



**Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors Trust
Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates
Series 2006-HE3**

Distribution Date: 26-Dec-06

ABN AMRO Acct : 723786.1

Payment Date: 26-Dec-06	Content:	Pages	Contact Information:
Prior Payment: 27-Nov-06	Statement to Certificate Holders	2	Analyst: Kalan Jablonski 714.259.6240 kalan.jablonski@abnamro.com
Next Payment: 25-Jan-07	Statement to Certificate Holders (Factors)	3	Administrator: Kim Sturm 312.904.4373 kimberly.sturm@abnamro.com
Record Date: 30-Nov-06	Pool/Non-Pool Funds Cash Reconciliation	4	LaSalle Website: www.etrustee.net
Distribution Count: 6	Cash Reconciliation Summary	5	Outside Parties To The Transaction
Closing Date: 22-Jun-06	Pool Detail and Performance Indicators	6	Issuer: Merrill Lynch & Company- Asset Backed Sec. Group
First Pay. Date: 25-Jul-06	Bond Interest Reconciliation Part I	7	Depositor: Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors, Inc.
Rated Final Payment Date: 25-Jun-37	Bond Interest Reconciliation Part II	8	Underwriter: Merrill Lynch & Company- Asset Backed Sec. Group
Determination Date: 15-Dec-06	Bond Principal Reconciliation	9	Master Servicer: Wilshire Credit Corporation
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Class	CUSIP	Original Face Value (1)	Beginning Certificate Balance	Principal Payment	Principal Adjustment or Loss	Deferred Interest	Ending Certificate Balance	Interest Payment (2)	Interest Adjustment	Pass-Through Rate
A-1	590212AA4	212,657,000.00	164,024,683.77	12,021,519.69	0.00	0.00	152,003,164.08	709,543.44	0.00	5.3700000000%
A-2	590212AB2	88,758,000.00	88,758,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	88,758,000.00	386,812.30	0.00	5.4100000000%
A-3	590212AC0	93,192,000.00	93,192,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	93,192,000.00	410,640.19	0.00	5.4700000000%
A-4	590212AD8	33,212,000.00	33,212,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	33,212,000.00	149,020.40	0.00	5.5700000000%
M-1	590212AE6	20,990,000.00	20,990,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	20,990,000.00	94,857.31	0.00	5.6100000000%
M-2	590212AF3	19,333,000.00	19,333,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	19,333,000.00	87,524.79	0.00	5.6200000000%
M-3	590212AG1	11,047,000.00	11,047,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11,047,000.00	50,279.19	0.00	5.6500000000%
M-4	590212AH9	10,495,000.00	10,495,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10,495,000.00	48,105.00	0.00	5.6900000000%
M-5	590212AJ5	9,666,000.00	9,666,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,666,000.00	44,460.92	0.00	5.7100000000%
M-6	590212AK2	9,114,000.00	9,114,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,114,000.00	42,509.22	0.00	5.7900000000%
B-1	590212AL0	9,114,000.00	9,114,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,114,000.00	46,033.30	0.00	6.2700000000%
B-2	590212AM8	7,733,000.00	7,733,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	7,733,000.00	40,615.43	0.00	6.5200000000%
B-3	590212AN6	6,904,000.00	6,904,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	6,904,000.00	40,988.66	0.00	7.3700000000%
C	590212AP1	553,381,269.37 N	503,744,599.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	491,723,080.08	903,631.76	(305,726.33)	2.8808839132%
P	590212AQ9	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	250,069.78	250,069.78	N/A
R	590212AR7	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A
Total		532,215,100.00	483,582,683.77	12,021,519.69	0.00	0.00	471,561,164.08	3,305,091.69	(55,656.55)	
Total P&I Payment								15,326,611.38		

(1) N denotes notional balance not included in total (2) Accrued Interest plus/minus Interest Adjustment minus Deferred Interest equals Interest Payment



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Class	CUSIP	Original Face Value	Beginning Certificate Balance *	Principal Payment *	Principal Adjustment or Loss	Deferred Interest *	Ending Certificate Balance *	Interest Payment *	Interest Adjustment*	Next Rate **
A-1	590212AA4	212,657,000.00	771.311002083	56.530091603	0.000000000	0.000000000	714.780910480	3.336562822	0.000000000	5.40000000%
A-2	590212AB2	88,758,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	4.358055612	0.000000000	5.44000000%
A-3	590212AC0	93,192,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	4.406388853	0.000000000	5.50000000%
A-4	590212AD8	33,212,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	4.486944478	0.000000000	5.60000000%
M-1	590212AE6	20,990,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	4.519166746	0.000000000	5.64000000%
M-2	590212AF3	19,333,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	4.527222366	0.000000000	5.65000000%
M-3	590212AG1	11,047,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	4.551388612	0.000000000	5.68000000%
M-4	590212AH9	10,495,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	4.583611243	0.000000000	5.72000000%
M-5	590212AJ5	9,666,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	4.599722739	0.000000000	5.74000000%
M-6	590212AK2	9,114,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	4.664167215	0.000000000	5.82000000%
B-1	590212AL0	9,114,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	5.050833882	0.000000000	6.30000000%
B-2	590212AM8	7,733,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	5.252221647	0.000000000	6.55000000%
B-3	590212AN6	6,904,000.00	1000.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	1000.000000000	5.936943801	0.000000000	7.40000000%
C	590212AP1	553,381,269.37 N	910.302946002	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	888.579189968	1.632927983	(0.552469603)	N/A
P	590212AQ9	0.00	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	N/A
R	590212AR7	100.00	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.000000000	N/A

* Per \$1,000 of Original Face Value ** Estimated



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Cash Reconciliation Summary***

Pool Source of Funds		Non-Pool Source of Funds	
Interest Summary		Supplemental Interest Trust	
Interest Summary		Net Swap Payments received	0.00
Scheduled Interest	3,570,549.76	Net Swap Payments paid	0.00
Fees	209,845.52		
Remittance Interest	3,360,704.24	Swap Termination Payments received	0.00
Other Interest Proceeds/Shortfalls		Swap Termination Payments paid	0.00
Prepayment Penalties	250,069.78		
Other Interest Loss	0.00	Defaulted Swap Termination Payments	0.00
Other Interest Proceeds	0.00		
Non-advancing Interest	(536.50)		
Non-Supported Interest Shortfall	0.00		
Relief Act Shortfall	0.00		
Modification Shortfall	0.00		
Other Interest Proceeds/Shortfalls	249,533.28		
Interest Adjusted	3,610,237.52		
Fee Summary		Cap Contracts	
Total Servicing Fees	209,801.52	Class A Certificates	0.00
Total Trustee Fees	0.00	Subordinate Certificates	0.00
LPMI Fees	0.00		
Credit Manager's Fees	0.00		
Unpaid Serv Fees (Charged-off Loans)	0.00		
Misc. Fees / Trust Expense	44.00		
Insurance Premium	0.00		
Total Fees	209,845.52		
Advances (Principal & Interest)			
Prior Month's Outstanding Advances	5,491,974.86		
Current Advances	3,415,648.30		
Reimbursement of Prior Advances	2,886,800.00		
Outstanding Advances	6,020,826.48		
		P&I Due Certificate Holders	15,326,611.38

P&I Advances as of the end of the Due Period do not reflect the amount of advances remitted by the Servicer on the Servicer Remittance Date due to additional proceeds received between the end of the Due Period and the Servicer Remittance Date and netted from the P&I Advances stated as of the end of the Due Period.



