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## ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF:

## MERK FOUNDS, LLC.

## Document No. L09000101670

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 607.1006, Florida Statutes, this limited liability company adopts the following articles of amendment to its articles of organization:

FIRST:

Amendment(s) adopted: ARTICLE I - The name of the Limited

Liability Company is hereby changed to:

MERK FUNDS, LLC.

SECOND:

The date of the amendment's adoption is: January 19, 2010.

THIRD:

Adoption of Amendment(s)

X The amendment(s) were approved by the Managers/Members. The number of votes cast for the

amendment(s) was sufficient for approval.

Signed this W day of January, 2010.

Signature:

Jose E. Lorenzo

For: L & L Consultants and Investment C