

20 SEPTEMBER 2013

THE PARAGON GROUP OF COMPANIES PLC
AS PGC

PARAGON MORTGAGES (2010) LIMITED
AS PML (2010)

AND

CITICORP TRUSTEE COMPANY LIMITED
AS THE TRUSTEE

ARTICLE 122A DEED OF COVENANT

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THIS DEED OF COVENANT is made on 20 September 2013

BY:

- (1) **THE PARAGON GROUP OF COMPANIES PLC** (registered number 2336032) whose registered office is at 51 Homer Road, Solihull, West Midlands B91 3QJ ("**PGC**");
- (2) **PARAGON MORTGAGES (2010) LIMITED** (registered number 6595834) whose registered office is at 51 Homer Road, Solihull, West Midlands B91 3QJ ("**PML 2010**");

IN FAVOUR OF:

- (3) **CITICORP TRUSTEE COMPANY LIMITED** (registered number 235914) whose registered office is at Citigroup Centre, Canada Square, Canary Wharf, London E14 5LB (in its capacity as the trustee, the "**Trustee**", which expression shall include such person and all other persons for the time being acting as the trustee or trustees under the Trust Deed); and
- (4) **PARAGON MORTGAGES (NO.18) PLC**, a company incorporated with limited liability in England and Wales with registered number 8494688 whose registered office is at 51 Homer Street, Solihull, West Midlands B91 3QJ (the "**Issuer**").

WHEREAS:

- (A) The Issuer on the date of this Deed will issue the Notes in order to fund the purchase of the Mortgages from Paragon Mortgages (2010) Limited (in its capacity as Seller).
- (B) PGC and PML are willing to give certain covenants in favour of the Issuer and the Trustee.

NOW THIS DEED OF COVENANT witnesses as follows:

1. INTERPRETATION

For the purposes of this Deed the expressions defined in the administration agreement dated on or about the date of this Deed (the "**Administration Agreement**") between the Issuer, Paragon Mortgages (2010) Limited (in its capacity as the Seller and Administrator) and the Trustee shall, unless otherwise defined herein, have the same meaning in this Deed.

- 1.1 The headings and contents pages in this Deed shall not affect its interpretation. References in this Deed to Clauses are, unless the context otherwise requires, references to clauses of this Deed.
- 1.2 Unless the context otherwise requires, words denoting the singular number only shall include the plural number also and vice versa, words denoting one gender only shall include the other genders and words denoting persons only shall include firms and corporations and vice versa.

1.3 References in this Deed to any person shall include references to his successors, transferees and assigns and any person deriving title under or through him. References in this Deed to any statute or statutory provision shall be deemed also to refer to any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof and to any statutory instruments, orders or regulations made thereunder or under any such re-enactment.

1.4 References in this Deed to any agreement or other document shall be deemed also to refer to such agreement or document as modified, novated, supplemented or replaced from time to time.

2. **COVENANT BY PGC**

PGC covenants to the Issuer and the Trustee (on behalf of itself and the Noteholders) that it will procure that PGC or a wholly owned subsidiary of PGC will, whilst any of the Notes remain outstanding, retain on an ongoing basis a material net economic interest of not less than 5 per cent. in the nominal value of the securitisation in accordance with the text of Article 122a of Directive 2006/48/EC (as amended or as superseded from time to time, including as superseded by Articles 404-410 of Regulation (EU) No. 575/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 21 June 2013 on prudential requirements for credit institutions and investment firms and amending Regulation (EU) No. 648/2012).

3. **COVENANT BY PML**

PML covenants to the Issuer and the Trustee (on behalf of itself and the Noteholders) that it will, whilst any of the Notes remain outstanding, comply with the obligations under paragraph 7 of Article 122a of Directive 2006/48/EC (as amended or as superseded from time to time, including as superseded by Articles 404-410 of Regulation (EU) No. 575/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 21 June 2013 on prudential requirements for credit institutions and investment firms and amending Regulation (EU) No. 648/2012) ("**CRD**") as if it were an originator credit institution (as defined in the CRD), subject always to any requirement of law, provided that PML shall solely determine what constitutes materially relevant data for the purposes of such paragraph 7 taking into account generally accepted market practice as to disclosure and reporting and the requirements of the Noteholders as a class.

