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Re: RI-Lakeland, L.L.C.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find the original and one copy of the Articles of Amendment of Residence Inn-Lakeland, L.L.C. for filing with your office. I have also enclosed a check in the sum of \$25.00 for the filing fee.

I would appreciate if you would return to our office the copy stamped "filed" in the self-addressed stamped envelope that I have provided for your convenience.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Myra S. Shipes

Paralegal

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Enclosures: As stated

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ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT

OF

RESIDENCE INN-LAKELAND, L.L.C.

FIRST: The date of filing of the articles of organization was March 10, 2000.

SECOND: The following amendment(s) to the articles of organization was adopted by the limited liability company:

1. Article I of the Articles of Organization of the Company is hereby amended to read as follows:

ARTICLE I

The name of the Limited Liability Company is RI-Lakeland, L.L.C.

Dated: December 18, 2000.

Residence Inn-Lakeland, L.L.C.

Larry G. Blumberg

Its Manager