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Cash Reconciliation Summary (By Rate Type)***

	Fixed	ARM	Total
Interest Summary			
Scheduled Interest	589,123.95	2,981,425.82	3,570,549.76
Fees	30,679.48	179,258.10	209,937.58
Remittance Interest	558,444.46	2,802,167.71	3,360,612.18
Other Interest Proceeds/Shortfalls			
Prepayment Penalties	11,673.08	238,396.70	250,069.78
Other Interest Loss	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other Interest Proceeds	0.00	0.00	0.00
Non-advancing Interest	(22.00)	(514.50)	(536.50)
Net PPIS/Relief Act Shortfall	0.00	0.00	0.00
Modification Shortfall	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other Interest Proceeds/Shortfalls	11,651.08	237,882.20	249,533.28
Interest Adjusted	570,095.54	3,040,049.91	3,610,145.46
Principal Summary			
Scheduled Principal Distribution	40,166.01	162,674.41	202,840.42
Curtailments	3,231.42	7,075.17	10,306.59
Prepayments in Full	1,005,455.17	10,514,714.06	11,520,169.23
Liquidation Proceeds	(16,942.38)	0.00	(16,942.38)
Repurchase Proceeds	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other Principal Proceeds	0.00	0.00	0.00
Less Mod Losses	0.00	0.00	0.00
Remittance Principal	1,031,910.22	10,684,463.64	11,716,373.86
Fee Summary			
Total Servicing Fees	30,671.48	179,222.10	209,893.58
Total Trustee Fees	0.00	0.00	0.00
LPMI Fees	0.00	0.00	0.00
Misc. Fees	8.00	36.00	44.00
Total Fees	30,679.48	179,258.10	209,937.58
Beginning Principal Balance	73,611,556.81	430,133,042.96	503,744,599.77
Ending Principal Balance	72,274,500.76	419,448,579.32	491,723,080.08



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Pool Detail and Performance Indicators Total (All Loans)**

Pool Detail				Performance Indicators				Misc/Additional Information			
Pool Level Information				Factors Impacting Principal Payment Rules				WA Rates/Life			
Historical	Amount	Count		Delinquency Levels	Num	Den	%		Fixed	Adj	Overall
Cut-off Pool Balance	552,381,269.37	2,956		3 mo. Rolling Average	39,057,872	503,809,834	7.79%	WAC - Remit Current	9.14%	7.82%	8.01%
Cum Scheduled Principal	1,255,379.40			6 mo. Rolling Average	24,513,209	519,310,359	4.84%	WAC - Remit Original	9.15%	7.85%	8.03%
Cum Unscheduled Principal	58,944,457.19			12 mo. Rolling Average	24,513,209	519,310,359	4.84%	WAC - Current	9.60%	8.32%	8.51%
Cum Liquidations	458,352.70			Loss Levels	Amount	Count		WAC - Original	9.65%	8.35%	8.53%
Cum Repurchases	0.00			3 mo. Cum Loss	484,756.79	8		WAL - Current	274.87	351.82	340.51
				6 mo. Cum loss	484,756.79	8		WAL - Original	279.94	356.78	345.74
				12 mo. Cum Loss	484,756.79	8					
Current	Amount	Count	%	Triggers				Current Index Rate			
Beginning Pool	503,744,599.77	2,747	91.20%					5.320000%			
Scheduled Principal	202,840.42		0.04%					Next Index Rate			
Unscheduled Principal	11,530,475.82	55	2.09%					5.350000%			
Liquidations	288,203.45	4	0.05%	> Delinquency Trigger Event ⁽²⁾			NO	Prepayment Charges			
Repurchases	0.00	0	0.00%	Delinquency Event Calc ⁽¹⁾	49,918,801.25	491,723,080	10.15%		Amount	Count	
Ending Pool	491,723,080.08	2,688	89.02%					Current	250,069.78	31	
				> Loss Trigger Event? ⁽³⁾			NO	Cumulative	1,078,686.19	135	
				Cumulative Loss		484,757	0.09%				
Ending Actual Balance	492,032,486.27			> Overall Trigger Event?			NO				
Average Loan Balance	182,932.69							Pool Composition			
Current Loss Detail	Amount			Step Down Date				Properties			
Liquidation	288,203.45			Distribution Count	6			Cut-off LTV	452,942,725.71	82.00%	
Realized Loss	305,145.83			Required Percentage ⁽⁴⁾	N/A			Cash Out/Refinance	323,305,414.80	58.53%	
Realized Loss Adjustment	0.00			Step Down % ⁽⁵⁾	54.90%			SFR	443,592,068.04	80.31%	
Net Liquidation	(16,942.38)			% of Required Percentage ⁽⁶⁾	35.50%			Owner Occupied	531,123,989.40	96.15%	
Credit Enhancement	Amount	%		> Step Down Date?			NO		Min	Max	WA
Original OC	20,166,169.37	3.65%		Extra Principal	0.00			FICO	500	805	623.87
Target OC	N/A	N/A		Cumulative Extra Principal	484,756.79						
Beginning OC	20,161,916.00			OC Release	N/A						
Ending OC	20,161,916.00										
Most Senior Certificates	N/A										

Legend: (1) 60 Days+, REO, BK, F/C % (3) Condn: Cum Loss > specified thresholds (5) Defined Benchmark
(2) (1) > (6) * (4), then TRUE (4) OC Amount / Ending Pool Bal (6) Defined Benchmark (Used in Delinq Event Calc)
Note: Delinquency and Loss Event Triggers may be flagged as "Yes" prior to the Step Down Date on account of the percentage thresholds being breached.



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-- Accrual --					----- Recovered -----					----- Outstanding -----				
Class	Method	Days	Opening Balance	Pass-Thru Rate	Accrual Certificate Interest	Total Interest Additions	Total Interest Deductions	Distributable Certificate Interest	Interest Payment Amount	Interest Carry- Forward Amount	Floating Rate Certificate Carry- Over	Interest Carry- Forward Amount	Floating Rate Certificate Carry- Over	Net Cap Rate in Effect Y/N
A-1	Act/360	29	164,024,683.77	5.370000000%	709,543.44	0.00	0.00	709,543.44	709,543.44	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
A-2	Act/360	29	88,758,000.00	5.410000000%	386,812.30	0.00	0.00	386,812.30	386,812.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
A-3	Act/360	29	93,192,000.00	5.470000000%	410,640.19	0.00	0.00	410,640.19	410,640.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
A-4	Act/360	29	33,212,000.00	5.570000000%	149,020.40	0.00	0.00	149,020.40	149,020.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
M-1	Act/360	29	20,990,000.00	5.610000000%	94,857.31	0.00	0.00	94,857.31	94,857.31	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
M-2	Act/360	29	19,333,000.00	5.620000000%	87,524.79	0.00	0.00	87,524.79	87,524.79	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
M-3	Act/360	29	11,047,000.00	5.650000000%	50,279.19	0.00	0.00	50,279.19	50,279.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
M-4	Act/360	29	10,495,000.00	5.690000000%	48,105.00	0.00	0.00	48,105.00	48,105.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
M-5	Act/360	29	9,666,000.00	5.710000000%	44,460.92	0.00	0.00	44,460.92	44,460.92	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
M-6	Act/360	29	9,114,000.00	5.790000000%	42,509.22	0.00	0.00	42,509.22	42,509.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
B-1	Act/360	29	9,114,000.00	6.270000000%	46,033.30	0.00	0.00	46,033.30	46,033.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
B-2	Act/360	29	7,733,000.00	6.520000000%	40,615.43	0.00	0.00	40,615.43	40,615.43	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
B-3	Act/360	29	6,904,000.00	7.370000000%	40,988.66	0.00	0.00	40,988.66	40,988.66	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	No
C	30/360	30	503,744,599.77	2.880883910%	1,209,358.09	0.00	0.00	1,390,942.83	903,631.76	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A
P			0.00	N/A	0.00	250,069.78	0.00	250,069.78	250,069.78	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A
R	Act/360	29	0.00	5.370000000%	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A
Total			483,582,683.77		3,360,748.24	250,069.78	0.00	3,792,402.76	3,305,091.69	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	



