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Via Federal Express

Secretary of State
Division of Corporation
409 East Gaines Street
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RE: Valencia Golf and Country Club
Homeowners Association
Our File No. 04-6927

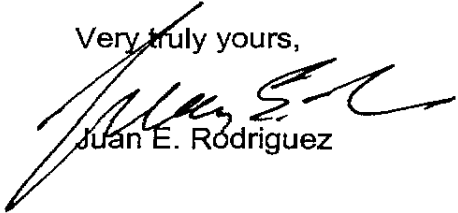
Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed are the original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation of Valencia Golf and Country Club Homeowners Association, a Florida not-for-profit corporation. We would appreciate your filing these and sending us a certified copy with the applicable filing information in the enclosed self addressed stamped envelope. We are enclosing our firm's check in the amount of Seventy-Eight and 75/100 (\$78.75) Dollars to cover to following costs:

Filing Fee	\$35.00
Certified Copy	8.75
Registered Agent Designation	<u>35.00</u>
Total	\$78.75

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,


Juan E. Rodriguez

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Encl. (as stated)

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DIVISION OF CORPORATION

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

VALENCIA GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., a not-for-profit Florida corporation

In order to form a corporation not-for-profit under and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 617.001, of the Florida Statutes, the undersigned, acting as incorporator, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for the purposes and with the powers hereinafter mentioned, hereby certifies and sets forth the following:

First: The name of the Corporation is **Valencia Golf and Country Club Homeowners Association, Inc.**

Second: The Corporation is incorporated as a corporation not-for-profit under the provisions of Chapter 617 Florida Statutes, as amended, and will be referred to hereafter as the "Corporation".

Third: The principal office and post office address of the Corporation shall be located at 1192 East Newport Center Drive, Suite 150, Deerfield Beach, Florida 33442. The address of the Registered Office of the Corporation is 2550 Brickell Bayview Centre, 80 S.W. 8th Street, Miami, Florida 33130. The names of the registered agent is: Juan E. Rodriguez, who is authorized to accept service of process within this State upon the Corporation; and his address is at the Registered Office.

Fourth: The purposes for which this Corporation is formed do not contemplate pecuniary gain or profit to the Members thereof, and the specific purpose for which it is formed are to provide for maintenance of the Common Property described in the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions of Valencia Golf & Country Club affecting the property described in said Declaration. This Corporation will promote the health, safety and welfare of the residents within the property described in said Declaration; and shall have following powers:

- (a) To exercise all of the powers and privileges and to perform all of the duties and obligations of the Corporation as set forth in the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions of Valencia Golf & Country Club, hereinafter called the "Declaration", applicable to the property and recorded or to be recorded in the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Collier County, Florida, as the same may be amended from time to time as therein provided; said Declaration is by reference incorporated herein as if set forth at length;
- (b) To fix, levy, collect and enforce payment by any lawful means all charges or assessments pursuant to the terms of the Declaration; to pay all expenses in connection therewith, and all office and other expenses incident to the conduct of the business of the Corporation, including licenses, taxes or government charges levied or imposed against the property of the Corporation;
- (c) To acquire (by gift, purchase or otherwise), own, hold, improve, build upon, operate, maintain, convey, sell, lease, transfer, dedicate for public use or otherwise dispose of real or personal property in connection with the affairs of the Corporation;
- (d) To borrow money, to mortgage, pledge, deed in trust, or hypothecate any or all of the Corporation's real or personal property as security for money borrowed or debts incurred; and
- (e) To have and to exercise any and all powers, rights and privileges which a

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corporation, organized under the corporation not-for-profit law of the State of Florida, may by law now or hereafter have or exercise.

Fifth: Every person or entity who is a record Owner of a fee or undivided fee interest in any Residential Lot, Unit (both as defined in the Declaration) tract or site of undivided land which is subject by the Declaration to assessment by the Corporation, including contract sellers, shall be a Member of the Corporation. The foregoing is not intended to include persons or entities who hold an interest merely as security for the performance of an obligation. No Owner shall have more than one membership. Membership shall be appurtenant to and may not be separated from ownership of any Residential Lot, Unit, tract or site of undivided land which is subject to assessment by the Corporation. Ownership of such Residential Lot shall be the sole qualification for membership.

