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#### VIA U.S. EXPRESS MAIL

Amendment Section Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

Re:

Name Change Amendment for Foreign (Georgia) Profit Corporation

Former Name:

Hoshizaki Florida Distribution Center, Inc.

New Name:

Hoshizaki Southeastern Distribution Center, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find for filing on behalf of Hoshizaki Southeastern Distribution Center, Inc. a completed Application by Foreign Profit Corporation to File Amendment to Application for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida, along with a certified copy of the corporation's Articles of Incorporation and Articles of Amendment filed with the Georgia Secretary of State's office evidencing the name change. I have also enclosed this Firm's check in the amount of \$35.00 in payment of the filing fee.

Please file this amendment documentation, and return a stamp-filed copy to me in the enclosed S.A.S.E. Thank you very much for your assistance, and feel free to call me with any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

Kristin L. Burns

for PAUL, HASTINGS, JANOFSKY & WALKER LLP

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#### VIA U.S. EXPRESS MAIL

Amendment Section Florida Department of State, Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

Re:

Re-submission of Returned Document

Name Change Amendment for Foreign (Georgia) Profit Corporation

Former Name:

Hoshizaki Florida Distribution Center, Inc.

New Name:

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ENVISION OF CORPORATIONS Hoshizaki Southeastern Distribution Center, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find a copy of your Division's letter regarding your return of the amendment documents and one original Application by Foreign Profit Corporation to File Amendment to Application for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida, signed by Mitsushiro Nomura, an officer of the corporation, for filing. Also enclosed for re-submission is the certified copy of the corporation's Articles of Incorporation and Articles of Amendment filed with the Georgia Secretary of State's office evidencing the name change. I submitted this Firm's check in the amount of \$35.00 in payment of the filing fee when I originally submitted this filing on November 14, 2000.

#### PAUL, HASTINGS, JANOFSKY & WALKER LLP

Florida Department of State Corporations Division December 21, 2000 Page 2

Please file this amendment documentation, and return a stamp-filed copy to me in the enclosed S.A.S.E. Thank you very much for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Kristin L. Burns

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#### FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

December 4, 2000

PAUL HASTINGS ETAL ATTN: KRISTIN BURNS 600 PEACHTREE ST., NE STE 2400 ATLANTA, GA 30308-2222

SUBJECT: HOSHIZAKI FLORIDA DISTRIBUTION CENTER, INC.

Ref. Number: F99000003247

We have received your document for HOSHIZAKI FLORIDA DISTRIBUTION CENTER, INC. and check(s) totaling \$150.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned to you for the following reason(s):

The document must be signed by the chairman, any vice chairman of the board of directors, its president, or another of its officers.

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) 487-6908.

Anna Chesnut Corporate Specialist

Letter Number: 900A00061250

# 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)

i	Hoshizaki Florida Distribution Center, Inc.	
• •	Name of corporation as it appears on the records of the Department of State.	
2	Georgia  Incorporated under laws of  3. Obj 23/1999  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 o	f
its	s jurisdiction of incorporation? July 17, 2000	÷
5. Na not	Hoshizaki Southeastern Distribution Center, Inc.  ame of corporation after the amendment, adding suffix "corporation" "company" or "incorporated," or appropriate abbrevet contained in new name of the corporation.	viation, if
6. If	the amendment changes the period of duration, indicate new period of duration.	
	n/a ARE DEC 2	
7. If	New Duration  State 27  The amendment changes the jurisdiction of incorporation, indicate new jurisdiction.  1/2  1/2  1/2  New Duration  State 27  Fig. 4  New Jurisdiction  State 27  Fig. 4  New Jurisdiction	
	Signature 12-18-00 Date	<u>.</u>
	MITSUHIRO NOMURA TREASURER Title	<u>.</u> .