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----- Additions -----													----- Deductions -----		
Class	Record Date	Prior Interest Due Date	Current Interest Due Date	Supplemental Interest Trust	Payments From Cap Contracts	Prepayment Premiums	Interest Carry-Forward	Floating Rate Certificate Carry-Over	Other Interest Proceeds ⁽¹⁾	Non-Supported Interest Shortfall	Interest Carry-Forward ⁽²⁾	Floating Rate Certificate Carry-Over			
A-1	30-Nov-06	27-Nov-06	26-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
A-2	30-Nov-06	27-Nov-06	26-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
A-3	30-Nov-06	27-Nov-06	26-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
A-4	30-Nov-06	27-Nov-06	26-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
M-1	30-Nov-06	27-Nov-06	26-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
M-2	30-Nov-06	27-Nov-06	26-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
M-3	30-Nov-06	27-Nov-06	26-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
M-4	30-Nov-06	27-Nov-06	26-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
M-5	30-Nov-06	27-Nov-06	26-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
M-6	30-Nov-06	27-Nov-06	26-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
B-1	30-Nov-06	27-Nov-06	26-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
B-2	30-Nov-06	27-Nov-06	26-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
B-3	30-Nov-06	27-Nov-06	26-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
C	30-Nov-06	1-Nov-06	1-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
P	30-Nov-06	1-Nov-06	1-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	250,069.78	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
R	30-Nov-06	27-Nov-06	26-Dec-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
Total				0.00	0.00	250,069.78	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			

⁽¹⁾ Other Interest Proceeds are additional interest amounts specifically allocated to the bond(s) and used in determining the bonds Distributable Interest.

⁽²⁾ Interest Carry-Forward Shortfall is unpaid interest with interest thereon.

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----- Losses -----												- Credit Support -	
Class	Original Class Balance	Beginning Class Balance	Scheduled Principal Payment	Unscheduled Principal Payment	Extra Principal Payment	Prior Loss Reimburs.	Current Losses	Cumulative Losses	Interest on Losses	Ending Class Balance	Rated Final Maturity	Original	Current
A-1	212,657,000.00	164,024,683.77	202,840.42	11,513,533.44	305,145.83	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	152,003,164.08	25-Jun-37	22.55%	25.33%
A-2	88,758,000.00	88,758,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	88,758,000.00	25-Jun-37	22.55%	25.33%
A-3	93,192,000.00	93,192,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	93,192,000.00	25-Jun-37	22.55%	25.33%
A-4	33,212,000.00	33,212,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	33,212,000.00	25-Jun-37	22.55%	25.33%
M-1	20,990,000.00	20,990,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	20,990,000.00	25-Jun-37	18.75%	21.06%
M-2	19,333,000.00	19,333,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	19,333,000.00	25-Jun-37	15.25%	17.13%
M-3	11,047,000.00	11,047,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11,047,000.00	25-Jun-37	13.25%	14.88%
M-4	10,495,000.00	10,495,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10,495,000.00	25-Jun-37	11.35%	12.75%
M-5	9,666,000.00	9,666,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,666,000.00	25-Jun-37	9.60%	10.78%
M-6	9,114,000.00	9,114,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,114,000.00	25-Jun-37	7.95%	8.93%
B-1	9,114,000.00	9,114,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,114,000.00	25-Jun-37	6.30%	7.08%
B-2	7,733,000.00	7,733,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	7,733,000.00	25-Jun-37	4.90%	5.50%
B-3	6,904,000.00	6,904,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	6,904,000.00	25-Jun-37	3.65%	4.10%
C	553,381,269.37	503,744,599.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	491,723,080.08	25-Jun-37	N/A	N/A
P	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25-Jun-37	N/A	N/A
R	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25-Jun-37	22.55%	N/A
Total	532,215,100.00	483,582,683.77	202,840.42	11,513,533.44	305,145.83	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	471,561,164.08			



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Ratings Information***

----- Original Ratings -----						----- Ratings Change / Change Date ⁽¹⁾ -----			
Class	CUSIP	Fitch	Moody's	DBRS	S&P	Fitch	Moody's	DBRS	S&P
A-1	590212AA4	NR	Aaa	NR	AAA				
A-2	590212AB2	NR	Aaa	NR	AAA				
A-3	590212AC0	NR	Aaa	NR	AAA				
A-4	590212AD8	NR	Aaa	NR	AAA				
M-1	590212AE6	NR	Aa1	NR	AA+				
M-2	590212AF3	NR	Aa2	NR	AA				
M-3	590212AG1	NR	Aa3	NR	AA				
M-4	590212AH9	NR	A1	NR	AA				
M-5	590212AJ5	NR	A2	NR	A+				
M-6	590212AK2	NR	A3	NR	A				
B-1	590212AL0	NR	Baa1	NR	A-				
B-2	590212AM8	NR	Baa2	NR	BBB+				
B-3	590212AN6	NR	Baa3	NR	BBB				
C	590212AP1	NR	NR	NR	NR				
P	590212AQ9	NR	NR	NR	NR				
R	590212AR7	NR	NR	NR	AAA				

NR - Designates that the class was not rated by the rating agency.

⁽¹⁾ Changed ratings provided on this report are based on information provided by the applicable rating agency via electronic transmission. It shall be understood that this transmission will generally have been provided to LaSalle within 30 days of the payment date listed on this statement. Because ratings may have changed during the 30 day window, or may not be being provided by the rating agency in an electronic format and therefore not being updated on this report, LaSalle recommends that investors obtain current rating information directly from the rating agency.



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Distribution Date	Count	Current Balance	Delinq 1 Month Count	Delinq 1 Month Balance	Delinq 2 Months Count	Delinq 2 Months Balance	Delinq 3+ Months Count	Delinq 3+ Months Balance	Bankruptcy Count	Bankruptcy Balance	Foreclosure Count	Foreclosure Balance	REO Count	REO Balance
<i>Total (All Loans)</i>														
26-Dec-06	2,305	416,597,469	136	25,206,810	69	14,218,200	62	11,683,009	14	1,528,615	96	21,728,715	6	760,262
27-Nov-06	2,418	438,972,079	123	24,823,019	78	16,302,838	50	7,836,485	12	1,259,736	63	14,345,033	3	205,410
25-Oct-06	2,520	462,326,077	143	26,330,432	54	10,261,840	42	5,362,015	3	350,527	49	11,273,037	1	57,895
25-Sep-06	2,632	484,215,406	119	22,415,567	73	13,878,261	15	2,152,005	2	199,990	20	4,166,325	1	57,917
25-Aug-06	2,718	504,575,682	126	22,235,380	42	7,392,651	5	315,650	1	72,152	4	476,283	0	0
25-Jul-06	2,847	528,848,697	65	12,236,282	12	1,194,404	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

<i>Total (All Loans)</i>														
26-Dec-06	85.75%	84.72%	5.06%	5.13%	2.57%	2.89%	2.31%	2.38%	0.52%	0.31%	3.57%	4.42%	0.22%	0.15%
27-Nov-06	88.02%	87.14%	4.48%	4.93%	2.84%	3.24%	1.82%	1.56%	0.44%	0.25%	2.29%	2.85%	0.11%	0.04%
25-Oct-06	89.62%	89.60%	5.09%	5.10%	1.92%	1.99%	1.49%	1.04%	0.11%	0.07%	1.74%	2.18%	0.04%	0.01%
25-Sep-06	91.96%	91.87%	4.16%	4.25%	2.55%	2.63%	0.52%	0.41%	0.07%	0.04%	0.70%	0.79%	0.03%	0.01%
25-Aug-06	93.85%	94.30%	4.35%	4.16%	1.45%	1.38%	0.17%	0.06%	0.03%	0.01%	0.14%	0.09%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Jul-06	97.37%	97.52%	2.22%	2.26%	0.41%	0.22%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

