# 

Attorney at Law

901 N. Hercules Ave., Ste. D Clearwater, FL 33765 Office (727) 298-8880 Fax (727) 298-8885

April 10, 2002

Secretary of State Division of Corporations PO Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

RE: DAVLEN, L.L.C.

Dear Sir/Madam:

I am enclosing herewith an original copy of Articles of Organization for the above-named limited liability company along with a check in the sum of \$160.00 to cover the following:

 **900005292529--5** -04/18/02--01035--002

\*\*\*\*160.00 \*\*\*\*160.00

Please file the original of the enclosed Articles of Organization and send confirmation to the undersigned.

Your prompt attention to this matter would be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

George G. Pappas

Attorney

WAZ-1497

AUTHO PUPPAS

CAVE

CORRE

HE address

DOC EVAN M

DOC. EXAM.

**Enclosures** 

My M

# ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF DAVLEN, L.L.C.

The undersigned certify that we have associated ourselves together for the purpose of becoming a limited liability company under the laws of the State of Florida, providing for the formation, rights, privileges, and immunities of limited liability companies for profit. We further declare that the following Articles shall serve as the Charter and authority for the conduct of business of the limited liability company.

# ARTICLE I: NAME AND PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

The name of the limited liability company shall be DAVLEN, L.L.C., and its principal office shall be located at 348 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue SW in the City of Largo, County of Pinellas, State of Florida, 33770, but it shall have the power and authority to establish branch offices at any other place or places as the members may designate.

# ARTICLE II: PURPOSES AND POWERS

In addition to the powers authorized by the laws of the State of Florida for limited liability companies, the general nature of the business or businesses to be transacted, and which the limited liability company is authorized to transact, shall be as follows:

1. To engage in any activity or business of sales and marketing of building materials, building and construction services; to purchase, construct, improve, develop lease, sell real property; to manufacture, import, distribute, purchase, sell or otherwise market crafts and decorating products and/or materials; and all other legal and acts permitted under the Florida Statutes.

2. In general, to carry on any and all incidental business; to have and exercise all the powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida, and to do any and all things set forth in these Articles to the same extent as a natural person might or could do.

- 3. To purchase or otherwise acquire, undertake, carry on, improve, or develop, all or any of the business, good will, rights, assets, and liabilities of any person, firm, association, or corporation carrying on any kind of business of a similar nature to that which this limited liability company is authorized to carry on, pursuant to the provisions of these Articles; and to hold, utilize, and in any manner dispose of the rights and property so acquired.
- 4. To enter into and make all necessary contracts for its business with any person, entity, partnership, association, corporation, domestic or foreign, or of any domestic or foreign state, government, or governmental authority, or of any political or administrative subdivision, or department, and to perform and carry out, assign, cancel, or rescind any of such contracts.
- 5. To exercise all or any of the limited liability company powers, and to carry out all or any of the purposes, enumerated in these Articles and otherwise granted or

6. To do everything necessary, proper, advisable, or convenient for the accomplishment of any of the purposes, or the attainment of any of the objects, or the furtherance of any of the powers set forth in these Articles, either alone or in association with others incidental or pertaining to, or going out of, or connected with its business or powers, provided the same shall not be inconsistent with the laws of the State of Florida.

The several clauses contained in this statement of the general nature of the business or businesses to be transacted shall be construed as both purposes and powers of this limited liability company, and statements contained in each clause shall, except as otherwise expressed, be in no way limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other clause. They shall be regarded as independent purposes and powers.

Nothing contained in these Articles shall be deemed or construed as authorizing or permitting, or purporting to authorize or permit the limited liability company to carry on any business, exercise any power, or do any act which a limited liability company may not, under Florida laws, lawfully carry on, exercise, or do.

### ARTICLE III: EXERCISE OF POWERS

All limited liability company powers shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of this limited liability company shall be managed under the direction of, the members of this limited liability company. This Article may be amended from time to time in the regulations of the limited liability company by a unanimous vote of the members of the limited liability company.

# ARTICLE IV: MANAGEMENT

This limited liability company shall be managed by the members. The names and addresses of the persons who shall serve until the first annual meeting of members or until their successors are elected and qualified are as follows:

Leonard Bond, 348 11<sup>th</sup> Ave. SW, Largo, FL 33770 David Fleeman, 427 4<sup>th</sup> Ave. NE, Largo, Florida 33770 AND

# ARTICLE V: MEMBERSHIP RESTRICTIONS

Members shall have the right to admit new members by unanimous consent. Contributions required of new members shall be determined as of the time of admission to the limited liability company.

A member's interest in the limited liability company may not be sold or otherwise transferred except with unanimous written consent of all members.

On the death, retirement, resignation, expulsion, bankruptcy, or dissolution of a member, or the occurrence of any other event that terminates the continued membership of a member in the limited liability company, the remaining members shall have the right to continue the business on unanimous consent of the remaining members.

## ARTICLE VI: PROFITS AND LOSSES

(a) Profit Sharing. The members shall be entitled to the net profits arising from the operation of the limited liability company business that remain after the payment of the expenses of conducting the business of the limited liability company. Each member shall be entitled to the distributive share of the profits specified as follows:

Leonard Bond	40%
Carole Fleeman	40%
Robert Fleeman	10%
Hope Fleeman	5%
David Fleeman	5%

The distributive share of the profits shall be determined and paid to the members each consecutive year within 90 days following the close of the fiscal period of the limited liability company.

(b) Losses. All losses that occur in the operation of the limited liability company business shall be paid out of the capital of the limited liability company and the profits of the business, or, if these sources are insufficient to cover such losses, by the members in the following shares:

Leonard Bond	40%
Carole Fleeman	40%
Robert Fleeman	10%
Hope Fleeman	5%
David Fleeman	5%

ယ့

# ARTICLE VII: DURATION

This limited liability company shall exist until dissolved in a manner provided by law, or as provided in the regulations adopted by the members.

### ARTICLE VIII: INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The address of the initial registered office of the limited liability company is 901 N. Hercules Avenue, Suite D., City of Clearwater, County of Pinellas, State of Florida, and the name of the company's initial registered agent at that address is George G. Pappas.

The undersigned, being original members of the limited liability company, certify that this instrument constitutes the proposed Articles of Organization of DAVLEN, L.L.C.

Executed by the undersigned at Clearwater, Florida this \_\_\_\_ day of April 2002.

Leonard Bond

David Fleeman

### ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

T)

بې

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 as provided for in Chapter 608, F.S.

George G. Pappas