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AUTHORIZATION

Patricia Pujols

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CUSTOMER: Ms. Chris Evens  
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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Katherine Harris  
Secretary of State

December 7, 1999

CSC  
ATTN: JAMELA ABAIED

SUBJECT: WESTGROUP LAPLAYA, LLC  
Ref. Number: W99000027893

We have received your document for WESTGROUP LAPLAYA, LLC and the authorization to debit your account in the amount of \$125.00. However, the document has not been filed and is being returned for the following:

Article II states that the registered office address is in Washington, but the text immediately below seems to be correct. Because the registered office address must be a Florida street address, please remove the reference to the address in Washington.

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**CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION**  
**OF**  
**WESTGROUP LAPLAYA, LLC**

**Article I**

The name of the Limited Liability Company is Westgroup LaPlaya, LLC.

**Article II**

The name and address of the registered agent for service of process are:

Corporation Service Company  
1201 Hays Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32301

**Article III**

The address of the principal place of business of the limited liability company is:

9891 Gulf Shore Drive  
Naples, FL 34108

**Article IV**

The latest date on which the limited liability company is to be dissolved, if any, is December 31, 2025.

**Article V**

The management of the limited liability company is vested in a manager (managers) as more fully described in the limited liability company agreement.

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The name and address of the person executing this Certificate is:

M. P. Dyer  
Noble House Hotels & Resorts  
570 Kirkland Way  
Kirkland, WA 98033

Dated: November 9, 1999



M. P. Dyer

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**CONSENT OF REGISTERED AGENT  
FOR  
WESTGROUP LAPLAYA, LLC  
a Florida Limited Liability Company**

I CONSENT TO SERVE AS Registered Agent in the State of Florida for the above named Limited Liability Company. I understand it will be my responsibility to accept Service of Process on behalf of the Limited Liability Company, to forward mail to the Limited Liability Company, and to immediately notify the Office of the Secretary of State if I resign or change the Registered Office.

DATED: 12-16/99

Corporation Service Company

By: Laura R. Dunlap

**Laura R. Dunlap  
as its agent**

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