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Creative Restaurant Management Company

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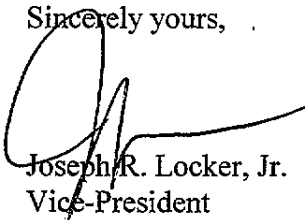
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Dear Sir or Madam:

Please file the enclosed Articles of Organization for Mel's-Tampa, L.L.C. and return to us with a Certificate of Status.

Sincerely yours,



Joseph R. Locker, Jr.  
Vice-President

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**ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF  
MEL'S-TAMPA, L.L.C.**

The undersigned member hereby certifies that the members have associated themselves together for the purpose 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 be the Charter and authority for the conduct of business of such limited liability company.

**ARTICLE I**

**NAME**

The name of the limited liability company shall be **MEL'S-TAMPA, L.L.C.**

**ARTICLE II**

**ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS**

The mailing address and street address of the principal office of this limited liability company shall be 2180 Immokalee Road, Suite 316, Naples, Florida 34110.

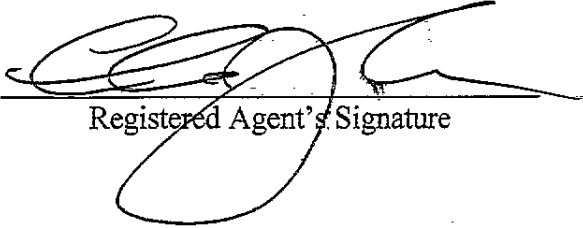
**ARTICLE III**

**DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED OFFICE AND  
REGISTERED AGENT**

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

Chris J. Karakosta  
2180 Immokalee Road, Suite 316  
Naples, Florida 34110

*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

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ARTICLE IV  
MANAGEMENT

This limited liability company is to be managed by one or more managers and is, therefore, a manager-managed company. The names and the addresses of the managing members are as follows:

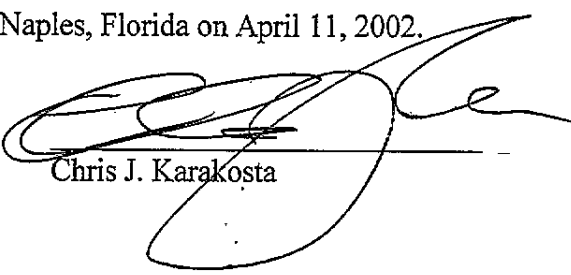
Chris J. Karakosta  
2180 Immokalee Road, Suite 316  
Naples, Florida, 34110

H. Otto Herder  
27141 Homewood Drive  
Bonita Springs, Florida 34135

ARTICLE V  
MEMBERS' RIGHT TO CONTINUE BUSINESS

Upon the death, retirement, resignation, expulsion, bankruptcy, or dissolution of a member, or the occurrence of any other event that terminates the continued membership of a member in the limited liability company, the remaining members shall have the right to continue the business upon the unanimous consent of such remaining members.

Executed by the undersigned member at Naples, Florida on April 11, 2002.

  
Chris J. Karakosta

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