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Florida Department of State
Registration Section
Division of Corporations
409 E. Gaines Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Re: Residence Inn-Lakeland, L.L.C.

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Dear Sir/Madame:

Please find enclosed herewith the original and a copy of the Articles of Organization, Certificate of Designation of Registered Agent and check in the sum of \$285.00 for the filing fee as concerns the above referenced matter. I would appreciate if you would return a "stamped/ filed in" copy to our office in the self-addressed stamped envelope which I have enclosed.

If you should have any questions with regard to the foregoing, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



Myra S. Shipes
Paralegal

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Enclosures: As stated

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ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION
OF
RESIDENCE INN - LAKELAND, L.L.C.

Pursuant to the provision of Chapter 608, Florida Statutes (the "Act"), the undersigned hereby adopts the following Limited Liability Company Articles of Organization.

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of the Limited Liability Company is **RESIDENCE INN - LAKELAND, L.L.C.** (the "Company").

ARTICLE II

Address

The mailing address and street address of the principal office of the Company is **P. O. Box 5566, Dothan, Alabama 36302** and **2733 Ross Clark Circle, Dothan, Alabama 36301** respectively.

ARTICLE III

Duration

The duration of the company shall be perpetual, unless it is dissolved and its affairs wound up pursuant to the Regulations of the Company.

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ARTICLE IV

Management

The Company is to be managed by one or more managers, and name and mailing address of the initial manager, who shall serve until his successor is elected and begins services, is **Larry G. Blumberg, P. O. Box 5566, Dothan, Alabama 36302.**

ARTICLE V

Admission of Additional Members

Upon the unanimous written consent of the members, the Company may permit the admission of additional members and the terms and conditions of their admission shall be as set forth in the Regulations of the Company.

ARTICLE VI

Members Rights to Continue Business

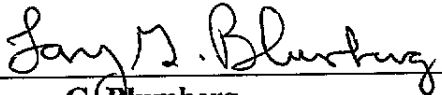
The remaining members of the Company have the right to continue the business on the death, retirement, resignation, expulsion, bankruptcy, or dissolution of a member or the occurrence of any other event which terminates the continued membership of a member in the Company. The business may be continued only on the unanimous written consent of the remaining members.

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In accordance with section 608.408(3), Florida Statutes, the execution of this affidavit constitutes an affirmation under the penalties of perjury that the facts stated herein are true.



Larry G. Blumberg
Member

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CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION
OF
REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISION OF SECTION 608.415 OR 608.507, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT TO DESIGNATE A REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. The name of the limited liability company is:

Residence Inn - Lakeland, L.L.C.

2. The name and the Florida street address of the registered agent are:

CT CORPORATION SYSTEM

NAME

1200 S. Pine Island Road

Florida street address (P.O. Box **NOT** Acceptable)

Plantation, Florida 33324

City, State and Zip

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Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated limited liability company at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Dale W. Morris
Signature

DALE W. MORRIS
ASSISTANT SECRETARY