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<i>Fixed</i>														
26-Dec-06	695	64,967,402	25	1,909,412	11	1,072,358	29	2,431,792	3	281,264	17	1,456,477	2	155,794
27-Nov-06	718	66,905,579	18	1,579,101	22	1,686,882	27	2,510,471	1	173,564	10	755,959	0	0
25-Oct-06	731	68,486,761	36	2,536,084	15	1,447,909	25	2,067,706	1	127,821	6	437,126	0	0
25-Sep-06	760	71,293,802	29	2,317,628	22	1,647,744	9	661,872	1	127,872	3	215,795	0	0
25-Aug-06	775	73,025,806	37	2,900,716	14	1,086,473	5	315,650	0	0	1	76,683	0	0
25-Jul-06	809	76,133,795	19	1,361,510	7	424,372	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

<i>Fixed</i>														
26-Dec-06	88.87%	89.89%	3.20%	2.64%	1.41%	1.48%	3.71%	3.36%	0.38%	0.39%	2.17%	2.02%	0.26%	0.22%
27-Nov-06	90.20%	90.89%	2.26%	2.15%	2.76%	2.29%	3.39%	3.41%	0.13%	0.24%	1.26%	1.03%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Oct-06	89.80%	91.19%	4.42%	3.38%	1.84%	1.93%	3.07%	2.75%	0.12%	0.17%	0.74%	0.58%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Sep-06	92.23%	93.48%	3.52%	3.04%	2.67%	2.16%	1.09%	0.87%	0.12%	0.17%	0.36%	0.28%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Aug-06	93.15%	94.34%	4.45%	3.75%	1.68%	1.40%	0.60%	0.41%	0.00%	0.00%	0.12%	0.10%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Jul-06	96.89%	97.71%	2.28%	1.75%	0.84%	0.54%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

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Distribution Date	Count	Current Balance	Delinq 1 Month Count	Delinq 1 Month Balance	Delinq 2 Months Count	Delinq 2 Months Balance	Delinq 3+ Months Count	Delinq 3+ Months Balance	Bankruptcy Count	Bankruptcy Balance	Foreclosure Count	Foreclosure Balance	REO Count	REO Balance
ARM														
26-Dec-06	1,610	351,630,066	111	23,297,398	58	13,145,842	33	9,251,217	11	1,247,351	79	20,272,238	4	604,468
27-Nov-06	1,700	372,066,500	105	23,243,918	56	14,615,955	23	5,326,014	11	1,086,173	53	13,589,073	3	205,410
25-Oct-06	1,789	393,839,317	107	23,794,348	39	8,813,931	17	3,294,309	2	222,706	43	10,835,911	1	57,895
25-Sep-06	1,872	412,921,604	90	20,097,939	51	12,230,517	6	1,490,133	1	72,119	17	3,950,530	1	57,917
25-Aug-06	1,943	431,549,876	89	19,334,664	28	6,306,178	0	0	1	72,152	3	399,600	0	0
25-Jul-06	2,038	452,714,902	46	10,874,772	5	770,032	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

ARM														
26-Dec-06	84.47%	83.83%	5.82%	5.55%	3.04%	3.13%	1.73%	2.21%	0.58%	0.30%	4.14%	4.83%	0.21%	0.14%
27-Nov-06	87.13%	86.50%	5.38%	5.40%	2.87%	3.40%	1.18%	1.24%	0.56%	0.25%	2.72%	3.16%	0.15%	0.05%
25-Oct-06	89.54%	89.33%	5.36%	5.40%	1.95%	2.00%	0.85%	0.75%	0.10%	0.05%	2.15%	2.46%	0.05%	0.01%
25-Sep-06	91.85%	91.59%	4.42%	4.46%	2.50%	2.71%	0.29%	0.33%	0.05%	0.02%	0.83%	0.88%	0.05%	0.01%
25-Aug-06	94.14%	94.29%	4.31%	4.22%	1.36%	1.38%	0.00%	0.00%	0.05%	0.02%	0.15%	0.09%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Jul-06	97.56%	97.49%	2.20%	2.34%	0.24%	0.17%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

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Distribution Date	----- In Foreclosure and Delinquent -----								----- In REO and Delinquent -----								----- In Bankruptcy and Delinquent -----							
	Current		31-60 Days		61-90 Days		90 + Days		Current		31-60 Days		61-90 Days		90 + Days		Current		31-60 Days		61-90 Days		90 + Days	
	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance
Total (All Loans)																								
26-Dec-06	0	0	0	0	2	132,710	94	21,596,005	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	760,262	1	87,436	2	154,119	2	250,360	9	1,036,700
27-Nov-06	1	126,900	1	82,931	0	0	61	14,135,202	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	205,410	2	171,200	0	0	3	322,497	7	766,040
25-Oct-06	1	82,978	0	0	0	0	48	11,190,059	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	57,895	0	0	1	72,085	1	150,621	1	127,821
25-Sep-06	0	0	0	0	1	234,072	19	3,932,252	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	57,917	0	0	1	72,119	1	127,872	0	0
25-Aug-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	476,283	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	72,152	0	0	0	0
25-Jul-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Total (All Loans)																								
26-Dec-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.07%	0.03%	3.50%	4.39%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.22%	0.15%	0.04%	0.02%	0.07%	0.03%	0.07%	0.05%	0.33%	0.21%
27-Nov-06	0.00%	0.03%	0.04%	0.02%	0.00%	0.00%	2.22%	2.81%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.11%	0.04%	0.07%	0.03%	0.00%	0.00%	0.11%	0.06%	0.25%	0.15%
25-Oct-06	0.00%	0.02%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	1.71%	2.17%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.04%	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%	0.04%	0.01%	0.04%	0.03%	0.04%	0.02%
25-Sep-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.03%	0.04%	0.66%	0.75%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.03%	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%	0.03%	0.01%	0.03%	0.02%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Aug-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.14%	0.09%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.03%	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Jul-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%



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	Current		31-60 Days		61-90 Days		90 + Days		Current		31-60 Days		61-90 Days		90 + Days		Current		31-60 Days		61-90 Days		90 + Days	
	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance
Fixed																								
26-Dec-06	0	0	0	0	2	132,710	15	1,323,767	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	155,794	0	0	1	70,479	1	173,522	1	37,263
27-Nov-06	0	0	1	82,931	0	0	9	673,028	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	173,564	0	0
25-Oct-06	1	82,978	0	0	0	0	5	354,148	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	127,821
25-Sep-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	215,795	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	127,872	0	0
25-Aug-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	76,683	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25-Jul-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fixed																								
26-Dec-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.26%	0.18%	1.92%	1.83%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.26%	0.22%	0.00%	0.00%	0.13%	0.10%	0.13%	0.24%	0.13%	0.05%
27-Nov-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.13%	0.11%	0.00%	0.00%	1.13%	0.91%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.13%	0.24%	0.00%	0.00%	
25-Oct-06	0.00%	0.11%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.61%	0.47%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.12%	0.17%	
25-Sep-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.36%	0.28%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.12%	0.17%	0.00%	0.00%	
25-Aug-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.12%	0.10%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	
25-Jul-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	



