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ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF MARLIN TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY, L.C.

The undersigned certify that we have associated ourselves together for the purpose of becoming a limited liability company under the laws of the State of Florida, Florida Statute 608 - Florida Limited Liability Company Act, providing for the formation, rights, privileges, and immunities of limited liability companies for profit. We further declare that the following Articles shall serve as the Charter and authority for the conduct of business of the limited liability company.

ARTICLE I NAME AND PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

The name of the limited liability company shall be MARLIN TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY, L. C., and its principal office and mailing address shall be located at 13001 Zambrana Street, Miami, FL 33156, Dade County, State of Florida. It shall have the power and authority to establish branch offices at any other place or places as the members may designate.

ARTICLE II PURPOSES AND POWERS

In addition to the powers authorized by the laws of the State of Florida for limited liability companies, the general nature of the business or businesses to be transacted, and which the limited liability company is authorized to transact, shall be as follows:

- 1. To engage in any activity or business authorized under the Florida Statutes.
- 2. In general, to carry on any and all incidental business; to have and exercise all the powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida, and to do any and all things set forth in these Articles to the same extent as a natural person might or could do.
- 3. To purchase or otherwise acquire, undertake, carry on, improve, or develop, all or any of the business, good will, rights, assets, and liabilities of any person, firm, association, or corporation carrying on any kind of business of a similar nature to that which this limited liability company is authorized to carry on, pursuant to the provisions of these Articles; and to hold, utilize, and in any manner dispose of the rights and property so acquired.
- 4. To enter into and make all necessary contracts for its business with any person, entity, partnership, association, corporation, domestic or foreign, or of any domestic or foreign state, so government, or governmental authority, or of any political or administrative subdivisions or department, and to perform and carry out, assign, cancel, or rescind any of such contracts.
- 5. To exercise all or any of the limited liability company powers, and to carry out all or any of the purposes, enumerated in these Articles and otherwise granted or permitted by law, while acting as agent, nominee, or attorney-in-fact for any persons or corporations, and perform any acting as agent, nominee, or attorney-in-fact for any persons or corporations, and perform any

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service under contract or otherwise for any corporation, joint stock company, association, partnership, firm, syndicate, individual, or other entity, and in this capacity or under this arrangement develop, improve, stabilize, strengthen, or extend the property and commercial interest of the property and to aid, assist, or participate in any lawful enterprise in connection with or incidental to the agency, representation, or service, and to render any other service or assistance it may lawfully do under the laws of the State of Florida, providing for the formation, rights, privileges, and immunities of limited liability companies for profit.

6. To do everything necessary, proper, advisable, or convenient for the accomplishment of any of the purposes, or the attainment of any of the objects, or the furtherance of any of the powers set forth in these Articles, either alone or in association with others incidental or pertaining to, or going out of, or connected with its business or powers, provided the same shall not be inconsistent with the laws of the State of Florida.

The several clauses contained in this statement of the general nature of the business or businesses to be transacted shall be construed as both purposes and powers of this limited liability company, and statements contained in each clause shall, except as otherwise expressed, be in no way limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other clause. They shall be regarded as independent purposes and powers.

Nothing contained in these Articles shall be deemed or construed as authorizing or permitting, or purporting to authorize or permit the limited liability company to carry on any business, exercise any power, or do any act which a limited liability company may not, under Florida laws, lawfully carry on, exercise, or do.

ARTICLE III EXERCISE OF POWERS

All limited liability company powers shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of this limited liability company shall be managed under the direction of the members of this limited liability company. This Article may be amended from time to time in the regulations of the limited liability company by a unanimous vote of the members of the limited liability company.

<u>ARTICLE IY</u> **MANAGEMENT**

Management of this limited liability company is reserved to its members, whose names and addresses are as follows:

Names and Addresses:

Martin Brown Jonathan Brown 13001 Zambrana Street, Miarni, Florida 33156

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ARTICLE Y MEMBERSHIP RESTRICTIONS

Members shall have the right to admit new members by unanimous consent. Contributions required of new members shall be determined as of the time of admission to the limited liability company.

A member's interest in the limited liability company may not be sold or otherwise transferred except with unanimous written consent of all members.