## Secretary of State

Corporations Division 315 West Tower #2 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr. Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530 DOCKET NUMBER : 003160063

CONTROL NUMBER : K922403

DATE INC/AUTH/FILED: 05/28/1999

JURISDICTION : GEORGIA

PRINT DATE : 11/11/2000

FORM NUMBER : 215

PAUL HASTINGS JANOFSKY & WALKER KRISTIN BURNS 600 PEACHTREE ST NE STE 2400 ATLANTA, GA 30308

#### CERTIFIED COPY

I, Cathy Cox, the Secretary of State of the State of Georgia, do hereby certify under the seal of my office that the attached documents are true and correct copies of documents filed under the name of

## HOSHIZAKI SOUTHEASTERN DISTRIBUTION CENTER, INC. A DOMESTIC PROFIT CORPORATION

Said entity was formed in the jurisdiction set forth above and has filed in the Office of Secretary of State on the date set forth above its certificate of limited partnership, articles of incorporation, articles of association, articles of organization or application for certificate of authority to transact business in Georgia.

This certificate is issued pursuant to Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated and is prima-facie evidence of the existence or nonexistence of the facts stated herein.



Cathy Cox Secretary of State

## **Secretary of State**

Corporations Division 315 West Tower #2 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr. Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530

DOCKET NUMBER : 001990966 CONTROL NUMBER: K922403 EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/17/2000

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PRINT DATE : 08/01/2000

FORM NUMBER : 611

PAUL HASTINGS JANOFSKY & WALKER KRISTIN L. BURNS 600 PEACHTREE ST., #2400 ATLANTA, GA 303082222

## CERTIFICATE OF NAME CHANGE AMENDMENT

I, Cathy Cox, the Secretary of State and the Corporations Commissioner of the State of Georgia, do hereby certify under the seal of my office that

### HOSHIZAKI FLORIDA DISTRIBUTION CENTER, INC. A DOMESTIC PROFIT CORPORATION

has filed articles of amendment in the Office of the Secretary of State changing

## HOSHIZAKI SOUTHEASTERN DISTRIBUTION CENTER, INC.

and has paid the required fees as provided by Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated. Attached hereto is a true and correct copy of said

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the City of Atlanta and the State of Georgia on the date set forth above.

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Cathy Cox Secretary of State

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# ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF HOSHIZAKI FLORIDA DISTRIBUTION CENTER, INC.

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1.

The name of the corporation is "HOSHIZAKI FLORIDA DISTRIBUTION CENTER, INC.".

2.

The Articles of Incorporation of the corporation are amended by striking the existing Article I in its entirety and inserting in lieu and instead thereof the following:

"The name of the corporation is: Hoshizaki Southeastern Distribution Center, Inc."

3.

The foregoing amendment of the Articles of Incorporation of the corporation was duly adopted by the Board of Directors of the corporation as of June 30, 2000 and recommended to the shareholders of the corporation. The above amendment was adopted by the shareholders of the corporation as of June 30, 2000 in accordance with the provisions of O.C.G.A. § 14-2-1003.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Hoshizaki America, Inc. has caused these Articles of Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation of the corporation to be executed by its duly authorized officer, as of the <u>3011</u> day of June, 2000.

HOSHIZAKI AMERICA, INC.

By: TOSW Was

Title: PRESIDENT

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# CERTIFICATE REGARDING REQUEST FOR PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF CHANGE OF CORPORATE NAME

The undersigned hereby certifies that a request for publication of a Notice of Change of Corporation Name for Hoshizaki Florida Distribution Center, Inc., has been made in the appropriate newspaper in the county of the registered office of the Corporation and payment therefore has been made as required by Section 14-2-1006.1 of the Georgia Business Corporation Code.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has duly executed this Certificate as of this  $24^{\prime\prime\prime\prime\prime}$  day of July, 2000.

Misuhiro Nomura

Treasurer

## **Secretary of State**

Corporations Division
315 West Tower
#2 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr.
Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530

CONTROL NUMBER: K922403
EFFECTIVE DATE: 05/28/1999
COUNTY : FULTON
REFERENCE : 0045

PRINT DATE : 06/01/1999

FORM NUMBER : 311

SARAH K. KEECH
PAUL, HASTINGS, JANOFSKY & WALKER LLP
600 PEACHTREE ST., STE. 2400
ATLANTA, GA 30308

#### CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

I, Cathy Cox, the Secretary of State and the Corporations Commissioner of the State of Georgia, do hereby certify under the seal of my office that

## HOSHIZAKI FLORIDA DISTRIBUTION CENTER, INC. A DOMESTIC PROFIT CORPORATION

has been duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Georgia on the effective date stated above by the filing of articles of incorporation in the Office of the Secretary of State and by the paying of fees as provided by Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the City of Atlanta and the State of Georgia on the date set forth above.



