Figure 3.8: Seller's Short-Sale Listing Addendum

Seller Counseling

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1. Authorization to Disclose

Seller authorizes Broker to market the Property as a short sale or possible pre-foreclosure property in the MLS and other advertising media, to contact representatives and employees of the lien holder(s) to discuss the terms and status of Seller's loan(s) and facilitate a short sale, and to share such information with prospective buyers and their agents.

2. Disclaimer

Seller may not receive any net proceeds without lender approval at closing and may owe additional monies at closing and/or thereafter.

Seller further acknowledges that forgiveness of debt by lien holder(s) may result in taxable income to Seller. Because a short sale may result in special tax consequences, seller is advised to consult with a professional tax and/or financial advisor regarding the tax and other financial implications of entering into a short-sale transaction. Seller further acknowledges a short sale may negatively impact Seller's credit rating.

Seller acknowledges that Broker has advised Seller that alternatives to a short sale may be available, including, but not limited to, a lender workout, refinancing, filing bankruptcy, the payment of any shortage by seller in cash from any source, negotiating a deed in lieu of foreclosure, or allowing a foreclosure to proceed.

Involvement in a short sale may not preclude foreclosure proceedings. Absent a separate agreement, a lien holder is not bound to accept less than the amount owed to it by Seller. Seller acknowledges that Broker makes no guarantees regarding the ability to secure either a short sale or the outcome of any negotiations with a lien holder.

3. Information and Cooperation

Seller agrees to provide Broker and lien holder(s) any information necessary to approve the short sale. The following information must be provided to broker no later than

- Pay stubs, W2s

- Authorization letter(s)
- Bills/expense statements
- Tax returns
- Hardship letter
- 710 form

Seller agrees to remain diligent to the short-sale process and will keep Broker informed of all communications relevant to short sale, including, but not limited to, all correspondence from lender(s), taxing bodies, courts, etc.

4. Price Reductions

If no sale has transpired, the listing price of the property will be reduced to reflect the current market conditions on:

Date	Date	Date	Date	
Seller		Seller		
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