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# ARTICLES OF MERGER

The following articles of merger are submitted in accordance with the Florida Business Corporation Act,

First: The name and jurisdiction of the surviving corporation: Document Number
(if known/applicable) Invisdiction Name Delaware Synagro Southeast, Inc. Second: The name and jurisdiction of each mergins corporation: Document Number (If lenowe/applicable) Jurisdiction Name: Please see attached Rider #1 Third: The Plan of Merger is attached. Fourth: The merger shall become effective on the date the Articles of Merger are filed with the Florida Department of State. OR 9 / 19 / 2005. (Enter a specific date. NOTE: An effective date cannot be prior to the date of filing or more than 90 days after exerger file date.) Fifth: Adoption of Merger by surviving corporation - (COMPLETE ONLY ONE STATEMENT)
The Plan of Merger was adopted by the shareholders of the surviving corporation on 9/16/2005

· (Attach additional sheets if necessary)

The Plan of Merger was adopted by the board of directors of the surviving corporation on and shareholder approval was not required.

Sixth: Adoption of Merger by merging corporation(s) (COMPLETE ONLY ONE STATEMENT)
The Plan of Merger was adopted by the shareholders of the merging corporation(s) on 9/16/2005

The Plan of Merger was adopted by the board of directors of the merging corporation(s) on and shareholder approval was not required.

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#### Name and Jurisdiction of Merging Corporations

Synagro of North Carolina – AMSCO, Inc.

Synagro of North Carolina – EWR, Inc.

Synagro of Florida – Ecosystems, Inc.

Synagro of Florida – Davis Water, Inc.

Synagro of Florida – Anti-Polintion, Inc.

Synagro of Florida – AdJ, Inc.

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Seventh: SIGNATURES FOR EACH CORPORATION

Name of Comporation	Signature of an Officer or Director	Typed or Printed Name of Individual & Title
Synagro Southeast, Inc.	1/1/1/	THOMPS J. BINTZ, VP
Synagro of Florida- A&J, Inc.	Malle	THOMPS S. BINTZ, UP
Aynages of Florida - Anti Policilos, tac.	all	THOMHS J. BILLTZ, VP
Synagro of Florida - Davis Whiter, Inc.	2/1///	THOMAS U. BINTZ VP
Synages of Florids - Scooystoms, Inc.	11/6	THOMAS J. BINTZ VP
Synagro of North Carolina - EWR, Inc.		THOMAS J. BINTZ VP
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#### AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

THIS AGREMMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER is entered into as of September 16, 2005, by Synagro Southeast, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Synagro Southeast," sometimes referred to herein as the "Surviving Comporation"), Synagro of Florida—A&J, Inc., a Florida corporation ("AAT"), Synagro of Florida—Anti-Pollution, Inc., a Florida corporation ("Anti-Pollution"), Synagro of Florida—Davis Water, Inc., a Florida corporation ("Davis Water"), Synagro of Florida—Ecosystems, Inc., a Florida corporation ("Ecosystems"), Synagro of North Carolina—EWR, a North Carolina corporation ("BWR"), and Synagro of North Carolina—AMSCO, Inc., a North Carolina corporation ("AMSCO"). A&J, Anti-Pollution, Davis Water, Ecosystems, EWR and AMSCO are sometimes collectively referred to herein as the "Companies."

WHEREAS, each of the Companies is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Synagro Southeast; and

WHEREAS, the Boards of Directors and shareholders of Synagro Southeast and the Companies deem it advisable and in the best interests of each of them that the Companies merge into Synagro Southeast (the "Merger") pursuant to the terms of this Agreement and Plan of Merger, and that Synagro Southeast be the surviving entity of such Merger.

NOW, THEREFORE, based on the foregoing premises, and in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, and for the purpose of setting forth the terms and conditions of the Marger, the parties hereto have agreed and do hereby agree as follows:

- 1. The Merger contemplated herein shall be effective at the time that the Centificate of Merger with respect to the Merger has been filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware or such other time as may be specified therein (the "Effective Time").
- 2. Upon the Effective Time, the Companies and Synagro Southeast shall, pursuant to the applicable provisions of the laws of their respective jurisdictions of incorporation, be merged with and into a single comporation, to wit, the Surviving Corporation, which Surviving Corporation shall continue to exist under its present name pursuant to the provisions of the laws of the State of Delaware. The separate existence of the Companies shall cease at the Effective Time, in accordance with the applicable provisions of the laws of their respective jurisdictions of incorporation.
- 3. At the Effective Time, the Surviving Corporation shall: (i) assume all of the liabilities and obligations of the Companies; (ii) sequire all of the rights, privileges, immunities, powers and purposes of the Companies; and (iii) sequire all of the property of the Companies, real and personal, without further act or deed.
- 4. The present Certificate of Incorporation of Synagro Southeast shall be the Certificate of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation and said Certificate of Incorporation shall continue in full force and effect until amended or changed in the manner prescribed by the provisions of the laws of the jurisdiction of incorporation of the Surviving Corporation.

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- 5. The present Bylaws of Synagro Southeast shall be the Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation and will continue in full force and effect until changed, altered or amended as therein provided and in the manner prescribed by the provisions of the laws of the jurisdiction of incorporation of the Surviving Corporation.
- 6. The directors and officers of Synagro Southeast immediately prior to the Effective Time shall be the directors and officers of the Surviving Corporation, all of whom shall hold their respective offices until their successors are elected or qualified, or until their tenure is otherwise terminated in accordance with the Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation.
- 7. Each share of each of the Companies issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time shall be cancelled without consideration. The issued and outstanding shares of the Surviving Corporation shall not be converted or exchanged in any manner, but each said share which is issued and outstanding at the Effective Time shall continue to represent one issued and outstanding share of the Surviving Corporation.

[signature page follows]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of the parties hereto has caused this Agreement to be executed as of the day and year first written above.

SYNAGRO SOUTHEAST, INC.,
a Delaware corporation
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Ву.
Name: THOMAS J BINTZ
Title: Vice President
SYNAGRO OF FLORIDA—A&J, INC.,
a Florida corporation
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By:
Name: THOMAS J RINTZ
Title: VICE PRESIDENT
SYNAGRO OF FLORIDA—ANTI-POLLUTION,
INC., a Fioride corporation
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Ву;
Name: THOMAS & BINT2
Title: Vine Possideur
SYNAGRO OF FLORIDA—DAVIS WATER, INC.,
a Florida corporation
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By:
Name: THOMAS J BINTS
Title: VICE PRESIDENT
SYNAGRO OF FLORIDA—ECOSYSTEMS, INC.,
a Florida corporation
By:
Name driver a Comment
Name: THOMPS & BINTZ
Title: VCE PRESIDENT

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a North Carolina corporation
Ву:
Name: THOMAS & BIATZ
Title: VICE PCSSINENT
SYNAGRO OF NORTH CAROLINA—AMSCO,
INC., a North Carolina corporation
By: 4/12
Name: THOMPS J BINTS
Title: VICE PRESIDENT

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