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	Current		31-60 Days		61-90 Days		90 + Days		Current		31-60 Days		61-90 Days		90 + Days		Current		31-60 Days		61-90 Days		90 + Days	
	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance	#	Balance
ARM																								
26-Dec-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	79	20,272,238	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	604,468	1	87,436	1	83,639	1	76,839	8	999,437
27-Nov-06	1	126,900	0	0	0	0	52	13,462,173	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	205,410	2	171,200	0	0	2	148,933	7	766,040
25-Oct-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	43	10,835,911	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	57,895	0	0	1	72,085	1	150,621	0	0
25-Sep-06	0	0	0	0	1	234,072	16	3,716,458	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	57,917	0	0	1	72,119	0	0	0	0
25-Aug-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	399,600	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	72,152	0	0	0	0
25-Jul-06	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

ARM																								
26-Dec-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	4.14%	4.83%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.21%	0.14%	0.05%	0.02%	0.05%	0.02%	0.05%	0.02%	0.42%	0.24%
27-Nov-06	0.00%	0.03%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	2.67%	3.13%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.15%	0.05%	0.10%	0.04%	0.00%	0.00%	0.10%	0.03%	0.36%	0.18%
25-Oct-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	2.15%	2.46%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.05%	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%	0.05%	0.02%	0.05%	0.03%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Sep-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.05%	0.05%	0.79%	0.82%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.05%	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%	0.05%	0.02%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Aug-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.15%	0.09%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.05%	0.02%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
25-Jul-06	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%



**Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors Trust
Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates
Series 2006-HE3**

Distribution Date: 26-Dec-06
Asset-Backed Facts ~ 15 Month Historical Payoff/Loss Summary

Distribution Date	Ending Pool #	Ending Pool Balance	Payoffs #	Payoffs Balance	Insurance Proceeds	Substitution Proceeds	Liquidation Proceeds	Realized Losses #	Realized Losses Amount	Remaining Term Life	Curr Weighted Avg. Coupon	Remit
<i>Total (All Loans)</i>												
26-Dec-06	2,688	491,723,080	55	11,520,169	0.00	0.00	(16,942.38)	4	305,146	341	8.51%	8.01%
27-Nov-06	2,747	503,744,600	62	11,857,766	0.00	0.00	(7,429.70)	3	146,707	342	8.52%	8.02%
25-Oct-06	2,812	515,961,823	46	10,313,089	0.00	0.00	(2,032.01)	1	32,904	342	8.52%	8.02%
25-Sep-06	2,862	527,085,471	34	7,753,281	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	344	8.53%	8.03%
25-Aug-06	2,896	535,067,798	28	6,990,766	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	345	8.53%	8.03%
25-Jul-06	2,924	542,279,383	32	9,852,382	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	346	8.53%	8.03%

<i>Fixed</i>												
26-Dec-06	782	72,274,501	10	1,005,455	0.00	0.00	-16,942.38	4	305,146	275	9.60%	9.11%
27-Nov-06	796	73,611,557	15	1,311,340	0.00	0.00	-7,429.70	3	146,707	276	9.65%	9.15%
25-Oct-06	814	75,103,406	8	1,043,885	0.00	0.00	-2,032.01	1	32,904	276	9.65%	9.15%
25-Sep-06	824	76,264,712	8	1,094,587	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	277	9.65%	9.15%
25-Aug-06	832	77,405,330	3	467,468	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	279	9.64%	9.14%
25-Jul-06	835	77,919,677	6	526,848	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	280	9.65%	9.15%



Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors Trust
Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates
Series 2006-HE3

Distribution Date: 26-Dec-06
Asset-Backed Facts ~ 15 Month Historical Payoff/Loss Summary

Distribution Date	Ending Pool		Payoffs		Insurance	Substitution	Liquidation	Realized Losses		Remaining Term	Curr Weighted Avg.	
	#	Balance	#	Balance	Proceeds	Proceeds	Proceeds	#	Amount	Life	Coupon	Remit
<i>ARM</i>												
26-Dec-06	1,906	419,448,579	45	10,514,714	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	352	8.32%	7.82%
27-Nov-06	1,951	430,133,043	47	10,546,426	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	353	8.33%	7.83%
25-Oct-06	1,998	440,858,417	38	9,269,204	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	354	8.33%	7.83%
25-Sep-06	2,038	450,820,759	26	6,658,694	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	355	8.34%	7.84%
25-Aug-06	2,064	457,662,469	25	6,523,298	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	356	8.34%	7.84%
25-Jul-06	2,089	464,359,706	26	9,325,534	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	357	8.35%	7.85%



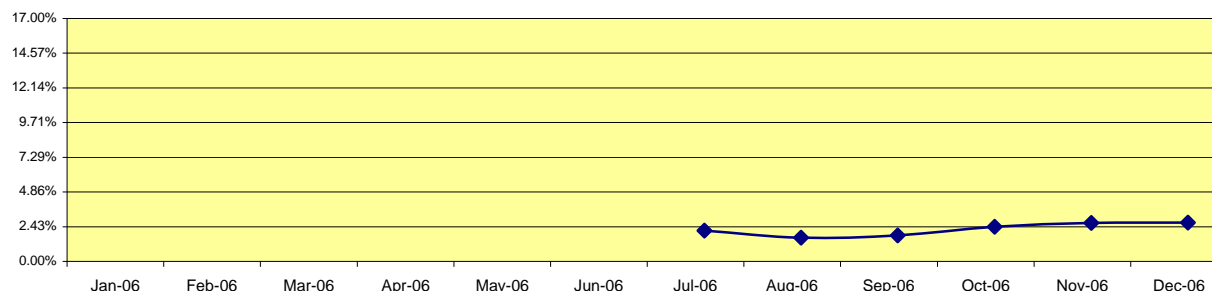
**Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors Trust
Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates
Series 2006-HE3**

***Distribution Date: 26-Dec-06
Prepayment Summary***

SMM (Single Monthly Mortality)

Total

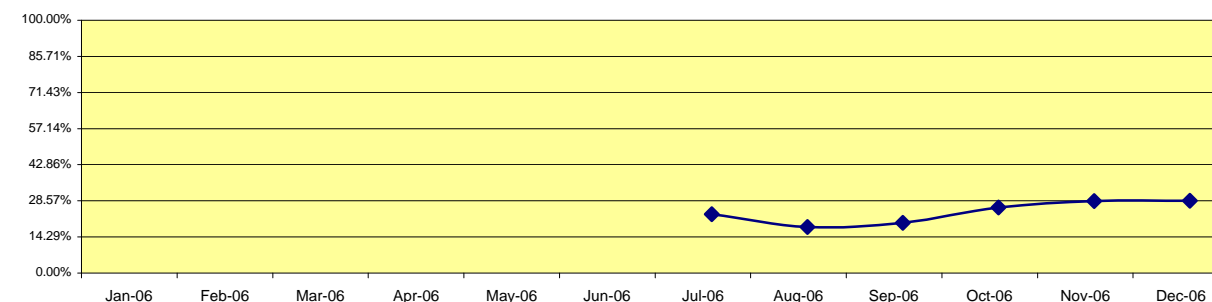
Current Period	2.35%
3-Month Average	2.25%
6-Month Average	1.88%
12-Month Average	1.88%
Average Since Cut-Off	1.88%



CPR (Conditional Prepayment Rate)

