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#### **VIA AIRBORNE EXPRESS**

Florida Department of State Registration Section Division of Corporations 409 E. Gaines Street Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Re: Richards Properties, L.L.C., a limited liability company

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed is our check no. 149465 in the amount of \$160.00 to cover the cost of filing the following documents:

1. Articles of Organization of Richards Properties, L.L.C. (\$100.00)

2. Designation of Registered Agent/Registered Office (\$25.00)

3. Certified Copy (\$30.00) and

4. Certificate of Status (\$5.00)

Please file the Articles of Organization and Certificate of Designation and Tetura the certified copy of the Articles to me in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope. If you should have any questions or need further information, please feel free to contact me at 800/239-4999 Ext. 5079.

Your prompt response is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

LANGE, SIMPSON, ROBINSON & SOMERVILLE, LLP

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Joanna McMichael Legal Assistant

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# ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

#### **OF**

# RICHARDS PROPERTIES, L.L.C.

The undersigned, being all the members of Richards Properties, L.L.C., a limited liability company formed pursuant to Section 608 of the Florida Statutes, adopts the following Articles of Organization for such company:

## ARTICLEI

The name of the Company is Richards Properties, L.L.C.

# **ARTICLE II**

The location and street address of the principal office of the limited liability company is 6450 Highway 96, Fayette, Alabama 35555.

## **ARTICLE III**

The term of the Company shall be perpetual from the date of the filing of these Articles of Organization in the Divisions Office of the Secretary of State of Florida, provided, however, that the Company shall be dissolved (a) upon the written consent of the holders of the portion of the ownership interest of the Company specified in the Operating Agreement, as amended from time to time, (b) as provided in the Operating Agreement, as amended from time to time, or (c) as may be required by the Florida Statutes.

#### **ARTICLE IV**

The Company shall be managed by its members who are designated as the Managers, who are to serve until the first annual meeting of members or until their successors are elected and qualified:

<u>NAME</u>

<u>ADDRESS</u>

Jeffrey F. Richards

6450 Highway 96

Fayette, Alabama 35555

Deborah C. Richards

6450 Highway 96

Fayette, Alabama 35555

## ARTICLE V

The initial members shall have no right to admit additional members, except in accordance with the Operating Agreement, as amended from time to time.

#### ARTICLE VI

Upon the dissociation of a member of the Company or the occurrence of any other event which terminates the continued membership of a member in the Company under the Florida Statutes, the business of the Company shall not be continued and the Company shall be dissolved unless there is at least one remaining member of the Company, or if the holders of all financial rights, including a member's heirs, devisees, or personal representative agree in writing within 90 days of the occurrence of such terminating event to continue the legal existence of the Company and appoint one or more new members

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned hereby declare and certify that the facts stated herein are true and correct, and, for the purpose of forming a limited liability company pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida, they hereunto have signed these Articles of Organization as of the day forming and the second state of the second seco

Jeffrey F Richards

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Deborah C. Richards

This instrument prepared by: Stephen P. Leara, Esq Lange, Simpson, Robinson & Somerville LLP 417 20<sup>th</sup> Street North, Suite 1700 Birmingham, Alabama 35203 (205) 250-5000

# CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 608.415 or 608.507, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED LIMITED LIABILTY COMPANY SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT TO DESIGNATE A REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1.	The name of the limited liability company is RICHARDS PROPERTIES,	L.L.C.
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c/o CT Corporation System, 1200 South Pine Island Road	00	
Florida street address (P. O. Box not acceptable)	NNL	П
Plantation, Florida 33324	25	
City, State and Zip	3	Ü

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the stated limited liability company at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

CT CORPORATION

Signature

ALLAN FARNELL
ASSISTANT SECRETARY

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