

# L03000025550

(Requestor's Name)

(Address)

(Address)

(City/State/Zip/Phone #)

☐ PICK-UP

☐ WAIT

☐ MAIL

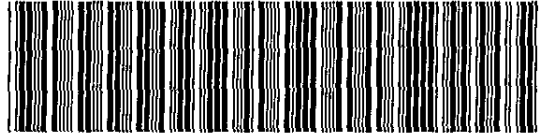
(Business Entity Name)

(Document Number)

Certified Copies \_\_\_\_\_ Certificates of Status \_\_\_\_\_

Special Instructions to Filing Officer:

Office Use Only



600021354366

RECEIVED  
03 JUL 14 AM 10:41  
STATE  
TALLAHASSEE  
FLORIDA

*Handwritten signature*

FILED  
03 JUL 14 PM 1:01  
STATE  
TALLAHASSEE  
FLORIDA



CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY™

ACCOUNT NO. : 072100000032

REFERENCE : 166888 7127284

AUTHORIZATION :

COST LIMIT : \$ 155.00

ORDER DATE : July 14, 2003

ORDER TIME : 9:43 AM

ORDER NO. : 166888-005

CUSTOMER NO: 7127284

CUSTOMER: Ms. Alison Miller  
Stutsman & Thames, P.a.

Suite 600  
121 West Forsyth Street  
Jacksonville, FL 32202

DOMESTIC FILING

NAME: STAR FUNDING, LLC

EFFECTIVE DATE:

       ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
       CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP  
XX        ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

PLEASE RETURN THE FOLLOWING AS PROOF OF FILING:

XX        CERTIFIED COPY  
              PLAIN STAMPED COPY  
              CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

CONTACT PERSON: Susie Knight - EXT. 1156

EXAMINER'S INITIALS: \_\_\_\_\_

FILED  
JUL 14 2003  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA  
PM 1:01

LAW OFFICES  
**STUTSMAN & THAMES**  
PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION  
121 WEST FORSYTH STREET, SUITE 600  
JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA 32202

NINA M. LAFLEUR  
BRADLEY R. MARKEY  
ALISON R. MILLER  
BRUCE E. STUTSMAN  
LORETTA Z. TALBERT  
RICHARD R. THAMES

TELEPHONE  
904-358-4000  
FACSIMILE  
904-358-4001  
800-SP-5 EXT. 102  
E-MAIL: ARMILLER@STUTSMAN-THAMES.COM  
JUL 14 PM 1:01  
FILED  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

July 11, 2003

Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
409 E. Gaines Street  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Re: Filing of Articles of Organization and Articles of Incorporation;  
Our File No.: 1281.2822

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Enclosed for filing are the original and one copy of the following documents:

- (i) Articles of Organization for Star Funding, LLC, including the Certificate Designating Registered Agent and Registered Office attached thereto;
- (ii) Articles of Incorporation for Star Music Retailers, Inc. I, including the Certificate Designating Registered Agent and Registered Office attached thereto;
- (iii) Articles of Incorporation for Star Music Retailers, Inc. II, including the Certificate Designating Registered Agent and Registered Office attached thereto;
- (iv) Articles of Incorporation for Star Music Retailers, Inc. III, including the Certificate Designating Registered Agent and Registered Office attached thereto; and
- (v) Articles of Incorporation for Star Music Retailers, Inc. IV, including the Certificate Designating Registered Agent and Registered Office attached thereto.

Accompanying the enclosed documents is a check from Corporation Services Company for the necessary filing fees.

We would appreciate your filing the original sets of Articles in accordance with the usual procedure, and your returning to this office a certified copy of each set of filed Articles.

Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
July 11, 2003  
Page 2

Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions concerning the enclosed items.  
Thank you very much for your assistance.

Sincerely,



Alison R. Miller

Enclosures

Hand Delivered By Representatives  
of Corporation Services Company

FILED  
03 JUL 14 PM 1:01  
STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

OF

STAR FUNDING, LLC

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the limited liability company is Star Funding, LLC (the "Company")

ARTICLE II - ADDRESS

The mailing address and street address of the principal office of the Company is 506 N. Spoonbill Drive, Sarasota, Florida 34236.

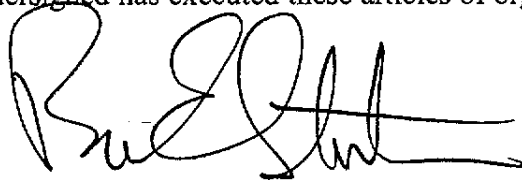
ARTICLE III - INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the Company is 121 West Forsyth Street, Suite 600, Jacksonville, Florida 32202, and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is the law firm of Stutsman & Thames, P.A.

ARTICLE IV - AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

The name and street address of the authorized representative to these Articles of Organization is Bruce E. Stutsman, c/o Stutsman & Thames, P.A., 121 W. Forsyth Street, Suite 600, Jacksonville, Florida 32202.

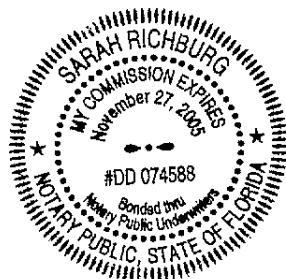
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these articles of organization this 11th day of July, 2003.

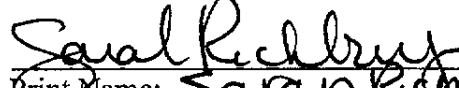


BRUCE E. STUTSMAN, Authorized Representative

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF DUVAL

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 11th day of July, 2003, by Bruce E. Stutsman, who (check one) is personally known to me and who did not take an oath.



  
Print Name: Sarah Richburg  
Notary Public, State of Florida at Large  
My commission expires: 11/27/05

**CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING REGISTERED AGENT  
AND REGISTERED OFFICE**

In compliance with Sections 48.091 and 608.415, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:


That Star Funding, LLC, desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal place of business at Sarasota, State of Florida, has named Stutsman & Thames, P.A., whose street address is 121 West Forsyth Street, Suite 600, Jacksonville, Florida 32202, as its agent to accept service of process within Florida.

  
Bruce E. Stutsman, Authorized Representative

Date: July 11, 2003

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, the undersigned hereby 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 the undersigned's duties, and is familiar with and accepts the obligations of the position as registered agent.

**STUTSMAN & THAMES, P.A.**

  
By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Bruce E. Stutsman, Chief Executive Officer

Date: July 11, 2003

FILED  
JUL 14 PM 1:02  
CLERK OF COURT  
JULY 14 2003  
STATE OF FLORIDA