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February 24, 2004

Florida Department of State Division of Corporations Post office Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32324

Re: Formation of The Blackwood Group LLC

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed for filing are the original and a copy of the articles of organization for the referenced limited liability company together with the registered agent's acceptance.

Also enclosed is our firm check in the amount of \$130.00, covering the filing fees for the articles and the acceptance and the fee for furnishing a certificate of status of the limited liability company.

Please return a copy of the filed articles and the certificate of status to this office.

Very truly yours,

Judith L. Murray Legal Assistant

**Enclosures** 

# $\frac{\mathbf{ARTICLES\ OF\ ORGANIZATION}}{\mathbf{OF}}$ THE BLACKWOOD GROUP LLC

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SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE. FLORIDA

The undersigned, James J. Taylor Jr., who is the authorized representative of the below-identified limited liability company, and of the members thereof, 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 **The Blackwood Group LLC** ("the **Company**").

#### ARTICLE II -- ADDRESS

The mailing address of the Company is Post Office Box 712, Keystone Heights, Florida 32656, and the street address of the principal office of the Company is 245 NW Berea Avenue, Keystone Heights, Florida 32656.

#### **ARTICLE III -- DURATION**

The Company shall commence its existence of 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 dissolved as provided in these Articles of Organization or in the Company's operating agreement.

#### ARTICLE IV -- REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the Company's registered agent for service of process in the State of Florida is James J. Taylor Jr., 160 Magnolia Avenue, Keystone Heights, Florida 32656.

#### ARTICLE V -- COMPANY TO BE MANAGED BY MEMBERS

The Company shall be managed by its members in accordance with the operating agreement adopted by the members for the management of the business and affairs of the Company. The operating 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.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, James J. Taylor Jr., as authorized 26 AM 9: 39 representative of the Company and its members, has made and subscribed these Articles 26 AM 9: 39 of Organization at Keystone Heights, Florida, on February 21, 2004.

SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE. FLORID:

James J. Taylor Jr.

Sworn to and subscribed and acknowledged before me this 24 day of February, 2004, by James J. Taylor Jr. He is personally known to me.

Notary Public State of Florida

Judith L Murray

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#### ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

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SECRETARY OF STATE
TALL AHASSEE, FLORIDA
The undersigned, being the person named in the foregoing Articles of
zation of The Blackwood Group LLC ("the Company") and the state of Organization of The Blackwood Group LLC ("the Company"), as the registered agent of the Company, hereby consents to accept service of process for the Company at the place designated in the Articles of Organization, and 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 his duties, and is familiar with and accepts the obligations of the position of registered agent as provided for in Chapter 608, Florida Statutes.

> James J. Taylor Jr. Registered Agent