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PROFIT CORPORATION APPLICATION BY FOREIGN PROFIT CORPORATION TO FILE AMENDMENT TO APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

(Pursuant to s. 607.1504, F.S.)

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I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF

DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT

COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF DOMESTICATION OF "VININGS INSURANCE

COMPANY", FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE SEVENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D.

2010, AT 1:13 O'CLOCK P.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATE OF DOMESTICATION IS THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D. 2010.

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OF

VININGS INSURANCE COMPANY

- 1. The name of the company, as set forth in the attached Certificate of Incorporation, is Vinings Insurance Company (the "Company").
- 2. The Company was originally incorporated in North Carolina on November 26, 1962. Articles of Domestication and Articles of Incorporation were filed with the South Carolina Secretary of State on May 24, 2004, which changed the name of the Company from "Tyvola Insurance Company" to "Vinings Insurance Company" and redomesticated the Company from North Carolina to South Carolina.
- 3. The principal place of business of the Company is 1441 Main Street, Suite 1500 Columbia, SC 29202.
- 4. The Company desires to redomesticate to the State of Delaware as a domiciled Delaware insurance corporation.
- 5. The proposed transfer of domicile and redomestication has been approved by the State of South Carolina and the State of Delaware.
- 6. The Company will formalize the redomestication by filing in Delaware this Certificate of Redomestication and the attached Certificate of Incorporation, as amended, with the necessary or appropriate provisions for a Delaware corporation.
- 7. This Certificate of Domestication will be filed, along with the attached Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation, with the South Carolina Insurance Department and the South Carolina Secretary of State's Office after it is approved by the Delaware Division of Corporations.
- 8. The effective date of this Certificate of Domestication shall be December 15, 2010.

(Signatures on Next Page)

Signed December 7, 2010

VININGS INSURANCE COMPANY

Name: Patrick J. Mitchell
Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

Attest:

By: Craig B. Bdwards
Title: Secretary



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A.D. 2010, AT 1:13 O'CLOCK P.M.

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CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF VININGS INSURANCE COMPANY

ARTICLE ONE Name

The name of the Company is Vinings Insurance Company (the "Company"). The Company's original state of incorporation is North Carolina. The company's original date of incorporation is November 26, 1962.

On May 24, 2004 the Company redomesticated from North Carolina to South Carolina

ARTICLE TWO Attached Documents

Attached hereto are copies of the following:

- 1. Articles of Restatement filed with the North Carolina Secretary of State on August 20, 2002.
- 2. Articles of Domestication and Incorporation of Vinings Insurance Company filed with the South Carolina Secretary of State on May 24, 2004.
- 3. Articles of Amendment filed with the South Carolina Secretary of State on June 10, 2010.

ARTICLE THREE Registered Office and Agent

The Company's registered office in the states of Delaware shall be located at 160 Greentrec Dr., Suite 101, Dover, Delaware, Kent County, 19904. Its registered agent and such address shall be National Registered Agents, Inc.

ARTICLE FOUR Incorporator

The name and address of the incorporator who will execute this Certificate of Incorporation is as follows

Craig R. Edwards 2410 Paces Ferry Road, Suite 300 Atlanta, Georgia, 30339

ARTICLE FIVE Effective Date

This Certificate of Incorporation is being filed with the Delaware Secretary of State on December 7, 2010 shall become effective on December 15, 2010.

(Signatures on following page)

VININGS INSURANCE COMPANY

INCORPORATOR:

OFFICERS:

Name: Patrick J. Mitchell

Title: President & Chief Executive Officer

Attest:

By: _____(
Name; Craig R. Edwards
Title: Secretary

ATTACHMENT 1



NORTH CAROLINA

Department of The Secretary of State

To all whom these presents shall come, Greetings:

I, ELAINE F. MARSHALL, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify the following and hereto attached to be a true copy of

ARTICLES OF RESTATEMENT

OF

TYVOLA INSURANCE CO.

the original of which is now on file and a matter of record in this office.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at the City of Raleigh, this 20th day of August, 2002

Secretary of State

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Elaine F. Marshall
North Carolina Secretary of State

State of North Carolina Department of the Secretary of State

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT AND RESTATEMENT FOR BUSINESS CORPORATION

Pursuant to §55-10-07 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned corporation hereby submits the following for the purpose of amending and restating its Articles of Incorporation.

