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CORPORATION  
COMPANY

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ACCOUNT NO. : 072100000032

REFERENCE : 872665 7228676

AUTHORIZATION : *Patricia Pigute*

COST LIMIT : \$ 125.00

ORDER DATE : October 23, 2000

ORDER TIME : 11:13 AM

ORDER NO. : 872665-005

CUSTOMER NO: 7228676

CUSTOMER: Mr. Ralph Deponte  
Mr. Ralph Deponte

3126 Nw 67th Court

Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309

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NAME: R & M WHOLESALERS LLC

EFFECTIVE DATE:

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XX ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

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# ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION FOR FLORIDA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

## ARTICLE I - Name:

The name of the Limited Liability Company is:

R & M WHOLESALERS LLC

## ARTICLE II - Address:

The mailing address and street address of the principal office of the Limited Liability Company is:

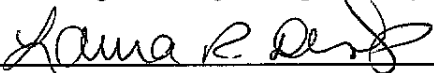
3126 Northwest 67th Court, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309

## ARTICLE III - Registered Agent, Registered Office, & Registered Agent's Signature:

The name and the Florida street address of the registered agent are:

Corporation Service Company
Name
1201 Hays Street
Florida street address (P.O. Box <u>NOT</u> acceptable)
Tallahassee FL 32301
City, State, and Zip

*Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above 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 as provided for in Chapter 608, F.S..*

  
Registered Agent's Signature

## Article IV - Management (Check box if applicable.)

☐ The Limited Liability Company is to be managed by one manager or more managers and is, therefore, a manager - managed company.

(An additional article must be added if an effective date is requested)

  
Signature of a member or an authorized representative of a member.

(In accordance with section 608.408(3), Florida Statutes, the execution of this document constitutes an affirmation under the penalties of perjury that the facts stated herein are true.)

Laura R. Dunlap  
Typed or printed name of signer

### FILING FEES:

\$ 100.00 Filing Fee for Articles of Organization  
\$ 25.00 Designation of Registered Agent  
\$ 30.00 Certified Copy (OPTIONAL)  
\$ 5.00 Certificate of Status (OPTIONAL)

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MEMBERS OF R & M WHOLESALERS LLC

Ralph DePonte                      3126 Northwest 67th Court  
Member                              Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309

Mark DePonte                      375 Norwich-Salem Turnpike  
Member                              Oakdale, Connecticut 06370

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## LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY


The undersigned hereby designates Corporation Service Company ("CSC"), a Delaware corporation qualified to do business in the State of Florida, as its attorney-in-fact for the limited purpose of executing on behalf of the undersigned the original Articles of Organization of R & M WHOLESALERS LLC (the "LLC"), a Florida limited liability company, for the further purpose of filing such Articles of Organization with the State of Florida Department of State, and for no other purpose. The power granted hereby shall be exercisable and effective upon execution of the Limited Power of Attorney by the undersigned and upon delivery of the original or a copy thereof by facsimile or other means to CSC. This grant of power shall be revoked immediately after the filing of the Articles of Organization of the LLC with the State of Florida Department of State. All parties who review the original or a copy of this Limited Power of Attorney may rely upon it and the exercise of the limited power granted herein without making further inquiry as to the matters described herein or the authority of CSC to act hereunder.

This Limited Power of Attorney is executed on this                      day of November 3 - 2000

  
Signature

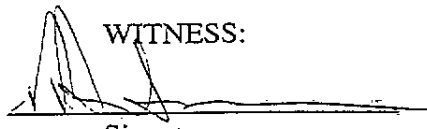
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Print Name of Signer

WITNESS:

  
Signature

Candace R. Carman  
Print Name of Witness

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ANDERSON, ANTONETE  
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