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### ARTICLES OF MERGER

DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF AMERICA

INTO

LENNAR CORPORATION

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# ARTICLES OF MERGER Merger Sheet

**MERGING:** 

DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF AMERICA, a Florida corporation 469712

# INTO

LENNAR CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation, 823931

File date: September 11, 1997

Corporate Specialist: Annette Hogan

Account number: 072100000032 Account charged: 122.50



# FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Sandra B. Mortham Secretary of State

September 12, 1997

RESUBMIT

CSC 1201 Hays Street Tallahassee, FL 32301 Please give original submission date as file date.

SUBJECT: LENNAR CORPORATION

Ref. Number: 823931

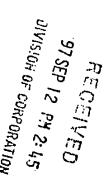
We have received your document for LENNAR CORPORATION and the authorization to debit your account in the amount of \$122.50. However, the document has not been filed and is being returned for the following:

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Annette Hogan Corporate Specialist

Letter Number: 497A00045403



# ARTICLES OF MERGER OF

#### **DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF AMERICA**

#### INTO

#### LENNAR CORPORATION



TO THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE STATE OF FLORIDA

Pursuant to Section 607.1101 of the Florida Business Corporation Act, the undersigned domestic and foreign Corporations adopt the following Articles of Merger for the purpose of merging them into one of such corporations.

- The names of the Merging Corporations and the States under the laws of which they are respectively
  organized are: Development Corporation of America, which business corporation is organized under
  the laws of the State of Florida; and Lennar Corporation, which is a business corporation organized
  under the laws of the State of Delaware.
- 2. The laws of the State of Florida under which such foreign Corporation is organized permits such a merger.
- The name of the Surviving Corporation is Lennar Corporation and it is to be governed by the laws of the State of Delaware.
- 4. The Plan of Merger, annexed hereto and made a part hereof, was approved by the Board of Directors of the undersigned Domestic Corporation in the manner prescribed by the Delaware General Corporation Act. THE DATE OF ADOPTION IS AUGUST 29, 1997.
- 5. The Plan of Merger, annexed hereto and made a part hereof, was approved by the Board of Directors of the undersigned Foreign Corporation in the manner prescribed by the Laws of the State of Florida.

  The date of adoption is August 29, 1997.
- 6. Shareholder approval of this merger was not required.
- 7. The Articles of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation shall remain unchanged.
- 8. The effective date of the merger shall be the date of the filing of the Articles of Merger.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties to these Articles of Merger have caused them to be duly executed by their respective authorized officers this \_\_\_\_\_\_ 29th \_\_\_\_ day of August, 1997.

**DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF AMERICA** 

By: Conv. I Boydston Vice President

Morris J. Watsky Assistant Secretary

Corporations\Mergers\DCAMerger\ #1\September 10, 1997

### LENNAR CORPORATION

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Cory J. Boydston, Vice Presiden

Attest:

Morris J. Watsky, Asst. Secretary

### STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF DADE

On this <u>29th</u> day of August, 1997, before me, a Notary Public, in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Cory J. Boydston and Morris J. Watsky, who acknowledged before me that they are the Vice President and Assistant Secretary, respectively of Development Corporation of America and that, as said officers, they executed the foregoing Articles of Merger of said Corporation as their act and deed and as the act and deed of said Corporation. They are personally known to me and did not take an oath.

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF DADE

On this 29th day of August, 1997, before me, a Notary Public, in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Cory J. Boydston and Morris J. Watsky, who acknowledged to me that they are the Vice President and Assistant Secretary, respectively, of Lennar Corporation, and that, as said officers, they executed the foregoing Articles of Merger of said corporation as their act and deed, and as the act and deed of said Corporation. They are personally known to me and did not take an oath.

Notary Public, State of Florida

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# PLAN OF MERGER

PLAN OF MERGER by Development Corporation of America (hereinafter referred to as the "Merging Corporation"), a business Corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, and by Lennar Corporation, which shall be the Surviving Corporation upon the effective date of the merger and which is sometimes hereinafter referred to as the "Surviving Corporation", and which shall continue to exist as said Surviving Corporation under the name "Lennar Corporation", pursuant to the provisions of the Delaware General Corporation Act. The separate existence of the Merging Corporation shall cease upon the effective date of the merger in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Delaware General Corporation Act and the applicable provisions of the Florida Business Corporation Act.

- 1. All outstanding shares of the Merging Corporation are owned and held by Lennar Corporation, a Delaware corporation (the "Sole Shareholder"). Upon the effective date of the merger, all outstanding shares of the Merging Corporation shall be extinguished, whether certificates representing such shares are surrendered for cancellation or not, and the shares of the Surviving Corporation shall continue to remain outstanding.
- 2. The Articles of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation as now in force and effect shall be the Articles of Incorporation of said Surviving Corporation and said Articles of Incorporation as herein amended and changed shall continue in full force and effect until further amended and changed in the manner prescribed by the provisions of the Delaware General Corporation Act.
- 3. The By-Laws of the Surviving Corporation upon the effective date of the merger in the State of Delaware shall be the By-Laws of said Surviving Corporation and shall continue in full force and effect until changed, altered or amended as therein provided and in the manner prescribed by the provisions of the Delaware General Corporation Act.
- 4. The directors and officers in office of the Surviving Corporation upon the effective date of the merger in the State of Delaware shall continue to be the members of the Board of Directors and the officers of the Surviving Corporation, all of whom shall hold their directorships and offices until the election and qualification of their respective successors or until their tenure is otherwise terminated in accordance with the By-Laws of the Surviving Corporation.
- 5. The Board of Directors and the proper officers of the "Merging Corporation" and of the "Surviving Corporation", and of the "Sole Shareholder", respectively, are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to do any and all acts and things, and to make, execute, deliver, file and/or record any and all instruments, papers and documents which shall be or become necessary, proper or convenient to carry out or put into effect any of the provisions of this Plan of Merger or the merger herein provided for.
- 6. For federal income tax purposes, it is intended that the Merger shall qualify as a liquidation within the meaning of Section 332 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF AMERICA, as the Merging Corporation.

y: Obouds Cory J. Boydston, Vice President

ttest:

Morris J. Watsky, Assistant Secretary

# **LENNAR CORPORATION**

By: Cory J. Boydston, Vice President

Attest: Morris J. Watsky, Asst. Secretary