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Of Counsel Mary E. Lytle, P.A.

December 27, 2001

Secretary of State Division of Corporations Post Office Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

RE:

TAOS PROPERTIES, LLLP

Reference Number:

W01000027174

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed for filing is the original and one copy of the proposed Certificate of Limited Partnership for the above named limited partnership, Affidavit of Capital Contribution, Statement of Qualification as a LLLP; and Acceptance of Registered Agent. Also enclosed is a copy of your letter dated December 13, 2001 notifying us that the name "ERNST Family Partnership, LLLP" was unavailable.

After these documents have been filed, please return a certified copy to the undersigned at the post office box noted above. If you have any questions concerning the foregoing, please call.

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Enclosures

cc: TAOS PROPERTIES, LLLP (w/o enc)

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CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP OF

TAOS PROPERTIES, LLLP

The undersigned, desiring to form a limited partnership in accordance with the Florida Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act and being duly sworn does certify as follows:

1. The name of the limited partnership is:

TAOS PROPERTIES, LLLP

2. The business address of the limited partnership is:

600 North Ocean Boulevard, Deerfield Beach, Florida 33441

3. The name of the Registered Agent of the limited partnership is:

Gerald E. Schmidt

4. The Florida street address of the Registered Agent for Service of Process is:

600 North Ocean Boulevard, Deerfield Beach, Florida 33441

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- 5. By signing here I agree to accept designation as Registered Agent for Service of Process.
- 6. The mailing address of the limited partnership is:

600 North Ocean Boulevard, Deerfield Beach, Florida 33441

7. The latest date upon which the limited partnership is to be dissolved is:

December 31, 2031.

8. Names and addresses of the general partners:

Gerald E. Schmidt, Co-Trustee Rebecca W. Schmidt, Co-Trustee 600 North Ocean Boulevard, Deerfield Beach, Florida 33441

Under penalties of perjury we declare that we have read the foregoing and know the contents thereof and the facts stated herein are true and correct.

GENERAL PARTNERS:

GERALD E. SCHMIDT NOVEMBER 8, 2001 TRUST

By Serald E. SCHMIDT, CO-TRUSTEE

REBECCA W. SCHMIDT, CO-TRUSTEE

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REBECCA W. SCHMIDT, CO-TRUSTEE

GERALD E. SCHMIDT, CO-TRUSTEE

By

r, co-trustee

AFFIDAVIT OF CAPITAL CONTRIBUTION

The undersigned, being the co-trustees of the GERALD E. SCHMIDT NOVEMBER 8, 2001 TRUST, which is one of the General Partner of the 1 TAOS PROPERTIES, LLLP

a Florida limited liability limited partnership, hereby certify that the limited partners of the Partnership will be contributing certain property to the Partnership, the value of which is Five Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$5,000.00). A total capital contribution of Ten Million Dollars and No/100 Dollars (\$10,000,000.00) is anticipated.

Signed this 8th day of November, 2001.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

Under the penalties of perjury we declare that we have read the foregoing and know the contents thereof and that the facts stated herein are true and correct.

GENERAL PARTNER:

GERALD E. SCHMIDT NOVEMBER 8, 2001 TRUST

GERALD E. SCHMIDT, CO-TRUSTEE

REBECCA W. SCHMIDT, CO-TRUSTEE

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