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Aristar, Inc.

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**APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION TO FILE AMENDMENT TO
APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN
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SECTION I (1-3 must be completed)

1. Aristar, Inc.
Name of corporation as it appears within the records of the Department of State.

2. Incorporated under laws of: Delaware

3. Date authorized to do business in Florida: April 14, 1993

SECTION II (4-7 complete only the applicable changes)

4. If the amendment changes the name of the corporation, when was the change effected under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation?

Feb. 25, 2000

5. Name of corporation after the amendment, adding suffix "corporation," "company," "incorporated," or appropriate abbreviation, if not contained in new name of the corporation:

Washington Mutual Finance Corporation

6. If the amendment changes the period of duration, indicate new period of duration.

7. If the amendment changes the jurisdiction of incorporation, indicate new jurisdiction.

Beverly Thurston
Signature

Name and Title

Beverly Thurston, Assistant Secretary

March 9, 2000

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I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "ARISTAR, INC.", FILED A CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT, CHANGING ITS NAME TO "WASHINGTON MUTUAL FINANCE CORPORATION", THE TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, A.D. 2000, AT 11:30 O'CLOCK A.M.



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A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Edward J. Freel".

Edward J. Freel, Secretary of State

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