executed by all of the parties.
- 6. Execution. This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one in the same instrument. The parties also agree that, without receiving further consideration, they will sign and deliver such documents and do anything else that is reasonably necessary in the future to make the provisions of this Agreement effective.
- 7. Integrated Agreement. This Agreement, including any exhibits hereto, sets forth the entire understanding between the parties concerning the subject matter of this Agreement and incorporates all prior negotiations and understandings. There are no covenants, promises, agreements, conditions or understandings, either oral or written, between them relating to the subject matter of this Agreement other than those set forth herein.
- 8. Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with Texas law (excluding any conflict of laws rule or principle that might refer the governance or construction of this Agreement to the law of another jurisdiction). Nothing in this Agreement shall require any unlawful action or inaction by any party hereto.
- 9. Severability. If any portion of this Agreement is found to be unenforceable, the parties desire that all other portions that can be separated from the unenforceable portion or appropriately limited in scope shall remain fully valid and enforceable.
- 10. Representation. No representation or warranty has been made by or on behalf of any party to this Agreement (or any officer, director, employee or agent thereof) to induce any

other party to enter into this Agreement or to abide by or consummate any transactions contemplated by any terms of this Agreement, except representations and warranties, if any, expressly set forth herein. In entering into this Agreement, the parties hereto represent that they have proceeded with the advice of an attorney of their own choice, that they have read the terms of this Agreement, that the terms of this Agreement have been completely read and explained to the parties by their attorney, and that those terms are fully understood and voluntarily accepted by the parties.

11. Authority. Each person signing this Agreement on behalf of any entity warrants or represents that he/she has the full and complete authority to enter into this Agreement on behalf of that entity.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties to this Agreement have executed this Agreement as of the date indicated by each party's signature.

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## EXHIBIT TO RELEASE AND SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

This Exhibit to the Release and Settlement Agreement (the "Agreement") entered into by and between the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, as Receiver for IndyMac Federal Bank, FSB and Premier Towers, LP and Tarantino Properties, Inc. with respect to the claims made in the case captioned Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, as Receiver for IndyMac Federal Bank, FSB v. The Atterstrom Consulting Group, et al., in the 269th Judicial District Court of Harris County, Texas, Cause No. 2008-21777 is specifically included as a part of the Agreement.

	The term "Property" as used in the Agreement means:
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