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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Division of Corporations

January 30, 2008

CHUCK HOWATH THE HOWARTH GROUP 137 THIRD AVENUE NORTH FRANKLIN, TN 37064

SUBJECT: HK & ASSOCIATES, INC.

Ref. Number: F02000006223

This will acknowledge receipt of your correspondence which is being returned for the following reason(s):

A foreign corporation which has changed its name, duration, jurisdiction, or purpose (nonprofit corporation only), should file an amended application. The amendment should be filed after the occurrence of such a change within 30 days for a not for profit corporation and within 90 days for a profit corporation. The form should be accompanied by an original certificate from the domicile state issued within the past 90 days evidencing the change and a filing fee of \$35.

We are enclosing the proper form(s) with instructions for your convenience.

The fee to file articles of amendment is \$35. Certified copies are optional and are \$8.75 for the first 8 pages of the document, and \$1 for each additional page, not to exceed \$52.50.

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| TO: Amendment Section Division of Corporations |
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| SUBJECT: THE HOWARTH GROATING. (Name of Corporation) |
| DOCUMENT NUMBER: Un known |
| The enclosed Amendment and fee are submitted for filing. |
| Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following: |
| Charles Howarth (Name of Contact Person) |
| The Howarth Group Inc. (Firm/Company) |
| 137 Third Avenue Mark |
| Fromklin TN 37064 (City/State and Zip Code) |
| For further information concerning this matter, please call: |
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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.)

| SECTION I (1-3 MUST BE COMPLETED) |
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| (Document number of corporation (if known) |
| 1. HK & ARSDCIATES INC (Name of corporation as it appears on the records of the Department of State) TO I |
| 2. TENNESSEE 3. 12/13/2, 3. 15 |
| (Incorporated under laws of) (Date authorized to do business in Florida) |
| 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? |
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| Name of corporation after the amendment, adding suffix "corporation," "company," or "incorporated," or appropriate abbreviation, if not contained in new name of the corporation) |
| M/A |
| (If new name is unavailable in Florida, enter alternate corporate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida) |
| 6. If the amendment changes the period of duration, indicate new period of duration. |
| WA (New duration) |
| 7. If the amendment changes the jurisdiction of incorporation, indicate new jurisdiction. (New jurisdiction) |
| 8. Attached is a certificate or document of similar import, evidencing the amendment, authenticated not more than 90 days prior to delivery of the application to the Department of State, by the Secretary of State or other official having custody of corporate records in the jurisdiction under the laws of which it is incorporated. |
| (Signature of a director, president or other officer - if in the hands of a receiver or other court appointed fiduciary, by that fiduciary) |
| CHARLES Haw ARTH (Typed or printed name of person signing) (Title of person signing) |

Secretary of State
Division of Business Services
312 Eighth Avenue North
6th Floor, William R. Snodgrass Tower
Nashville, Tennessee 37243

ISSUANCE DATE: 01/28/2008 REQUEST NUMBER: 08028501

CHARTER/QUALIFICATION DATE: 01/11/2002 STATUS: ACTIVE CORPORATE EXPIRATION DATE: PERPETUAL CONTROL NUMBER: 0420118 JURISDICTION: TENNESSEE

TO: THE HOWARTH GROUP, INC %CHUCK HOWARTH 137 THIRD AVE N FRANKLIN, TN 37064 REQUESTED BY:
THE HOWARTH GROUP, INC
%CHUCK HOWARTH
137 THIRD AVE N
FRANKLIN, TN 37064

I, RILEY C DARNELL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT

WAS INCORPORATED OR QUALIFIED TO DO BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF TENNESSEE ON THE ABOVE DATE, AND THAT THE ATTACHED DOCUMENT(S) WAS/WERE FILED IN OFFICE ON THE DATE(S) AS BELOW INDICATED:

REFERENCE DATE FILED FILING TYPE FILING ACTION
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4391-0431 01/11/2002 CHART-PROFIT
5907-1724 12/29/2006 AMEND-CHARTER X

FOR: REQUEST FOR COPIES

ON DATE: 01/28/08

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TOTAL PAYMENT RECEIVED: \$80.00

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RILEY C. DARNELL SECRETARY OF STATE

SS-4458

Articles of Amendment to the Charter of HK & Associates, Inc.

2006 DEC 29 PH 3: 53

Pursuant to the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated § 48-20-106, the undersigned Corporation hereby submits the following Articles of Amendment to its Charter:

- 1. The name of the Corporation is HK & Associates, Inc.
- 2. The Corporation is a for profit Corporation.
- 3. The text of the amendment adopted is as follows:

The name of the Corporation is changed to:

The Howarth Group, Inc.

- The above amendment was duly adopted by the shareholders and directors of the Corporation by action by written consent of the shareholders and directors on December 21, 2006.
 - 5. These articles of Amendment shall be effective on January 1, 2007.

Dated December 29, 2006.

HK & Associates, Inc.

By: Title: