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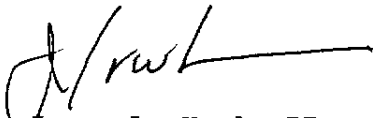
Re: Articles of Organization of Cost Cutting Initiatives,  
L.L.C.

To the Secretary of State:

We have enclosed for filing the Articles of Organization for the above referenced limited liability company together with the filing fee of \$125.00. Could you please acknowledge your receipt and filing of same by stamping the enclosed copy of the Articles of Organization and returning it to us at the following address: James Karl & Associates, 975 North Collier Boulevard, Marco Island, FL 34145.

As always, please call if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,



James L. Karl, II, Esq.  
For the Firm

JLK/rwh  
Enclosures  
cc: client



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Glenda E. Hood  
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March 10, 2004

JAMES L. KARL, II, ESQ.  
JAMES KARL & ASSOCIATES, P.A.  
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MARCO ISLAND, FL 34145

SUBJECT: COST CUTTING INITIATIVES, L.L.C.  
Ref. Number: W04000009669

We have received your document for COST CUTTING INITIATIVES, L.L.C. and your check(s) totaling \$125.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Section 608.407, Florida Statutes, requires the document(s) to be signed by a member or by the authorized representative of a member.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6967.

Michelle Hodges  
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The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a Florida Limited Liability Company, does hereby adopt the following Articles of Organization:

**ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF  
COST CUTTING INITIATIVES, L.L.C.**

**ARTICLE I.**

NAME: The name of the Limited Liability Company is: Cost Cutting Initiatives, L.L.C.

**ARTICLE II.**


PRINCIPAL OFFICE: The principal office of this Limited Liability Company is: 358 Edgemere Way North, Naples, Florida 34105.

MAILING ADDRESS: The mailing address of this Limited Liability Company is: c/o James Karl & Associates, 975 North Collier Boulevard, Marco Island, Florida 34145.

**ARTICLE III.**

ADDRESS AND REGISTERED AGENT: The street address of the initial registered office of the limited liability company is: 975 North Collier Boulevard, Marco Island, Florida 34145, and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is: Robin Maretta.

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated limited liability company at the place designated in the Articles of Organization, 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 obligation of my position as registered agent as provided for in Chapter 608, Florida Statutes.

  
Robin Maretta,  
Registered Agent

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**ARTICLE IV.**

MANAGEMENT: The limited liability company is to be managed by one (1) member whose title is MGRM and whose name and address is:

Leslie Sheppard

c/o James Karl & Associates, 975 North Collier  
Boulevard, Marco Island, FL 34145

**ARTICLE V.**

TERM OF EXISTENCE: The period of duration for the limited liability company shall be unlimited

REQUIRED SIGNATURE:

I, Robin Marettta, hereby state that I am the authorized representative of Leslie Sheppard, the managing member of the above stated limited liability company, and sign in that capacity below:

Robin Marettta  
Robin Marettta,  
Authorized Representative of a  
Member

(In accordance with section 608.408(3), Florida Statutes, the execution of this document constitutes an affirmation under the penalties of perjury that the facts stated herein are true.)

Robin Marettta  
Name of Signee

State Of Florida       }  
County Of Collier     }

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2004, by Robin Marettta.

(Seal)

J. L. Karl  
Signature of Notary

Print, Type or Stamp Name of Notary



J. L. Karl  
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