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ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF MERITAGE HOMES OF FLORIDA, INC.

Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 607.1003 and 607.1006 of the Florida Statutes, MERITAGE HOMES OF FLORIDA, INC., a Florida corporation (the "Corporation"), adopts the following Articles of Amendment to its Articles of Incorporation:

- The name of the Corporation is MERITAGE HOMES OF FLORIDA, INC.
- The original Articles of Incorporation for the Corporation were filed on June 21, 1965, and assigned Charter No. 294159, which were further amended on August 27, 1985; on January 3, 1991; on December 31, 1992; on August 27, 1998; on April 12, 1999; on September 13, 2002; on May 19, 2005; and on October 1, 2008; respectively.
- By written consent executed on April 12, 2010, by the shareholders and directors of the corporation, the shareholders and directors have approved, authorized and directed that the Articles of Incorporation be amended to modify Article II of the Articles of Incorporation as set forth herein. The amendment was approved by the shareholders of the corporation and the number of votes cast for approval was sufficient.
- Article II of the Articles of Incorporation is hereby amended and restated in its entirety to read as follows:

<u>ARTICLE II - PURPOSE</u>

The general purpose of this corporation shall be the transaction of any and all lawful business. This corporation shall have all the powers enumerated in the Florida Business Corporation Act, as the same now exists and as hereafter amended, and all such other powers as are permitted by applicable law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary of the corporation has executed these Articles of Amendment this Zana of April, 2010, on behalf of the corporation.

MERITAGE HOMES OF FLORIDA, INC.,

a Florida corporation

Name: C. Timothy White

Title: Executive Vice President. General Counsel and Secretary

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