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#### ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

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#### PADD INDUSTRIES (U.S.) LLC

SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a limited liability company under the Florida Limited Liability Company Act, F.S. Chapter 608, hereby make, acknowledge, and file the following Articles of Organization.

#### ARTICLE I -- NAME

The name of the limited liability company shall be Padd Industries (U.S.) LLC ("company").

#### ARTICLE II - ADDRESS

The mailing address and street address of the principal office of the company is

20283 State Road 7, Suite 400 Boca Raton, Florida 33498

#### ARTICLE III -- DURATION

The company shall commence its existence on the date these articles of organization are filed by the Florida Department of State or on another effective date as specified. The company's existence shall be perpetual unless the company is dissolved as provided in these articles of organization or in the regulations.

#### ARTICLE IV -- REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The name and street address of the registered agent of the company in the state of Florida is

Ira J. Kurzban, Esq. 2650 S.W. 27<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 200 Miami, Florida 33133

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#### ARTICLE V - CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS

The members of the company shall contribute to the capital of the company the cash of reproperty set forth in Exhibit "A".

#### ARTICLE VI - ADDITIONAL CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS

Each member shall make additional capital contributions to the company only en the unanimous consent of all the members, or as provided in the regulations.

#### ARTICLE VII - ADMISSION OF NEW MEMBERS

Except as set forth in the regulations, no additional members shall be admitted to the company except with the unanimous written consent of all the members of the company and on such terms and conditions as shall be determined by all the members. A member may transfer his or her interest in the company as set forth in the regulations of the company, but the transferee shall have no right to participate in the management of the business and affairs of the company or become a member unless all members of the company other than the member proposing to dispose of his or her interest approve of the proposed transfer by written consent.

#### ARTICLE VIII -- MEMBERS' RIGHT TO CONTINUE BUSINESS

The company shall be dissolved on the death, bankruptcy, or dissolution of a member or manager, or on the occurrence of any other event that terminates the continued membership of a member in the company, unless the business of the company is continued by majority vote of all the remaining members.

#### ARTICLE IX - MANAGEMENT

The Limited Liability Company is to be managed by one manager and is, therefore, a manager-managed company. The company shall be managed by a manager in accordance with regulations adopted by the members for the management of the business and affairs of the company. These regulations may contain any provisions for the regulation and management of the affairs of the company not inconsistent with law or these articles of organization. The name and address of the initial manager of the company is as follows:

AnthonyD.D. Pierce 20283 State Road 7, Suite 400, Boca Raton, Florida 33498

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned organizers have made and subscribed these articles of organization at Miami, Florida, on December 6, 2001.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this .6..day of December, 2001, by Amhony D.D. Pierce

Notary Public - State of Florida Yolanda Rodriguez de las Peñas

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# CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

Under the provisions of F.S. 608.414 or 608.507, Padd Industries (U.S.), LLC submits the following statement to designate a registered office and registered agent in the state of Florida:

- The name of the limited liability company is Padd Industries (U.S.), LLC
- The name and street address of the registered agent in Florida are:

Ira J. Kurzban, Esq. 2650 S.W. 27th Avenue, Suite 200 Miami, Florida 33133 SECRETARY OF STATE ALLAHASSEE, FLORID, 01 DEC 11

The undersigned, being the person named in the articles of organization of Padd Industries (U.S.), LLC as the registered agent of this limited liability company, hereby consents to accept service of process for the above-stated company at the place designated in the articles of organization, and accepts the appointment as registered agent and agrees to act in this capacity. The undersigned further agrees to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of his or her duties, and is familiar with and accepts the obligations of the position of registered agent.

Ira J Kurzban, Esq. Registered Agent

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