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Re:

Articles of Amendment - Gulf Coast Weeklies, Inc.

into The Breeze Corporation

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Dear Sir or Madam:

Please find enclosed herewith for filing two original signed Articles of Amendment, changing the name of Gulf Coast Weeklies, Inc. to The Breeze Corporation. Additionally, please find enclosed our check in the amount of \$43.75 (\$35 amendment fee, plus an additional fee of \$8.75 for a certified copy). We also are requesting after filing of same, that you forward to us a certified copy of the Amendment.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Should you have any questions,

please advise.

**Enclosures** 

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February 4, 1999

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SUBJECT: GULF COAST WEEKLIES, INC.

Ref. Number: J84160

We have received your document for GULF COAST WEEKLIES, INC. and check(s) totaling \$43.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned to you for the following reason(s):

Your corporate name is unavailable. Chapter 607.0401(4), Florida Statutes states corporate names "must be distinguishable from the names of all other entities or filings organized or registered under the laws of this state, which names are on file with the Division."

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 487-6903.

Letter Number: 199A00004908

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Attention: Cheryl Coulliette, Document Specialist

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Gulf Coast Weeklies, Inc. - Ref. No. J84160, Letter No. 199A00004908

Dear Ms. Coulliette:

I am in receipt of your letter dated February 4, 1999 (copy enclosed), in which you deny Gulf Coast Weeklies, Inc.'s ("Gulf Coast") amendment to its articles wherein it changes its name to The Breeze Corporation. I would like to request that you reconsider your original decision and submit, for your consideration, the following facts:

- 1. The Breeze Corporation was a validly existing Florida corporation from the mid 1960s, until it was merged into Gulf Coast on December 28, 1998 (copy of filing enclosed).
- 2. According to your records, a trademark, "Breezes", was registered in Florida on July 7, 1994. At the time of the trademark filing The Breeze Corporation had been a validly existing Florida corporation for approximately 30 years, and yet the Department of State found no conflict between the two names.
- 3. Since the registration of the mark "Breezes" there has been no allegation of confusion by either the owner of the mark or The Breeze Corporation.

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I believe the above facts show that the two names will not, in fact do not conflict with each other. Additionally, since the Florida Department of State found no conflict between the names when the mark was registered in 1994 (a finding which has proven true as no conflict has arisen in the 4 ½ years the mark and the name have co-existed), it is unreasonable to believe that a conflict would now exist.

For these reasons, I would respectfully request that you reconsider your earlier decision and file the enclosed Articles of Amendment. If you have any questions or wish to discuss the matter further, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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William H. Smith

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# ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT

#### FOR

# GULF COAST WEEKLIES, INC. a Florida corporation

Pursuant to section 607.1001 of the Florida Statutes, GULF COAST WEEKEES, FINC. (the "Corporation"), does hereby amend its articles of incorporation as follows:

I.

The name of the Corporation is Gulf Coast Weeklies, Inc.

II.

Article I of the Articles of Incorporation of the Corporation, as amended, shall be further amended ("The Amendment") to read as follows: "The name of the Corporation shall be The Breeze Corporation. The duration of the Corporation shall be perpetual."

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Pursuant to section 607.1003(6) approval for this Amendment is not required by the Corporation's Board of Directors because the Corporation has fewer than 35 shareholders.

### IV.

The Amendment was passed by unanimous consent of the shareholders of the Corporation on January , 1999, which, pursuant to the Corporation's bylaws, was sufficient to enact the Amendment.

Dated JAYURY 27, 1999.

GULF COAST WEEKLIES, INC.

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STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA,

COUNTY OF OHIO, to-wit:

I, into E Milee, a notary public in and for the county and state aforesaid, do hereby certify that on 1999, personally appeared before me G. OGDEN NUTTING, who being by me first duly sworn, declared that he is President of GULF COAST WEEKLIES, INC., that he signed the foregoing document as President of the corporation and that the statements set forth therein are true.

My commission expires 9

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