- 1. The name of the corporation is: Tyvola Insurance Co.
- 2. The text of the Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation is attached hereto as Buhibit A.
- These Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation contain an amendment requiring shareholder approval, and shareholder approval was obtained as required by Chapter 55 of the North Carolina General Statutes.
- 4. These Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation do not contain an amendment providing for an exchange, reclassification and cancellation of issued shares.
- 5. These articles will be effective upon filing.

This the 6th day of August, 2002,

TYVOLA INSURANCE CO.

Name: Luther T. Moore

Title: Secretary

AMENDED AND RESTATED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

TYVOLA INSURANCE CO.

- 1. The name of the corporation is Tyvola insurance Co.
- 2. The corporation shall have the authority to issue shares of one class of \$2.00 per share par value capital stock designated as common stock (the "Common Stock"). The aggregate number of shares of the Common Stock which the corporation shall have authority to issue is 1,000,000. The shares of the Common Stock shall have unlimited voting rights and shall be entitled to receive the net assets of the corporation upon dissolution.
- 3. The address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 2801 W. Tyvola Road, Charlotte, Mecklenburg County, North Carolina 28217-4500 and the name of the initial registered agent at such address is Luther T. Moore,
- 4. The purpose for which the corporation is organized is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which corporations may be organized under Chapter 55 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, entitled "North Carolina Business Corporation Act", including, without limitation, any lawful act or activity that stock insurance companies can engage in under Chapter 58 of the General Statutes of North Carolina.
- 5. To the fullest extent permitted by the North Carolina Business Corporation Act, as the same exists or may hereafter be amended, no person who is serving or has served as a director of the corporation shall be personally liable to the corporation, its shareholders or otherwise for monetary damages for breach of duty as a director. No amendment or repeal of this Article, nor the adoption of any provision to these Articles of Incorporation inconsistent with this Article, shall eliminate or reduce the protection granted herein with respect to any matter that occurred prior to such amendment, repeal or adoption.



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R G. Box 24847 RALEIGH, N. G. 87611

JIM LONG

Company Services Group Pinancial Evaluation Styleton (916) 722-5622 Fac. (216) 715-7220

I, James E. Long, Commissioner of insurance in and for the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that I have examined the attached Amended and Restated Articles of incorporation of Tyvola insurance Co., a North Carolina corporation, and find the same in conformity with the laws pertaining thereto and do hereby approve the said Articles and certify the same to the Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at the city of Raleigh, this the 20th day of August, 2001.

Commissioner of insurance

Bv:

Kathy H. Sijkes Administrator

Corporate Records Unit Financial Analysis Section

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ATTACHMENT 2

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TYVOLA INSURANCE COMPANY

CONSTITUTING

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

VININGS INSURANCE COMPANY

Pursuant to <u>SC Code</u> §33-9-100, Tyvola Insurance Company (the "Corporation") redomesticates as a South Carolina corporation and certifies as follows:

- 1. The Corporation was incorporated in the State of North Carolina on November 26, 1962.
- 2. The name of the Corporation immediately before the filing of these Articles of Domestication was: Tyvola Insurance Company. The Corporation's name after the filing of these Articles of Domestication shall be: Vinings Insurance Company.
- 3. Within five business days after filing these Articles of Domestication, the Corporation shall file Articles of Dissolution or the equivalent in the State of North Carolina.
- 4. These Articles of Domestication do not contain a provision that would require action by one or more separate voting groups on a proposed amendment pursuant to <u>SC Code</u> §33-10-104.
- 5. The filling of these Articles of Domestication has been authorized by a majority of the votes cast by all shareholders entitled to vote on the proposal.

