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COVER LETTER

TO:	Amendment Section Division of Corporations				
SUBJECT: South Pointe Financial Services, Inc. (Name of Surviving Corporation)					
The enclosed Articles of Merger and fee are submitted for filing.					
Please	e return all correspondence concerning this matter	to following:			
Augustine O. Igwe (Contact Person)					
North	Pointe Financial Services, Inc. (Firm/Company)				
28819	9 Franklin Road (Address)				
Southfi	field, MI 48034 (City/State and Zip Code)				
For further information concerning this matter, please call:					
Augus	Stine O. Igwe (Name of Contact Person)	t (248) 358-1171 (Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)			
Certified copy (optional) \$8.75 (Please send an additional copy of your document if a certified copy is requested)					
	STREET ADDRESS: Amendment Section Division of Corporations Clifton Building 2661 Executive Center Circle Tallahassee, Florida 32301	MAILING ADDRESS: Amendment Section Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314			



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Division of Corporations

August 18, 2006

AUGUSTINE O. IGWE NORTH POINTE FINANCIAL SERVICES INC. 28819 FRANKLIN ROAD SOUTHFIELD, MI 48034

SUBJECT: SOUTH POINTE FINANCIAL SERVICS, INC. OF MICHIGAN

Ref. Number: F06000000936

We have received your document for SOUTH POINTE FINANCIAL SERVICS, INC. OF MICHIGAN and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The merger submitted was prepared in compliance with section 607.1109 Florida Statutes which provides for mergers between domestic corporations and other business entities as defined in section 607.1108, Florida Statutes. Pursuant to section 607.1108(7), Florida Statutes, any merger consisting solely of the merger of one or more domestic corporations with or into one or more foreign corporations shall be consummated solely in accordance with section 607.1107, Florida Statutes. Section 607.1107, Florida Statutes then refers you to section 607.1105, Florida Statutes. Enclosed is a merger form for your convenience.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6964.

Letter Number: 806A00051071

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ARTICLES OF MERGER

(Profit Corporations)

The following articles of merger are submitted in accordance with the Florida Business Corporation Act, pursuant to section 607.1105, Florida Statutes.

First: The name and jurisdiction of the su	rviving corporation:	
Name	Jurisdiction	Document Number (If known/ applicable)
South Pointe Financial Services, Inc.	Michigan	
Second: The name and jurisdiction of each	h merging corporation:	
Name	Jurisdiction	Document Number (If known/ applicable)
South Pointe Financial Services, Inc.	Michigan	
Home Pointe Managing General Agency, Inc.	Florida	OS AUG 24
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Third: The Plan of Merger is attached.		PH 4: 24
Fourth: The merger shall become effective Department of State.	re on the date the Articles of Mer	ger are filed with the Florida
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(Attach additional sheets if necessary)

Seventh: SIGNATURES FOR EACH CORPORATION

Name of Corporation	Signature of an Officer or Director	Typed or Printed Name of Individual & Title
South Pointe Financial Services, Inc. Home Pointe Managing General Agency, Inc.	J.A. B.	John H. Berry, Treasurer John H. Berry, Vice-President/Treasurer
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PLAN OF MERGER

(Merger of subsidiary corporation(s))

The following plan of merger is submitted in compliance with section 607.1104, Florida Statutes, and in accordance with the laws of any other applicable jurisdiction of incorporation.

The name and jurisdiction of the <u>parent</u> corporation owning at least 80 percent of the outstanding shares of each class of the subsidiary corporation:

Name	<u>Jurisdiction</u>
North Pointe Financial Services, Inc.	Michigan
The name and jurisdiction of each <u>subsidiary</u> corporation:	
Name	<u>Jurisdiction</u>
South Pointe Financial Services, Inc.	Michigan
Home Pointe Managing General Agency, Inc.	Florida
	

The manner and basis of converting the shares of the subsidiary or parent into shares, obligations, or other securities of the parent or any other corporation or, in whole or in part, into cash or other property, and the manner and basis of converting rights to acquire shares of each corporation into rights to acquire shares, obligations, and other securities of the surviving or any other corporation or, in whole or in part, into cash or other property are as follows:

Each share of Home Pointe Managing General Agency, Inc.'s outstanding on the effective date of the merger shall be cancelled, and each share of South Pointe Financial Services, Inc.'s capital stock issued and outstanding on the effective date of the merger shall remain issued and outstanding shares of stock of the surviving corporation.

(Attach additional sheets if necessary)

If the merger is between the parent and a subsidiary corporation and the parent is not the surviving corporation, a provision for the pro rata issuance of shares of the subsidiary to the holders of the shares of the parent corporation upon surrender of any certificates is as follows:

n/a

If applicable, shareholders of the subsidiary corporations, who, except for the applicability of section 607.1104, Florida Statutes, would be entitled to vote and who dissent from the merger pursuant to section 607.1321, Florida Statutes, may be entitled, if they comply with the provisions of chapter 607 regarding appraisal rights of dissenting shareholders, to be paid the fair value of their shares.

Other provisions relating to the merger are as follows:

Upon the effective date of the merger South Pointe Financial Services, Inc., shall have all the rights, privileges, immunities and powers and shall be subject to all of the duties and liabilities granted or imposed under applicable law with respect to the constituent companies.