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☐ Change of Registered Agent

☐ Dissolution/Withdrawal

☐ Merger

**OTHER FILINGS**

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**REGISTRATION/QUALIFICATION**

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**ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION  
OF  
DESOTO INVESTMENT GROUP, L.L.C.**

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

**ARTICLE I -- NAME**

The name of the limited liability company shall be **DESOTO INVESTMENT GROUP, L.L.C.** ("company").

**ARTICLE II -- ADDRESS**

The mailing address and street address of the principal office of the company is **Post Office Box 1808, Arcadia, Florida 34265, and 2885 SE Highway 70, Arcadia, Florida 34266.**

**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 earlier 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 **Eugene E. Waldron, Jr., 124 North Brevard Avenue, Arcadia, Florida 34266.**

**ARTICLE V - Management:**

The Limited Liability Company is to be managed by the members and the names and addresses of the managing members are:

**Walter S. Bethel  
8780 NW Bethel Farms Road  
Arcadia, Florida 34266**

W. J. Peacock, III  
Post Office Box 1808  
Arcadia, Florida 34265

Charles W. Harrison, Jr.  
5645 SE Taylor Avenue  
Arcadia, Florida 34266

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned organizer has made and subscribed these Articles of Organization at Arcadia, Florida, on April 25, 2003.



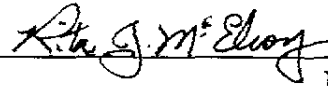
Walter S. Bethel

STATE OF FLORIDA:  
COUNTY OF DESOTO:

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2003, by Walter S. Bethel who is personally known to me or who produced \_\_\_\_\_ as identification.



Rita J McElroy  
My Commission DD080741  
Expires January 25, 2008



Notary Public

State of Florida at Large

My Commission No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF  
REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE**

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 608.415 OR 608.507, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE  
UNDERSIGNED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT TO  
DESIGNATE A REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is DESOTO INVESTMENT GROUP, L.L.C.
2. The name and the Florida street address of the registered agent are:

Eugene E. Waldron, Jr.

124 North Brevard Avenue

Arcadia, Florida 34266

*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.*

Eugene E. Waldron

Signature

**Filing Fee: \$ 35.00 for Designation of Registered Agent**