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PRELL SAMUEL L. L (904) 353-4433 April 21, 1998

Florida Department of State Division of Corporations Corporate Records P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

> RE: Shinohara Tech USA, Inc.

Dear Sir/Madam:

I am enclosing an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation for the above-referenced corporation, together with their check in the amount of \$35.00, representing the filing fee.

Please date stamp the enclosed copy of the Articles of Amendment as soon as filed and return it to my attention.

If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersign

Sincerely,

SLL:cdw Enclosures

cc: Philip C. Jarrett

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-ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF SHINOHARA TECH USA, INC.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 607.1006 of the Florida Statutes, the undersigned President and Secretary of SHINOHARA TECH USA, INC., a corporation existing under the laws of the State of Florida, do hereby certify:

- (a) The name of this corporation is SHINOHARA TECH USA, INC.
- (b) The amendment adopted is an amendment to Article First of the Articles of Incorporation of this corporation changing the name of this corporation to Shinohara USA Inc.,

"FIRST: The name of this corporation is Shinohara USA Inc., Corporation of the corporatio

(c) This amendment was adopted by unanimous consent of the Directors of the Directors of the Corporation and by the shareholders on the 3rd day of April, 1998. The number of votes was by the shareholders in favor of the amendment was sufficient for approval.

SHINOHARA TECH USA, INC.

Mikio Shinohara, Presiden

TEST:

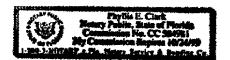
(Corporate Seal)

STATE OF FLORIDA .

COUNTY OF DUVAL

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgments in the state and county set forth above, personally appeared PHILIP C. JARRETT, JR. as Secretary of SHINOHARA TECH USA, INC. to me and known by me to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Amendment, and he acknowledged before me that he executed those Articles of Amendment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, in the place aforesaid, this 2041 day of April, 1998.



Notary Public-State of Florida

Printed Name: PHYLLIS E, CLAIZK

My Commission Expires: 10/24/99

My Commission Number is: CC 57 4 98 1