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ARTICLES OF MERGER BETWEEN LUCAS IMPORTS, INC. AND LUCAS INVESTMENTS, INC.

The following articles of merger are being submitted in accordance with Section 607,1105, Florida Statutes.

FIRST: The exact name, street address of its principal office, jurisdiction, and entity type for the merging party are as follows:

Name and Street Address

Lucas Investments, Inc.

1577 Wells Road

Orange Park, FL 32073-2311

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SECOND: The exact name, street address of its principal office, jurisdiction, and entity type of the surviving party are as follows:

Name and Street Address Jurisdiction Entity Type

Lucas Imports, Inc. Florida Corporation

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<u>THIRD</u>: The attached Plan of Merger meets the requirements of Section 607.1101, Florida Statutes, and was approved by each corporation that is a party to the merger in accordance with Chapter 607, Florida Statutes.

<u>FOURTH</u>: The attached Plan of Merger was approved by the requisite number of shareholders of each of the merging entity and the surviving entity in accordance with Chapter 607, Florida Statutes.

<u>FIFTH</u>: The merger shall become effective as of the date of the Articles of Merger are filed with Florida Department of State.

Prepared by Richard G. Boswinkle, Esq.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this document as of the 20th day of January, 1999.

LUCAS IMPORTS, INC.

LUCAS INVESTMENTS, INC.

Scott E. Boyles, President

Betty Lucas. President

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AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

Lucas Investments, Inc., a Florida corporation ("Investments") and Lucas Imports, Inc., a Florida corporation ("Survivor"), hereby adopt and enter into this Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated January 20, 1999, pursuant to Sections 607.1101 of the Florida Business Corporation Act, as follows:

- (a) The names of the merging corporations are Lucas Investments, Inc. and Lucas Imports, Inc. Investments shall merge with and into Survivor. Survivor shall survive the merger and its name shall be Lucas Investments, Inc.
- (b) The effective time and date of the merger (the "Effective Time") shall be the time when the Articles of Merger containing this Plan of Merger are accepted for filing with the Secretary of State of Florida.
 - (c) The general terms and conditions of the merger are as follows:

At the Effective Time, the separate existence of Investments shall cease and Survivor shall ultimately succeed, without other transfer, to all rights, privileges, immunities, powers, franchises, authority, and real and personal property of Investments. Survivor shall thereafter be responsible and liable for all obligations of Investments, and neither the rights of the creditors nor any liens on the property of Investments shall be impaired by the merger. As of the Effective Time, the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of Survivor in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time shall remain in effect after the Effective Time, provided, however, the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws shall be amended and restated to the extent necessary to reflect that the name of the surviving corporation shall be Lucas Investments, Inc.

(d) The manner and basis of converting the shares of each corporation shall be as follows:

At the Effective Time, by virtue of the merger and without any action on the part of Survivor, Investments or any holder of securities of Survivor or Investments, the shares of Investments stock that are issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time shall be cancelled and extinguished and cease to be outstanding. Each share of Survivor stock that is issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time shall remain issued and outstanding. No consideration shall be given in exchange for the shares of Investments,

- (f) The Boards of Directors of each corporation party to the merger may amend this Plan of Merger at any time prior to the filing of the Articles of Merger.
- (g) The sole sharcholder of each of Investments and Survivor have approved the merger in accordance with Section 607,1103, Florida Statutes.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this document on this 20th day of January, 1999.

LUCAS IMPORTS, INC.

LUCAS INVESTMENTS, INC.

Scott E. Boyles, President

Belty J. Lucas, President

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