Total

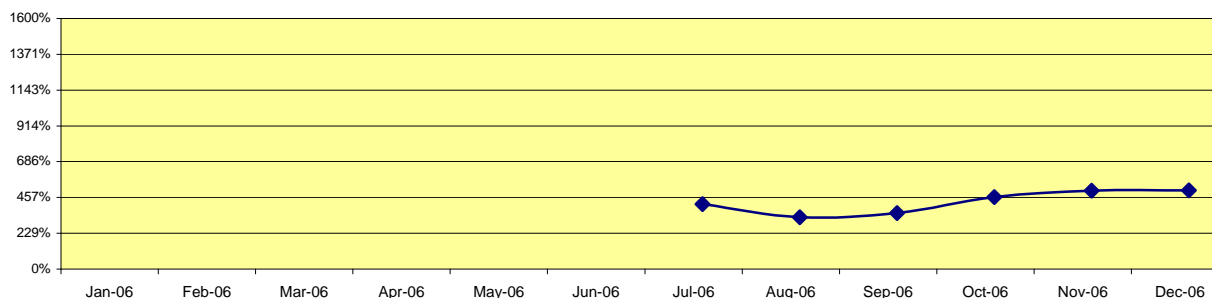
Current Period	24.80%
3-Month Average	23.88%
6-Month Average	20.28%
12-Month Average	20.28%
Average Since Cut-Off	20.28%



PSA (Public Securities Association)

Total

Current Period	413%
3-Month Average	398%
6-Month Average	338%
12-Month Average	338%
Average Since Cut-Off	338%



SMM	Single Monthly Mortality	(Partial and Full Prepayments + Repurchases + Liquidations + Other Principal Proceeds) / (Beginning Collateral Balance - Scheduled Principal)
CPR	Conditional Prepayment Rate	$1 - (1 - \text{SMM})^{12}$
PSA	Public Securities Association	$100 * \text{CPR} / (0.2 * \text{MIN}(30, \text{WAS}))$
WAS	Weighted Average Seasoning	$(\text{Original Term} - \text{Remaining Term}) * (\text{Current Scheduled Balance} / \text{Deal Scheduled Principal Balance})$



**Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors Trust
Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates
Series 2006-HE3**

***Distribution Date: 26-Dec-06
Mortgage Loan Characteristics Part I***

Distribution by Current Ending Principal Balance

Min	Max	Count	% of Total	Balance	% of Total
12,000	to 53,000	268	9.97%	9,839,736	2.00%
53,000	to 73,000	202	7.51%	12,911,005	2.63%
73,000	to 93,000	239	8.89%	19,783,434	4.02%
93,000	to 113,000	252	9.38%	25,830,553	5.25%
113,000	to 133,000	212	7.89%	26,140,797	5.32%
133,000	to 151,000	175	6.51%	24,837,486	5.05%
151,000	to 193,000	351	13.06%	60,355,312	12.27%
193,000	to 235,000	275	10.23%	58,557,910	11.91%
235,000	to 277,000	194	7.22%	49,423,881	10.05%
277,000	to 319,000	161	5.99%	47,869,974	9.74%
319,000	to 360,000	91	3.39%	30,860,981	6.28%
360,000	to 880,000	268	9.97%	125,312,013	25.48%
		2,688	100.00%	491,723,080	100.00%

Distribution by Cut-off Principal Balance

Min	Max	Count	% of Total	Balance	% of Total
12,000	to 55,000	300	10.15%	11,363,524	2.06%
55,000	to 75,000	221	7.48%	14,571,103	2.64%
75,000	to 95,000	256	8.66%	21,796,329	3.95%
95,000	to 115,000	262	8.86%	27,366,128	4.95%
115,000	to 135,000	237	8.02%	29,715,961	5.38%
135,000	to 155,000	201	6.80%	29,133,238	5.27%
155,000	to 198,000	394	13.33%	69,534,929	12.59%
198,000	to 241,000	305	10.32%	66,511,689	12.04%
241,000	to 284,000	218	7.37%	56,978,836	10.32%
284,000	to 327,000	173	5.85%	52,622,261	9.53%
327,000	to 368,000	95	3.21%	32,974,502	5.97%
368,000	to 880,000	294	9.95%	139,812,768	25.31%
		2,956	100.00%	552,381,269	100.00%

Distribution by Current Mortgage Rate

Min	Max	Count	% of Total	Balance	% of Total
5.63%	to 7.30%	266	9.90%	65,792,183	13.38%
7.30%	to 7.58%	162	6.03%	40,505,336	8.24%
7.58%	to 7.86%	218	8.11%	56,377,526	11.47%
7.86%	to 8.14%	227	8.44%	52,409,958	10.66%
8.14%	to 8.42%	170	6.32%	36,979,483	7.52%
8.42%	to 8.75%	370	13.76%	68,982,111	14.03%
8.75%	to 9.23%	270	10.04%	56,724,369	11.54%
9.23%	to 9.72%	233	8.67%	40,474,630	8.23%
9.72%	to 10.20%	237	8.82%	31,946,746	6.50%
10.20%	to 10.69%	101	3.76%	10,875,928	2.21%
10.69%	to 11.19%	161	5.99%	12,041,992	2.45%
11.19%	to 14.14%	273	10.16%	18,612,818	3.79%
		2,688	100.00%	491,723,080	100.00%

Distribution by Original Mortgage Rate

Min	Max	Count	% of Total	Balance	% of Total
5.63%	to 7.31%	295	9.98%	73,322,576	13.27%
7.31%	to 7.59%	169	5.72%	42,556,986	7.70%
7.59%	to 7.88%	247	8.36%	64,620,644	11.70%
7.88%	to 8.16%	245	8.29%	56,764,540	10.28%
8.16%	to 8.44%	176	5.95%	39,056,101	7.07%
8.44%	to 8.75%	409	13.84%	79,365,668	14.37%
8.75%	to 9.22%	296	10.01%	62,894,169	11.39%
9.22%	to 9.69%	249	8.42%	44,739,760	8.10%
9.69%	to 10.16%	268	9.07%	39,806,653	7.21%
10.16%	to 10.63%	121	4.09%	14,438,807	2.61%
10.63%	to 11.14%	184	6.22%	13,821,826	2.50%
11.14%	to 14.14%	297	10.05%	20,993,539	3.80%
		2,956	100.00%	552,381,269	100.00%



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Series 2006-HE3**

***Distribution Date: 26-Dec-06
Mortgage Loan Characteristics Part II***

Distribution by Product Characteristics (Current)

Product Type	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
Adjustable	1,906	419,448,579	85.30%	351.82	8.31%
Fixed 1st Lien	290	40,667,454	8.27%	343.08	8.38%
Fixed 2nd Lien	492	31,607,046	6.43%	187.11	11.23%

Total	2,688	491,723,080	100.00%		
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Distribution by Product Characteristics (Cut-off)

Product Type	# of Loans	Original Principal Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
Adjustable	2,115	473,887,252	85.79%	360.00	8.35%
Fixed 1st Lien	312	44,260,317	8.01%	350.18	8.43%
Fixed 2nd Lien	529	34,233,700	6.20%	195.37	11.23%

Total	2,956	552,381,269	100.00%		
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Distribution by Property Types (Current)

Property Type	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
SF Unattached Dwelling	2,147	382,635,390	77.82%	340.91	8.51%
PUD	180	40,610,707	8.26%	338.99	8.33%
Condo - Low Facility	181	29,952,911	6.09%	338.28	8.47%
Multifamily	116	26,249,919	5.34%	337.96	8.82%
SF Attached Dwelling	58	11,051,499	2.25%	343.13	8.26%
Deminimus Planned Unit Development	6	1,222,655	0.25%	351.43	8.95%

Total	2,688	491,723,080	100.00%		
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Distribution by Property Types (Cut-off)

Property Type	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
SF Unattached Dwelling	2,363	431,818,987	78.17%	349.41	8.53%
PUD	199	44,734,633	8.10%	348.20	8.34%
Condo - Low Facility	194	32,510,349	5.89%	345.98	8.52%
Multifamily	131	30,022,707	5.44%	346.16	8.89%
SF Attached Dwelling	62	11,773,081	2.13%	351.49	8.28%
Deminimus Planned Unit Development	6	1,227,213	0.22%	360.00	8.95%
Condo - High Facility	1	294,300	0.05%	360.00	9.78%