Pursuant to <u>SC Code</u> §33-9-100(a)(1), the Corporation includes the following information as part of its Articles of Incorporation:

- 1. The name of the Corporation is: Vinings Insurance Company.
- 2. The Corporation is authorized to issue 2,500,000 shares of common stock.
- 3 The Corporation's initial registered office is: c/o Nexson Pruot, 1441 Main Street, Suite 1500, Columbia, South Carolina, 29201. The Corporation's initial registered agent at such office is: Mark L. Bender.
- 4. These Articles of Domestication shall be effective upon filing and when effective shall constitute the Corporation's Articles of Incorporation.

EXECUTED: May 21, 2004

VININGS INSURANCE COMPANY	
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- I, Craig R. Edwards, do hereby certify that:
 - 1. I am the duly elected and authorized Secretary of Vinings Insurance Company, Inc.; and
 - 2. To the best of my knowledge, information and belief, the attached is a true and correct copy of the Resolution of the Sole Shareholder of Tyvola insurance Company executed on July 18, 2003 by then Assistant Secretary, James G. Leach.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and sealthle 12th day of January, 2005.

raig . Edwards, Secretary

ATTACHMENT 3

CERTIFIED TO BE A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY AS TAKEN FROM AND COMPARED WITH THE ORIGINAL ON FILE IN THIS OFFICE

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA SECRETARY OF STATE

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT

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DateJune 8, 2010	Vinings Insurance Company Name of Corposition Signature Crake R. Edwards, Secretary
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FILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Two copies of this form, the original and either a duplicate original or a conformed copy, must by filed.
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AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

VININGS INSURANCE COMPANY

WHEREAS, in its Articles of Incorporation, the Corporation was authorized to issue two million five hundred thousand (2,500,000) shares of common stock. The Corporation desires to reduce the amount of authorized shares of common stock to ten thousand (10,000).

Pursuant Section 33-10-106 of the 1976 South Carolina Code of Laws, as amended, the undersigned corporation amends the following information as part of its Articles of Incorporation:

- 1. The name of the Corporation is Vinings Insurance Company.
- 2. The Corporation is authorized to issue 10,000 shares of common stock,
- The Corporation's registered office is: c/o 700 Gervals St., Ste 300, Columbia,
 SC 29201. The Corporation's registered agent at such office is Albert R.
 Pierce, Jr.
- These Amended Articles of Incorporation shall be effective upon filling.
 EXECUTED this 4th day of June, 2010.

VININGS INSURANCE COMPANY

Patrick J. Mitchell, President

I, Craig R. Edwards, do hereby certify that:

- 1. I am the duly elected and authorized Secretary of Vinings Insurance Company, Inc.; and
- To the best of my knowledge, information and belief, the attached is a true and correct copy of the Resolution of the Sole Shareholder of Vinings Insurance Company, Inc. executed on June 4, 2010 by its President, Patrick J. Mitchell.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 4th day of June, 2010.

Craig R. Edwards, Secretary

UNANIMOUS WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE SOLE SHAREHOLDER OF VININGS INSURANCE COMPANY

The undersigned (the "Shareholder"), being the Sole Shareholder of Vinings insurance Company; a South Carolina stock company (the "Company"), hereby consents in writing to the adoption of the following resolutions:

WHEREAS, the Shareholder owns all issued and outstanding capital stock of the Company; and

WHEREAS, the Company desires to decrease the number of authorized shares from two million five hundred thousand (2,500,000), to ten thousand (10,000), par value \$500.00; and

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Sole Shareholder of the Company has executed this written consent as of this 4th day of June, 2010,

Bullders insurance Group, Inc.

By:

Patrick J. Mitchell

President and Chief Operating Officer

Attest

By:

Creig Edwards, Secretary