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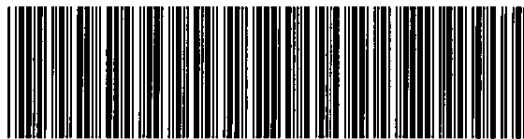
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TO: Registration Section  
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: REO Wholesale Homes Inc.  
(Name of Resulting Florida Limited Company) TO: REO HOLDINGS LLC

The enclosed Certificate of Conversion, Articles of Organization, and fees are submitted to convert an "Other Business Entity" into a "Florida Limited Liability Company" in accordance with s. 608.439, F.S.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to:

Barry Jones  
(Contact Person)  
THE ORION GROUP INC.  
(Firm/Company)  
4300 NW 23rd St. STE 278  
(Address)  
GAINESVILLE, FL 32606  
(City, State and Zip Code)

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For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Barry Jones at ( 813 ) 748-1532  
(Name of Contact Person) (Area Code and Daytime Telephone Number)

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

☐ \$150.00 Filing Fees (\$25 for Conversion & \$125 for Articles of Organization) ☒ \$155.00 Filing Fees and Certificate of Status ☐ \$180.00 Filing Fees and Certified Copy ☐ \$185.00 Filing Fees, Certified Copy, and Certificate of Status

**STREET ADDRESS:**  
Registration Section  
Division of Corporations  
Clifton Building  
2661 Executive Center Circle  
Tallahassee, FL 32301

**MAILING ADDRESS:**  
Registration Section  
Division of Corporations  
P. O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Corporations

January 15, 2008

BARRY JONES  
THE ORION GROUP INC.  
4300 NW 23RD ST. STE 278  
GAINESVILLE, FL 32606

SUBJECT: REO HOLDINGS LLC  
Ref. Number: W08000002381

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We have received your document for REO HOLDINGS LLC and your check(s) totaling \$155.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity. Section 608.406, Florida Statutes, was amended effective July 1, 2007, to require the name of a limited liability company to be distinguishable from the names of all other filings filed with the Division of Corporations, except for fictitious name registrations and general partnership registrations.

Please select a new name and make the correction in all the appropriate places. One or more words may be added to make the name distinguishable from the one presently on file. Adding of Florida or Florida to the end of the name is not acceptable. A search for name availability can be made on the Internet through the Division's records at [www.sunbiz.org](http://www.sunbiz.org).

Please note the name of a limited liability company must end with the words Limited Liability Company, the abbreviation L.L.C., or the designation LLC. The word Limited may be abbreviated as Ltd. and the word Company may be abbreviated as Co. The following suffixes are no longer acceptable: Limited Company, L.C., and LC.

The document number of the name conflict is #L07000070455, REO HOLDINGS LLC.

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) 245-6043.

Joey Bryan  
Regulatory Specialist II

Letter Number: 308A00003164

**Certificate of Conversion**  
For  
**"Other Business Entity"**  
Into  
**Florida Limited Liability Company**

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This Certificate of Conversion **and attached Articles of Organization** are submitted to convert the following **"Other Business Entity"** into a **Florida Limited Liability Company** in accordance with s.608.439, Florida Statutes.

1. The name of the "Other Business Entity" immediately prior to the filing of this Certificate of Conversion is:

REO Wholesale Homes Inc. #P07000083601  
(Enter Name of Other Business Entity)

2. The "Other Business Entity" is a Corporation.  
(Enter entity type. Example: corporation, limited partnership, sole proprietorship, general partnership, common law or business trust, etc.)

first organized, formed or incorporated under the laws of Florida  
(Enter state, or if a non-U.S. entity, the name of the country)

on 7-24-07 08/01/07  
(Enter date "Other Business Entity" was first organized, formed or incorporated)

3. If the jurisdiction of the "Other Business Entity" was changed, the state or country under the laws of which it is now organized, formed or incorporated:

4. The name of the Florida Limited Liability Company as set forth in the **attached Articles of Organization**:

Wholesale Homes, LLC  
REO Holdings LLC  
(Enter Name of Florida Limited Liability Company)

5. If not effective on the date of filing, enter the effective date:\_\_\_\_\_.  
(The effective date: 1) cannot be prior to nor more than 90 days after the date this document is filed by the Florida Department of State; AND 2) must be the same as the effective date listed in the attached Articles of Organization, if an effective date is listed therein.)

Signed this 10<sup>th</sup> day of January 20 08.

Signature of Authorized Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: Barry R Jones Title: MANAGER

**Fees:**

|  |                    |
|--|--------------------|
| Certificate of Conversion:                 | \$25.00            |
| Fees for Florida Articles of Organization: | \$125.00           |
| Certified Copy:                            | \$30.00 (Optional) |
| Certificate of Status:                     | \$5.00 (Optional)  |

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# ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION FOR FLORIDA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

## ARTICLE I - Name:

The name of the Limited Liability Company is:

WHOLESALE HOMES, LLC  
RED HOLDINGS LLC

(Must end with the words "Limited Liability Company," the abbreviation "L.L.C.," or the designation "LLC.")

## ARTICLE II - Address:

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

### Principal Office Address:

4300 NW 23<sup>rd</sup> ST.  
STE 208  
GAINESVILLE, FL 32606

### Mailing Address:

SAME

## ARTICLE III - Registered Agent, Registered Office, & Registered Agent's

### Signature:

(The Limited Liability Company cannot serve as its own Registered Agent. You must designate an individual or another business entity with an active Florida registration.)

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

BARRY JONES  
Name  
9127 SW 52<sup>nd</sup> AVE D202  
Florida street address (P.O. Box **NOT** acceptable)  
GAINESVILLE FL 32608  
City, State, and Zip

*Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated limited liability company at the place designated in this certificate, 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 obligations of my position as registered agent as provided for in Chapter 608, F.S.*

[Signature]  
Registered Agent's Signature (REQUIRED)

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**ARTICLE IV- Manager(s) or Managing Member(s):**

The name and address of each Manager or Managing Member is as follows:

**Title:**

"MGR" = Manager

"MGRM" = Managing Member

**Name and Address:**

MGR

Barry R Jones  
9127 SW 52<sup>ND</sup> AVE  
GAINESVILLE, FL 32608

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**ARTICLE V:** Effective date, if other than the date of filing: \_\_\_\_\_

(OPTIONAL)

(If an effective date is listed, the date must be specific and cannot be more than five business days prior to or 90 days after the date of filing.)

**REQUIRED SIGNATURE:**

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of a member or an 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.)

Barry R Jones  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Typed or printed name of signee

**Filing Fees:**

**\$125.00 Filing Fee for Articles of Organization and Designation  
of Registered Agent**

**\$ 30.00 Certified Copy (Optional)**

**\$ 5.00 Certificate of Status (Optional)**