4. **NOTIFICATION**

Each of PGC and PML agrees to notify the Issuer and the Trustee in writing of any breach of their respective covenants contained in this Deed as soon as reasonably practicable after it becomes aware of it.

5. **NOTICES**

The provisions of Clause 24 of the Administration Agreement shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to this Deed and the giving of notices pursuant hereto.

6. **THE TRUSTEE**

In the event that there is any change in the identity of the Trustee in accordance with the Trust Deed, the retiring Trustee, PGC and PML and the Issuer shall execute such

documents and take such actions as such new Trustee may reasonably require for the purpose of vesting in such Trustee the rights of the Trustee under this Deed and, if so determined by the new Trustee, releasing the retiring Trustee from further obligations hereunder.

7. EXCLUSION OF THIRD PARTY RIGHTS

The parties to this Deed do not intend that any term of this Deed should be enforced, by virtue of the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999, by any person who is not a party to this Deed.

8. GOVERNING LAW

8.1 This Deed and any non-contractual obligations arising out of or in connection with it are governed by, and shall be construed in accordance with, English law.

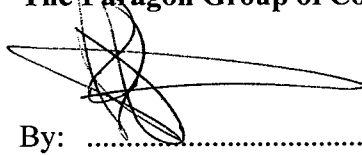
8.2 The courts of England are to have jurisdiction to settle any disputes arising out of or in connection with this Deed. This submission is irrevocable and for the exclusive benefit of the Issuer and the Trustee. It does not prevent proceedings being commenced by the Issuer and the Trustee in the courts of any other country or, subject to applicable law, in the courts of more than one country at the same time. PGC, MAAL and the Issuer irrevocably waive any objection, on the ground of *forum non conveniens* or on any other ground, to proceedings in the courts of England and irrevocably agree that a judgement in any proceedings brought in the courts of England will be conclusive and binding on each of them and may be enforced in any other court.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties to this Deed have caused this Deed to be executed as a deed the day and year first above mentioned.

Executed by:
as its deed as follows:
Signed for and on its behalf by one
of its duly authorised attorneys

Signature: Benhase.....

The Paragon Group of Companies PLC



By:

Name: S HARNEY.....

Witness Name: CATRIONA STENHOUSE Title: Attorney

Occupation: TRAINEE SOLICITOR

Address: 10 UPPER BANK ST

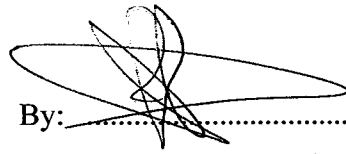
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Executed by:
as its deed as follows:
Signed for and on its behalf by one
of its directors

Signature: Benhase.....

Paragon Mortgages (2010) Limited



By:

Name: S HARNEY.....

Witness Name: CATRIONA STENHOUSE Title: Director

Occupation: TRAINEE SOLICITOR

Address: 10 UPPER BANK ST

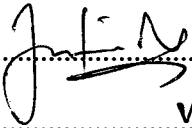
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Executed by:
as its deed as follows:
Signed for and on its behalf by one of its
duly authorised attorneys

Citicorp Trustee Company Limited

Signature: Catrina Stenhouse

By: 
Name: Justin Ng
Vice President

Witness Name: CATRIONA STENHOUSE Title: Attorney

Occupation: TRAINEE SOLICITOR

Address: 10 UPPER BANK ST

LONDON E14 5JJ

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EXECUTED as a **DEED** and delivered by)
PARAGON MORTGAGES (NO.18) PLC)
acting by two Directors being)

SFM Directors Limited; and

SFM Directors (No.2) Limited

