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JAMES R. MEYER

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Re: NORMAN INVESTMENTS, LLC: ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Enclosed for filing are the original and one copy of the Articles of Organization of Norman Investments, LLC. A check in the amount of \$125.00 for associated fees is enclosed.

Please file the Articles of Organization appropriately and return the certified copy to this office at the above-listed Post Office address.

Thank you for your assistance in this regard. Should you require additional information please contact this office at the above-listed telephone number.

Sincerely,

James R. Meyer

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ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

OF

NORMAN INVESTMENTS, LLC

These Articles of Organization are made for the purpose of organizing a Florida Limited Liability company under the Florida Limited Liability Company Act (Florida Statutes Chapter 608).

- 1. Name. The name of this limited liability company is Norman Investments, LLC ("Company").
- 2. <u>Duration</u>. The Company shall exist from the date of filing these Articles with the Department of State until the occurrence of any of the events specified in Florida Statutes Section 608.411, unless continued by the unanimous consent of all of the remaining members.
- 3. <u>Mailing Address and Street Address</u>. The Company's mailing address is Post Office Box 6688, Lakeland, Florida 33807. The Company's street address is 3517 Century Boulevard, Lakeland, Florida 33811.
- 4. Registered Agent and Office. The name of the initial registered agent of the Company is James R. Meyer, Esquire. The street address of the initial registered agent of the company is 225 South Central Avenue, Bartow, Florida 33830.
- 5. <u>Additional Members</u>. Additional members to the Company may be admitted, but only if all the current members agree to the admission of the additional members and to the terms of admission.
- 6. <u>Termination of Membership</u>. If a member of the Company dies, retires, resigns, is expelled, is dissolved, experiences bankruptcy, or upon the occurrence of any other event which terminates the continued membership of a member in the Company, the remaining members may, by unanimous written agreement, continue the business of the Company.
- 7. <u>Management of the Company</u>. The management of the limited liability company is reserved to the members. The following persons will initially be the managing members:

Vincent Larry Norman 4737 Highlands Place Circle Lakeland, Florida 33813 Stuart Andrew Norman 1014 Cumberland Street Lakeland, Florida 33801

8. <u>Regulations</u>. The members shall have the power to adopt, alter, amend, or repeal regulations of the Company containing provisions for the regulation and management of the affairs of the Company.

9. Date of Existence of the Company. The existence of the Company shall commence on the date of filing the Articles of Organization by the Florida Department of State.

The undersigned, executed these Articles of Organization effective as of December _______, 2000.

Stuart Andrew Norman Managing member

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In compliance with Section 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

That NORMAN INVESTMENTS, LLC, desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at 3517 Century Boulevard, Lakeland, Florida 33811, Polk County, Florida 33830, has named James R. Meyer, Esquire, located at 225 South Central Avenue, Bartow, Polk County, Florida, 33830, as its agent to accept service of process within this state.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Having been named to accept service of process for NORMAN INVESTMENTS, LLC, at the place designated in this certificate, the undersigned, James R. Meyer, agrees to act in this capacity and agrees to comply with the provisions of Florida law relative to keeping the designated office open.

James R. Meyer Registered Agent

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