On the death, retirement, resignation, expulsion, bankruptcy, or dissolution of a member, or the occurrence of any other event that terminates the continued membership of a member in the limited liability company, the remaining members shall have the right to continue the business on unanimous consent of the remaining members.

ARTICLE YI CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS

Capital contributions in the amount of \$1,000.00 cash shall be paid to the limited liability company by the two members, with Martin Brown contributing \$990.00, and Jonathan Brown contributing \$10.00. Additional contributions will be made as required for investment purposes, as determined by unanimous consent of the members. Members will make these contributions in percentages whereby 99% of the total contributed shall be made by Martin Brown, and 1% of the total contributed shall be made by Jonathan Brown.

ARTICLE YII PROFITS AND LOSSES

(a) Profit Sharing. The members shall be entitled to the net profits arising from the operation of the limited liability company business that remain after the payment of the expenses of the conducting the business of the limited liability company. Each member shall be entitled to a distributive share of the profits, with 99% share determined and paid to Martin Brown, and 1% share determined and paid to Jonathan Brown. The distributive share of the profits shall be share determined and paid to the members each year on the anniversary date of the commencement of determined and paid to the members each year on the anniversary date of the commencement date being the date of the filing of these Articles.

(b) Losses. All losses that occur in the operation of the limited liability company business shall be paid out of the capital of the limited liability company and the profits of the business, or, if these sources are insufficient to cover such losses, by the members in percentage shares exactly corresponding to that percentage share which such member is entitled to of the net profits of the business.

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ARTICLE VIII DURATION

This limited liability company shall exist until dissolved in a manner provided by law, or as provided in the regulations adopted by the members.

ARTICLE IX INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The address of the initial registered office of the limited liability company is Cuevas & Rubin, P.A., 9200 S. Dadeland Blvd, Suite 603, Miami, Fl 33156, County of Dade, and the name of the company's initial registered agent at that address is Jonathan Rubin, Esq.

The undersigned, being the Registered Agent, certifies that this instrument constitutes the proposed Articles of Organization of Marlin Transatlantic Company, L.C.

Executed by the undersigned at 9200 S. Dadeland Blvd, Suite 603, Miami, FL 33156 on this 24 day of August, 1998.

Ionathan Rubin, Registered Agent

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Statement Designating Registered Agent And Office.

State of Florida 1 County of Dade 1 Description of Sections 608.4	415 and 608.407(1)(d) of the Florida Limited Lividentified below submits the following statem	ability ent in	
Company Act, the inities hand register	red agent in the State of Florida:		
The name of the limited liability company	is MARLIN TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY, RLIN TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY, L.C. is company's principal office where the agent is	s Jonathan	
Rubin, Esq., and the sheet day Dadeland	Blyd, Suite 603, Miami, Fl 33136.		
This statement is to acknowledge that COMPANY, L.C. has appointed me, Jon	at, as indicated above, MARLIN TRANSPA athan Rubin, Esq., as its registered agent to acc ace designated above in this certificate. It is to act in this capacity. I further agree to comp and asymptote performance of my duties	de with the	
Dated August 34 1998.			
Jonathan Rubin, Esq Registered Agent		1998 by	
The foregoing instrument was at Jonathan Rubin, Esq., agent on behalf of limited liability company. He is person	cknowledged before me thisAugust 24. f MARLIN TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY, I ally known to me or has produced	L.C., a (type of	
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Affidavit Of Membership And Contributions.

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In compliance with Florida Statutes Section 608.407(2), the undersigned member or authorized representative of a member of MARLIN TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY, L.C. deposes and says:

- 1. The limited liability company identified above has at least two members.
- 2. The total amount of cash contributed by the members is \$1,000.00.
- 3. If any, the agreed value of property other than cash contributed by the members is N/A.
- 4. The total amount of cash or property anticipated to be contributed by the members is \$1,000.00. This total includes the amounts from 2 and 3 above.

Jonathan Rubin, Authorized Representative

[Notary's signature]

ANDREW CUEVAR My Commission CO524689 Espirer Jan, 16, 2000

My commission expires:

SECRETARY OF STATE DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS

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