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Department of State Division of Corporations P O Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

> RE: Cresent Capital, L.L.C. Our File Number: L02-026

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Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check in the amount of \$78.75 for Filing Fee and Certificate.

If you should have any questions or concerns regarding the enclosed, please do not hesitate to contact me at 850 231 3465. Please mail to the attention of **Gerri Logan**.

FROM: FRANKLIN H. WATSON, P.A. 5365 E HIGHWAY 30-A, SUITE 105 SEAGROVE BEACH, FL 32459 PHONE: 850 231 3465

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February 28, 2002

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SUBJECT: CRESENT CAPITAL, L.L.C.

Ref. Number: W02000005880

We have received your document for CRESENT CAPITAL, L.L.C. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the document has not been filed and is being retained in this office for the following:

The fees to file a Florida Limited Liability Company or register a Foreign Limited Liability Company are as follows: \$100 filing fee; and \$25 registered agent designation fee. Please include an additional \$30 for each certified copy requested (optional) and \$5.00 for each certificate of status requested (optional).

There is a balance due of \$51.25.

Please return a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6967.

Michelle Hodges Document Specialist

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## ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION FOR CRESENT CAPITAL A FLORIDA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

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:

Cresent Capital, L.L.C. ("Company")

ARTICLE II - Address:

The mailing address and street address of the principal office of the Company shall be:

245 N Mill Road Atlanta, GA 30328

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

The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

FRANKLIN H. WATSON, P A 5365 E County Highway 30-A, Suite 105 Seagrove Beach, Florida 32459

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.

Registered Agent's Signature

**ARTICLE IV - Management:** 

The Limited Liability Company is to be managed by one manager or more managers, which may or may not be members, and is, therefore, a manager – managed company.

Signature of a member or authorized representative of a member.

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

The Company shall be managed by its Managers and Directors in accordance with the Operating Agreement ("Agreement") adopted by the members for the management of the business and affairs of the Company. The Agreement 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 names and addresses of the initial Managers and Directors of the Company is/are:

Managers:

James C. Buckle 245 N Mill Road Atlanta, GA 30328

James W. Buckle 245 N Mill Road Atlanta, GA 30328

Alesia Jane Buckle 245 N Mill Road Atlanta, GA 30328

The number of Managers may be increased or decreased from time to time by amendment to, or in the manner provided by the Company's Agreement.

#### ARTICLE V - Members

The names and addresses of the initial members of the Company is/are:

## James C. Buckle, James W. Buckle, Alesia Jane Buckle 245 N Mill Road, Atlanta, GA 30328

#### **ARTICLE VI – Duration:**

The Company shall commence its existence on the date these articles of organization are filed by the Florida Department of State. The Company's existence shall be perpetual unless the Company is earlier dissolved as provided in these articles of organization.

## **ARTICLE VII - Manager Liability:**

The Operating Manager(s) of the Company, shall not be liable to the Company or its members for monetary damages for an act or omission in the Operating Manager(s)'s capacity as Operating Manager(s), except as provided for in Chapter 608 of the Florida Statutes. Any repeal or amendment of this Article V by the members of the Company shall be prospective only and shall

not adversely affect any limitation on the liability of the Operating Manager(s) of the Company existing at the time of such repeal or amendment. In addition to the circumstances in which the Operating Manager(s) of the Company is/are not liable as set forth in the preceding sentences, the Operating Manager(s) shall not be liable to the fullest extent permitted by any provision of the Florida Statutes hereafter enacted that further limits the liability of the Operating Manager(s) or of a director of a corporation.

## **ARTICLE VIII - Admission of New Members:**

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 these Articles, the Agreement of the Company or Agreement Among Members, whichever is applicable 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 the other members of the Company other than the member proposing to dispose of his or her interest approve of the proposed transfer by unanimous written consent.

# ARTICLE IX - Members Rights to Continue Business:

The Company shall be dissolved on the death, bankruptcy, retirement, resignation, expulsion or dissolution of a member or Operating 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 the consent of all the remaining members or as otherwise provided for in the Operating Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals and acknowledge we are filing the foregoing Articles of Organization under the laws of the State of Florida this 13th day of February, 2002.

FRANKLIN H. WATSON, P.A.

Franklin H. Watson, President

### STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF WALTON

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 13th day of February, 2002, by Franklin H. Watson, as President, who is personally known to me.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 13th day of February, 2002.

Affix Seal

Becky A Burkhart-Smith My Commission DD061139 Expires September 30, 2005

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Name: Notary Public

My commission expires: