ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW

March 12, 1999

Division of Corporations 409 East Gaines Post Office Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

Ladies/Gentlemen:

Re: Articles of Organization

Greenhouse Produce, L.C.

Enclosed are the original and one copy of the Articles of Organization for the referenced limited liability company together with a check in the amount of \$337.50 to cover the fees for filing the Articles. After filing, please return a date-stamped copy to our office.

Should you have any questions, do not hesitate in contacting me.

Sincerely yours,

Carrie E. Lademan

Enclosures as stated

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ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF GREENHOUSE PRODUCE, L.C.

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In order to form a limited liability company pursuant to the Florida Limited Liability Company Act, Florida Statutes § 608.401 et seq. (the "Act"), the undersigned hereby executes these Articles of Organization in accordance with the provisions of Section 608.407 of the Act.

ARTICLE I:

The name of the Limited Liability Company is: Greenhouse Produce, L.C.

ARTICLE II:

The street address of the principal office of the Limited Liability Company is 1725 Kapok Street, Naples, Florida 34117 and the mailing address of the principal office of the Limited Liability Company is 1101 Fifth Avenue South, Naples, Florida 34102.

ARTICLE III DURATION

The period of duration for the Limited Liability Company shall be: perpetual.

<u>ARTICLE IV:</u> MANAGEMENT

The Limited Liability Company is to be managed by the members and the names and addresses of the managing members are as follows: Manfred Nelles at 1522 Northgate Drive, Naples, Florida 34105, and Michal W. Blumert, President of Gro-Tech Greenhouse Produce, Inc. at 1101 Fifth Avenue South, Naples, Florida 34102.

<u>ARTICLE V:</u> ADMISSION OF ADDITIONAL MEMBERS

Upon approval by all of the Members, the company is authorized to admit additional Members to the Company. Contributions required of new members shall be determined as of the time of admission to the Limited Liability Company.

ARTICLE VI: MEMBERS' RIGHTS TO CONTINUE BUSINESS

The remaining members of the company shall have the right to continue the business on the death, retirement, resignation, expulsion, bankruptcy, or dissolution of a member or the occurrence of any other event which terminates the continued membership of a member in the Limited Liability Company.

ARTICLE VII: AFFIDAVIT OF MEMBERSHIP AND CONTRIBUTIONS

The undersigned member or authorized representative of a member of Greenhouse Produce, L.C., CERTIFIES:

- 1. The above named Limited Liability Company has at least one member.
- 2. The total amount of cash contributed by the member(s) is \$500,000.00.
- 3. If any, the agreed value of property other than cash contributed by member(s) is \$0.
- 4. The total amount of cash or property anticipated to be contributed by member(s) is \$500,000.00. This total includes amounts from 2 and 3 above.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 608.408(3), FLORIDA STATUTES, THE EXECUTION OF THIS AFFIDAVIT CONSTITUTES AN AFFIRMATION UNDER THE PENALTIES OF PERJURY THAT THE FACTS STATED HEREIN ARE TRUE.

These Articles of Organization are executed this day of March, 1999, by the undersigned initial member of Greenhouse Produce, L.C., pursuant to the Florida Limited Liability Company Act, Florida Statute § 608.401 et seq.

Gro-Tech Greenhouse Produce, Inc., a Florida corporation

By:

Michal W. Blumert, President

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF COLLIER

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before this day of March 1999, by Michal W. Blumert, President of Gro-Tech Greenhouse Produce, Inc., on behalf of the corporation. He is personally known to me or has produced a driver's license (#_______) as identification and did not take an oath.

Print Name: 👱

Notary Public Commission No.

My Commission Expires:

(SEAL)
Stephne Lynette Watts
MY COMMISSION # COS8726 EXPIRES
April 22, 2001
BONDED THRU TROY FAIN INSURANCE, INC.

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 608.415, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

- 1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is Greenhouse Produce, L.C.
- 2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

Carrie E. Lademan, Esquire Woodward, Pires & Lombardo, P.A. 801 Laurel Oak Drive, Suite 710 Naples, Florida 34108

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.

Carrie E. Lademan

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