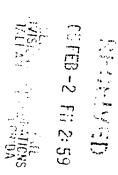
# L04000070389

(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



800045695988

05 FEB -2 AMID: 3



## CAPITAL CONNECTION, INC.

417 E. Virginia Street, Suite 1 • Tallahassee, Florida 32301 (850) 224-8870 • 1-800-342-8062 • Fax (850) 222-1222

<del></del>		
iteding 1)	12, 5xc	
)		0
	<del></del>	For St.
<del> </del>		
		Art of Inc. File
		LTD Partnership File
		Foreign Corp. File
		L.C. File
		Fictitious Name File
		Trade/Service Mark
		Merger File
		Art. of Amend. File
		RA Resignation
		Dissolution / Withdrawal
		Annual Report / Reinstatement
		Cert. Copy
		Photo Copy
		Certificate of Good Standing
		Certificate of Status
		Certificate of Fictitious Name
		Corp Record Search
		Officer Search
		Fictitious Search
Signature Signature		Fictitious Owner Search
Digitature		Vehicle Search
		Driving Record
Requested by:		UCC 1 or 3 File
	-2 a 05 1:45	UCC 11 Search
Name	Date Time	UCC 11 Retrieval
Walk-In	Will Pick Up	Courier
THE MONOTOR PENNSON INDIVISIONS (12)	an income	1

#### AMENDED AND RESTATED ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF

### STERLING MHP, LLC

a Florida limited liability company

(Filed in accordance with 608.411, F.S.)

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a limited liability company (the "Company"), pursuant to and by virtue of the Florida Limited-Liability Company Act (Chapter 608 of the Florida Statutes) (the "Act"), hereby adopts the following articles of organization

#### ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the Limited Liability Company is:

Sterling MHP, LLC

#### ARTICLE II - ADDRESS

The mailing address and street address of the principal office of the Limited Liability Company is:

Sterling MHP, LLC 7061 South Tamiami Trail Venice, FL 34231

#### ARTICLE III - RESIDENT AGENT AND REGISTERED OFFICE

The name and the Florida street address of the resident agent are:

Michael L. Cook 7061 South Tamiami Trail Venice, FL 34231

#### ARTICLE IV - MANAGING MEMBERS

The name and address of the initial Managing Members are as follows:

Michael L. Cook 7061 South Tamiami Trail Venice, FL 34231

#### ARTICLE V - PURPOSE

The Company's business and purpose shall consist solely of the acquisition, ownership, operation and management of the real estate project known as Sterling Mobile Home Park located in Polk County, Florida at 50 River Triangle, Lakeland, FL 33805 (the "Property") such activities as are necessary, incidental or appropriate in connection therewith.

#### ARTICLE VI - POWERS AND DUTIES

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles and so long as any obligations secured by the Mortgage (as defined below) remain outstanding and not discharged in full, without the consent of all members, the Managing Member shall have no authority to:



- A. borrow money or incur indebtedness on behalf of the Company other than normal trade accounts payable and lease obligations in the normal course of business, or grant consensual liens on the Company's property; except, however, that the Managing Member is hereby authorized to secure financing for the Company pursuant to the terms of that certain Note in the original principal amount of US\$7,650,000.00, (the "Note") and other indebtedness expressly permitted therein or in the documents executed in connection with or as security for such Note (collectively, the "Loan"), and to grant a mortgage, lien or liens on the Company's Property to secure the Loan (the "Mortgage");
  - B. dissolve or liquidate the Company;
  - C. sell or lease, or otherwise dispose of all or substantially all of the assets of the Company;
- D. file a voluntary petition or otherwise initiate proceedings to have the Company adjudicated bankrupt or insolvent, or consent to the institution of bankruptcy or insolvency proceedings against the Company, or file a petition seeking or consenting to reorganization or relief of the Company as debtor under any applicable federal or state law relating to bankruptcy, insolvency, or other relief for debtors with respect to the Company; or seek or consent to the appointment of any trustee, receiver, conservator, assignee, sequestrator, custodian, liquidator (or other similar official) of the Company or of all or any substantial part of the properties and assets of the Company, or make any general assignment for the benefit of creditors of the Company, or admit in writing the inability of the Company to pay its debts generally as they become due or declare or effect a moratorium on the Company debt or take any action in furtherance of any action;
  - E. amend, modify or alter Articles V, VI, VII, VIII, or IX of these Articles; or
  - F. merge or consolidate with any other entity.

Notwithstanding the foregoing and so long as any obligation secured by the Mortgage remains outstanding and not discharged in full, the Managing Member shall have no authority to take any action in items A., B., C., E., and F., without the prior written consent of the holder of the Mortgage.

#### ARTICLE VII - TITLE TO COMPANY PROPERTY

All property owned by the Company shall be owned by the Company as an entity and, insofar as permitted by applicable law, no Member shall have any ownership interest in any Company property in its individual name or right, and each Member's Membership Interest shall be personal property for all purposes.

#### ARTICLE VIII - SEPARATENESS/OPERATIONS MATTERS

The Company shall:

- (i) maintain books and records and bank accounts separate from those of any other person;
- (ii) maintain its assets in such a manner that it is not costly or difficult to segregate, identify or ascertain such assets;
- (iii) hold regular meetings, as appropriate, to conduct the business of the Company, and observe all customary organizational and operational formalities;
- (iv) hold itself out to creditors and the public as a legal entity separate and distinct from any other entity;

- (v) prepare separate tax returns and financial statements, or if part of a consolidated group, then it will be shown as a separate member of such group;
- (vi) allocate and charge fairly and reasonably any common employee or overhead shared with affiliates;
- (vii) transact all business with affiliates on an arm's-length basis and pursuant to enforceable agreements;
- (viii) conduct business in its own name, and use separate stationery, invoices and checks;
- (ix) not commingle its assets or funds with those of any other person; and
- (x) not assume, guarantee or pay the debts or obligations of any other person.

## ARTICLE IX - EFFECT OF BANKRUPTCY, DEATH OR INCOMPETENCY OF A MEMBER

The bankruptcy, death, dissolution, liquidation, termination or adjudication of incompetency of a Member shall not cause the termination or dissolution of the Company and the business of the Company shall continue. Upon any such occurrence, the trustee, receiver, executor, administrator, committee, guardian or conservator of such Member shall have all the rights of such Member for the purpose of settling or managing its estate or property, subject to satisfying conditions precedent to the admission of such assignee as a substitute Member. The transfer by such trustee, receiver, executor, administrator, committee, guardian or conservator of any Company Interest shall be subject to all of the restrictions, hereunder to which such transfer would have been subject if such transfer had been made by such bankrupt, deceased, dissolved, liquidated, terminated or incompetent Member. The foregoing shall apply to the extent permitted by applicable law.

In Witness Whereof, I have executed these Amended and Restated Articles of Organization this given day of Florians, 2005.

Michael L. Cook, as Managing Member and as authorized representative of the Members

In accordance with §608.408(3), Fla. Stat., the execution of this affidavit constitutes an affirmation under the penalties of perjury that the facts stated herein are true.