Cathy Cox

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF HOSHIZAKI FLORIDA DISTRIBUTION CENTER, INC.

#### ARTICLE I

The name of the Corporation is "Hoshizaki Florida Distribution Center, Inc."

#### ARTICLE II

The Corporation shall have authority to issue not more than 8,000,000 shares of no par value capital stock, all of which shall be of the same class and designated the "Common Stock."

#### ARTICLE III

The street address and county of the initial registered office of the Corporation is:

Paul, Hastings, Janofsky & Walker LLP 600 Peachtree Street, N.E. Suite 2400 Atlanta, GA 30308 Fulton County

The initial registered agent of the Corporation at such address is Sarah K. Keech.

#### ARTICLE IV

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Sarah K. Keech Paul, Hastings, Janofsky & Walker, LLP 600 Peachtree Street, N.E. Suite 2400 Atlanta, GA 30308

#### ARTICLE V

The mailing address of the initial principal office of the Corporation is:

5589 Commonwealth Avenue Jacksonville, FL 32254

#### ARTICLE VI

The initial Board of Directors of the Corporation shall consist of four members whose names are as follows:

#### <u>Name</u>

Atsuya Torada Jack Antell Toshio Mase Mitsuhiro Nomura

#### ARTICLE VII

Pursuant to the Georgia Business Corporation Code, Section 14-2-704, any action required by the Georgia Business Corporation Code to be taken at a meeting of the shareholders and any action which may be taken at a meeting of the shareholders may be taken without a meeting if one or more written consents, setting forth the action so taken, shall be signed by persons who would be entitled to vote at a meeting shares having voting power to cast not less than the minimum number (or numbers, in the case of voting by groups) of votes that would be necessary to authorize or take such action at a meeting of shareholders at which all shares entitled to vote were present and voted, subject to the limitations and notice requirements of Section 14-2-704.

#### ARTICLE VIII

No director of the Corporation shall be personally liable to the corporation or its shareholders for monetary damages for any action taken, or any failure to take any action, as a director, provided that this provision shall eliminate or limit the liability of a director only to the extent permitted from time to time by the Georgia Business Corporation Code as amended from time to time, or any law governing such matters which replaces the Georgia Business Corporation Code.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation this \_\_ day of May, 1999.

Sarah K Keech

Incorporator

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CATHY COX Secretary of State

## OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE CORPORATIONS DIVISION

Suite 315, West Tower, 2 Martin Luther King Jr., Drive Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530 (404) 656-2817

Registered agent, officer, entity status information on the Internet http://www.sos.state.ga.us

ROBERT RAY, JR Assistant Secretary of State -Operations

> WARREN H. RARY Director

## TRANSMITTAL INFORMATION GEORGIA PROFIT OR NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS

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NOTICE TO APPLICANT, PRINT PLAINLY OR TYPE REMAINDER OF THIS FORM.			
1.	K91470087 Corporate Name Reservation Number		
-	Hoshizaki Florida Distribution Center, Inc. Corporate Name		
2	Sarah K. Keech  Applicant/Attomey Paul, Hastings, Janofsky & Walker LLP 600 Peachtree Street, Suite 2400		
	Address Atlanta GA 30308		
·	City State Zip Code		
3	I understand that the information on this form will be entered in the Secretary of State business registration database. I certify that a Notice of Incorporation or Notice of Intent to Incorporate with a publishing fee of \$40.00 has been or will be mailed or delivered to the authorized newspaper as required by law.  Mail or deliver to the Secretary of State, at the above address, the following:  1) This transmittal form 2) The original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation 3) A filling fee of \$60.00 payable to Secretary of State		
_	Authorized Signature 5/27/99  Date		
	FILING FEES ARE NON - REFUNDABLE FORM 227		