Total	2,956	552,381,269	100.00%		
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Mortgage Loan Characteristics Part II***

Distribution by Occupancy Type (Current)

Occupancy Type	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
Owner Occupied - Primary Residence	2,567	471,532,869	95.89%	340.04	8.49%
Non-Owner Occupied	115	18,974,671	3.86%	351.42	8.94%
Owner Occupied - Secondary Residence	6	1,215,540	0.25%	352.67	8.54%

Total 2,688 491,723,080 100.00%

Distribution by Loan Purpose (Current)

Loan Purpose	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
Refinance/Equity Takeout	1,302	257,447,685	52.36%	346.98	8.50%
Purchase	1,255	212,044,058	43.12%	332.22	8.53%
Refinance/No Cash Out	131	22,231,337	4.52%	344.74	8.35%

Total 2,688 491,723,080 100.00%

Distribution by Occupancy Type (Cut-off)

Occupancy Type	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
Owner Occupied - Primary Residence	2,822	529,224,866	95.81%	348.55	8.51%
Non-Owner Occupied	126	21,257,280	3.85%	359.55	8.99%
Owner Occupied - Secondary Residence	8	1,899,123	0.34%	360.00	8.44%

Total 2,956 552,381,269 100.00%

Distribution by Loan Purpose (Cut-off)

Loan Purpose	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
Refinance/Equity Takeout	1,468	298,215,741	53.99%	355.08	8.53%
Purchase	1,343	229,075,855	41.47%	340.62	8.54%
Refinance/No Cash Out	145	25,089,674	4.54%	353.47	8.44%

Total 2,956 552,381,269 100.00%



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***Distribution Date: 26-Dec-06
Mortgage Loan Characteristics Part II***

Distribution by Originator Concentration > 10% (Current)

Originator	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
First Nlc	1,420	242,406,181	58.32%	341.30	8.61%
Lime Financial	559	112,695,983	27.11%	346.11	8.22%
Ldcc	326	60,580,538	14.57%	333.28	8.60%

Distribution by Originator Concentration > 10% (Cut-off)

Originator	# of Loans	Ending Balance	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
First Nlc	1,544	269,868,068	58.39%	349.37	8.62%
Lime Financial	620	125,826,061	27.23%	354.67	8.26%
Ldcc	355	66,462,039	14.38%	341.12	8.66%

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***Distribution Date: 26-Dec-06
Geographic Concentration***

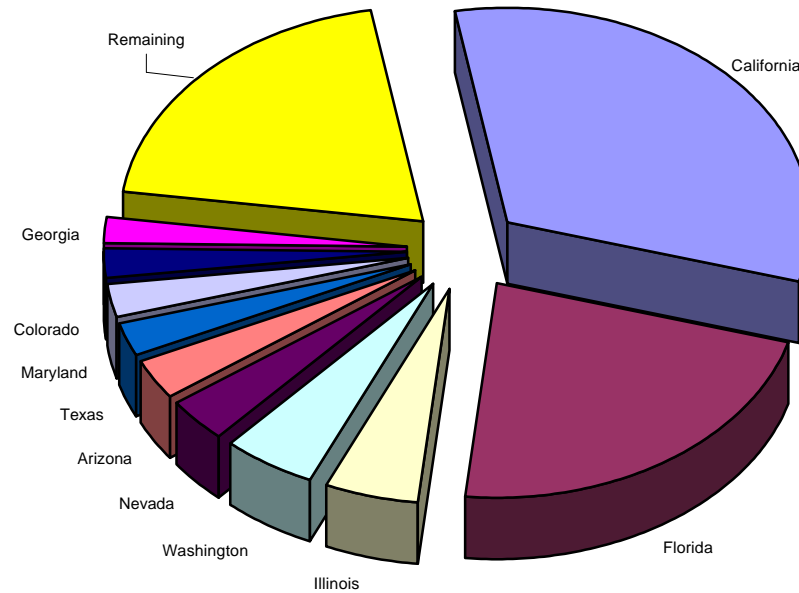
Top 10 Current State Concentration

Geographic Distribution	# of Loans	Balance ⁽¹⁾	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
California	569	158,481,164	32.23%	336	8.21%
Florida	637	109,641,606	22.30%	341	8.63%
Illinois	135	24,717,512	5.03%	347	8.65%
Washington	116	23,851,258	4.85%	345	8.27%
Nevada	72	16,199,104	3.29%	344	8.21%
Arizona	97	14,913,177	3.03%	346	8.41%
Texas	131	12,544,860	2.55%	336	8.91%
Maryland	66	12,446,849	2.53%	343	8.48%
Colorado	78	11,246,886	2.29%	339	8.43%
Georgia	70	9,227,025	1.88%	336	9.14%
Remaining	717	98,453,639	20.02%	345	8.83%

Top 10 Original State Concentration

Geographic Distribution	# of Loans	Balance ⁽¹⁾	% of Balance	WAMM	WAC
California	650	181,534,832	32.86%	345	8.26%
Florida	668	115,518,193	20.91%	349	8.64%
Illinois	166	31,808,305	5.76%	355	8.70%
Washington	133	27,992,102	5.07%	352	8.26%
Arizona	116	18,210,293	3.30%	354	8.44%
Nevada	75	17,089,272	3.09%	352	8.24%
Maryland	77	15,426,274	2.79%	352	8.49%
Texas	131	12,604,421	2.28%	343	8.91%
Virginia	66	11,586,225	2.10%	350	8.73%
Colorado	79	11,310,661	2.05%	346	8.44%
Remaining	795	109,300,692	19.79%	353	8.90%

Top 10 Current State Concentration



⁽¹⁾ Based on Current Period Ending Principal Balance



**Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors Trust
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Series 2006-HE3**

***Distribution Date: 26-Dec-06
Current Period Realized Loss Detail***

Disclosure Control #	Period	Original Liquidation Balance	Net Liquidation Proceeds	Loss-Loan Non- adjusted	Loss to Trust	Loss-Certs Non- adjusted	Subsequent Recov/(Exp)	Loss-Loan Adjusted	Loss-Certs Adjusted	Liq Type	Adj Type
38962	200612	99,837.95	(6,398.93)	99,837.95	6,398.93	106,236.88	0.00	99,837.95	106,236.88	C	
80041662	200612	84,400.57	(4,654.68)	84,400.57	4,654.68	89,055.25	0.00	84,400.57	89,055.25	C	
1000098179	200612	66,443.91	(3,689.99)	66,443.91	3,689.99	70,133.90	0.00	66,443.91	70,133.90	C	
5243603302	200612	37,521.02	(2,198.78)	37,521.02	2,198.78	39,719.80	0.00	37,521.02	39,719.80	C	
Current Total		288,203.45	(16,942.38)	288,203.45	16,942.38	305,145.83	0.00	288,203.45	305,145.83		
Cumulative		458,352.70	(26,404.09)	458,352.70	26,404.09	484,756.79	0.00	458,352.70	484,756.79		

Liq. Type Code - Legend

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Loan Sale
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B REO
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Adjustment Legend

Escrow Bal/Adv
MREC
Rest'd Escrow
Replacement Res.
Suspense

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***Distribution Date: 26-Dec-06
Historical Realized Loss Summary
Total (All Loans)***

