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NAME: LA TRATTORIA, LLC

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       ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
       CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP  
XX ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

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## ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF

### LA TRATTORIA, LLC

The undersigned certifies that we have associated ourselves together for the purposes of becoming a limited liability company under the laws of the State of Florida, providing for the formation, rights, privileges, and immunities of limited liability companies for profit. We further declare that the following Articles shall serve as the Charter and authority for the conduct of business of the limited liability company.

#### ARTICLE I

##### NAME AND PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

The name of the limited liability company shall be **LA TRATTORIA, LLC** and its principal office and mailing address are located at 7202 St. John's Way, University Park, Florida 34201, County of Sarasota, State of Florida, but it shall have the power of authority to establish branch offices at any other place or places as the members may designate.

#### ARTICLE II

##### INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

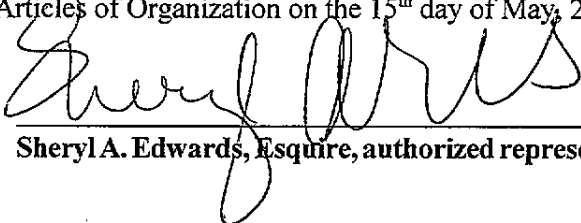
The address of the initial registered office of the limited liability company is 1800 Second Street, Suite 757, Sarasota, Florida 34236, County of Sarasota, State of Florida, and the name of the company's initial registered agent at that address is Sheryl A. Edwards, Esquire.

#### ARTICLE III

##### MANAGEMENT OF BUSINESS

The company will be member managed. The initial member/manager will be Mercainvest, LLC, 7202 St. John's Way, University Park, Florida 34201 until the first annual meeting of the members or until their successors are elected and qualified.

The undersigned, certifies that this instrument constitutes the Articles of Organization of **LA TRATTORIA, LLC** and has executed these Articles of Organization on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2001.

  
Sheryl A. Edwards, Esquire, authorized representative

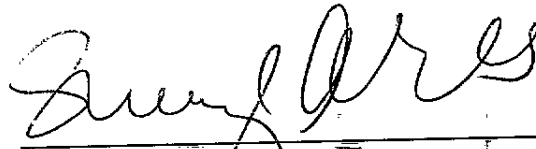
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**CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION AND ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT**

Having been named as Registered Agent and to accept service of process for **LA TRATTORIA, LLC** at the place designated in the Articles, 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.

5/15/2001

Date



Sheryl A. Edwards, Esquire  
Registered Agent

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