----- Current Realized Loss -----					----- Previous Liquidations/Payoffs -----							
Distribution Date	Beginning Scheduled Balance	Net Liquidation Proceeds	Realized Loss	Loan Count	Claims on Prior Liquidations		Recovery on Prior Liquidations		(Claims)/Recoveries on Prior Payoffs		Realized Loss Adjusted	Cumulative Realized Loss
					Amount	Count	Amount	Count	Amount	Count		
26-Dec-06	288,203.45	(16,942.38)	305,145.83	4	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	305,145.83	484,756.79
27-Nov-06	139,276.88	(7,429.70)	146,706.58	3	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	146,706.58	179,610.96
25-Oct-06	30,872.37	(2,032.01)	32,904.38	1	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	32,904.38	32,904.38
25-Sep-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
25-Aug-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
25-Jul-06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
Total	458,352.70	(26,404.09)	484,756.79	8	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	484,756.79	

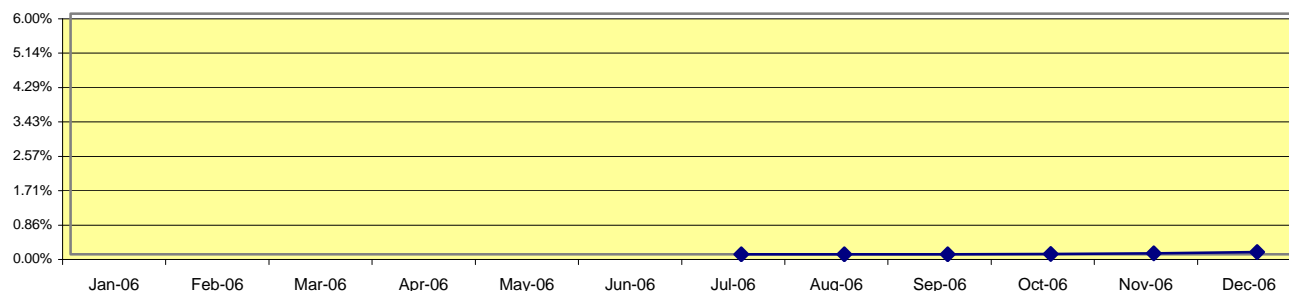
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Realized Loss Summary***

MDR (monthly Default Rate)

Total

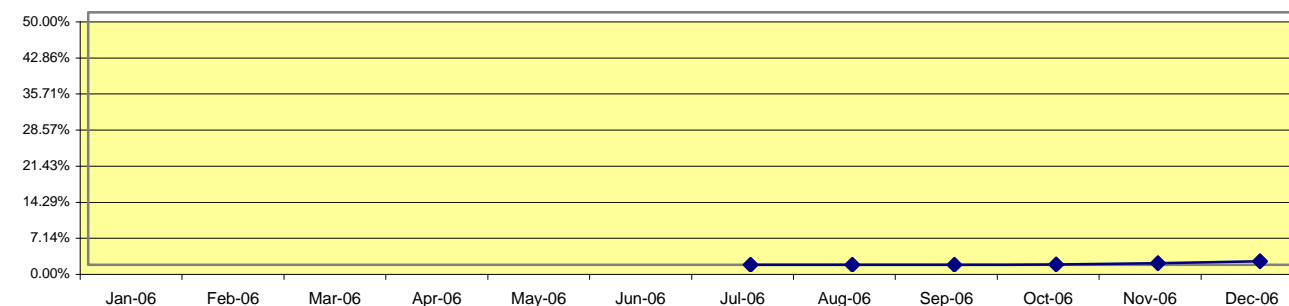
Current Period	0.06%
3-Month Average	0.03%
6-Month Average	0.02%
12-Month Average	0.01%
Average Since Cut-Off	0.02%



CDR (Conditional Default Rate)

Total

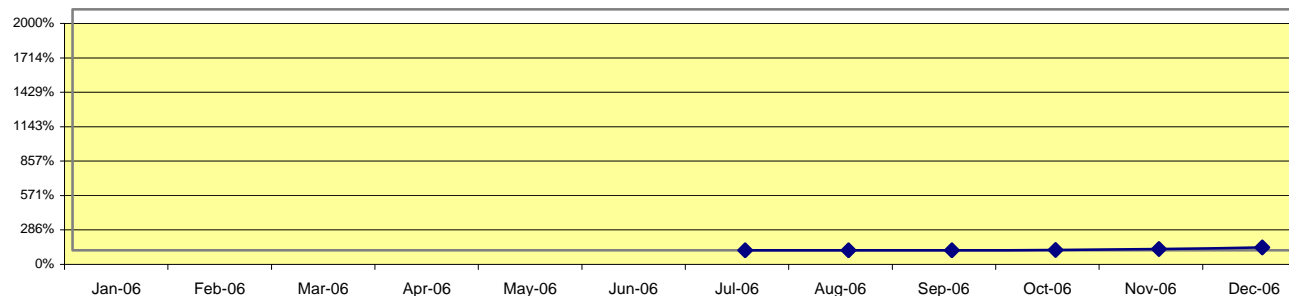
Current Period	0.68%
3-Month Average	0.36%
6-Month Average	0.18%
12-Month Average	0.09%
Average Since Cut-Off	0.18%



SDA (Standard Default Assumption)

Total

Current Period	22.81%
3-Month Average	11.98%
6-Month Average	5.99%
12-Month Average	2.99%
Average Since Cut-Off	5.99%



MDR	Monthly Default Rate	$(\text{Beginning Principal Balance of Liquidated Loans}) / (\text{Total Beginning Principal Balance})$
CDR	Conditional Default Rate	$1 - (1 - \text{MDR})^{12}$
SDA	Standard Default Assumption	If WAS=30 then CDR/(WAS*0.02) else if 30<WAS=60 then CDR/0.6 else if 60<WAS=120 then CDR/(0.6-((WAS-60)*0.0095)) else if WAS>120 then CDR/0.03
WAS	Weighted Average Seasoning	$(\text{Original Term} - \text{Remaining Term}) * (\text{Current Scheduled Balance} / \text{Deal Scheduled Principal Balance})$



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Servicemembers Civil Relief Act***

Disclosure Control #	Beginning Balance	Scheduled Principal	Unscheduled Principal	Ending balance	Loan Rate	P&I Amount	Scheduled Interest	Interest Received	Relief Act Interest Shortfall
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***Distribution Date: 26-Dec-06
Material Breaches Detail***

Disclosure Control #	Loan Group #	Ending Principal Balance	Material Breach Date	Material Breach Description
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Material breaches of pool asset representation or warranties or transaction covenants.



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Modified Loan Detail***

Disclosure Control #	Loan Group #	Modified Maturity Date	Cutoff Maturity Date	Modification Description
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Modifications include any extensions or waivers to the mortgage loan terms, fees, penalties or payments during the preceding calendar month or that have become material over time.



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Collateral Asset Changes***

Disclosure Control
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Beginning Principal Balance

Description



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***Distribution Date: 26-Dec-06
Historical Collateral Level REO Report***

Disclosure Control #	REO Date	City	State	Property Type	Actual Balance	Scheduled Balance	Recent Appraisal Value	Appraisal Date	Appraisal Reduction Amount	Date Liquidated	Liquidation Proceeds	Liquidation Expenses	Realized Loss
80046103	15-Nov-06	Moreno Valley	CA	SF Unattached Dwelling	76,831.07	76,559.70	0.00		0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00
6020902	10-Nov-06	Roswell	GA	PUD	399,725.50	399,165.49	0.00		0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00
50035601	10-Nov-06	Gainesville	GA	SF Unattached Dwelling	79,442.92	79,234.72	0.00		0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00
50039632	24-Oct-06	Chattanooga	TN	SF Unattached Dwelling	58,477.50	58,314.29	0.00		0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00
4412600567	18-Oct-06	Saint Louis	MO	Multifamily	91,109.92	89,861.28	0.00		0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00
1000094994	30-Aug-06	Saint Louis	MO	SF Unattached Dwelling	58,040.61	57,126.83	0.00		0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00
Total					763,627.52	760,262.31	0.00		0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00