Sixth: The Corporation shall have two classes of voting membership:

Class A. Class A Members shall be all those Owners as defined in Article Fifth with the exception of the Declarant (as defined in the Declaration). Class A Members shall be entitled to one vote for each Lot, Unit, tract or site of undivided land in which they hold the interest required for membership by Article Fifth. When more than one person hold such interest in any Lot, Unit, tract or site of undivided land, all such persons shall be Members. The vote for such shall be exercised as they among themselves determine, but in no event shall more than one vote be cast with respect to any Lot, Unit, tract or site.

Class B. The Class B Member shall be the Declarant (as defined in the Declaration). The Class B Member shall be entitled to three (3) votes for each Residential Lot in which it holds the interest required for membership by Article Fifth, provided that the Class B membership shall cease and be converted to Class A membership on the happening of any of the following events whichever occurs earlier:

- (a) when the Declarant no longer owns ninety (90%) percent of the Lots and/or Units provided for in the Development Plan as defined in the Declaration; or
- (b) December 31, 2015; or
- (c) Thirty (30) days after the Declarant elects to terminate the Class B Membership.

Seventh: The term for which this Corporation is to exist is perpetual.

Eighth: The affairs of the Corporation are to be managed by the following officers:

President
Vice President
Secretary
Treasurer

Ninth: The officers who are to serve until the first election of the directors are as follows:

President	Michael Humphries
Vice President	Rafael Roca
Secretary	Candace Sharpsteen
Treasurer	Frances J. Guerra

The first annual meeting of the Corporation and the first election of the Board of Directors shall be held on the first Wednesday in December, 2005, or by order of the Board of Directors at such earlier date as they determine, and thereafter annual meetings of the members shall be held on the first Wednesday in December of each year, if not a legal holiday, or non-business day, and if a legal holiday, or non-business day, then on the next business day following. The Directors elected at the first annual meeting and at each subsequent annual meeting of the Members shall elect officers of the Corporation who will hold office until the next meeting of the Board of Directors, or until their successors are elected and qualified.

Tenth: This Corporation shall be governed by a Board of Directors consisting of not less than three (3) and no more than five (5) persons. The names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as Directors until the first annual meeting of the Members are as follows:

	<u>NAMES</u>	<u>ADDRESSES</u>
1.	Michael Humphries	1192 East Newport Center Drive Suite 150 Deerfield Beach, Florida 33442
2.	Rafael Roca	1192 East Newport Center Drive Suite 150 Deerfield Beach, Florida 33442
3.	Candace Sharpsteen	1192 East Newport Center Drive Suite 150 Deerfield Beach, Florida 33442

Commencing with the first annual meeting of the Members and at each subsequent annual meeting of the Members of the Corporation, the Directors of the Corporation shall be elected by the Members and they will hold office in each instance until the next annual meeting of the Members or until their successors are elected and qualified. Pursuant to Article Sixth hereof, the Declarant, D.R. Horton, Inc., is a Class B Member with three votes for each unsold Residential Lot in the Property. Directors elected by the Class B Member need not themselves be owners of homes erected on the property subject to the Declaration nor Members of the Corporation. Further, notwithstanding the number of Class B votes existing from time to time, the Declarant, D.R. Horton, Inc., shall have the right to elect all of the Directors of the Corporation until December, 2004. Thereafter the Directors of the Corporation shall be elected at the annual meeting of the Members of the Corporation, which annual meeting will be held pursuant to the provisions of the By-Laws. Vacancies in the Board of Directors shall be filled by the remaining Directors at a special meeting called for that purpose and a Director so elected shall serve until the next annual meeting of the Members of the Corporation.

Eleventh: The Board of Directors shall have all the powers and duties referred to in the Declaration and in the laws of the State of Florida respecting corporations not-for-profit.

Twelfth: The initial By-Laws of this Corporation are those adopted by the Board of Directors and entered in the Minute Book of the Corporation. Such By-Laws may be altered, amended, added to or repealed by the Members of the Corporation in the manner provided for in said initial By-Laws and in conformity with the provisions and requirements of the Florida Statutes regulating corporations not-for-profit, as amended from time to time, which is currently set forth in Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, as amended from time to time.

Thirteenth: These Articles of Incorporation may be altered, amended, changed,

added to, or repealed, in the manner or hereafter prescribed by statute or herein or by the By-Laws of this Corporation as they exist from time to time, at any duly called meeting of the Members of this Corporation provided that (a) the notice of the meeting is given in the manner provided in the By-Laws, and it contains a full statement of the proposed alteration, amendment, change, addition, or repeal, and (b) there is an affirmative vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the Members in person or by proxy of said proposed alteration, amendment, change, addition, or repeal.

Fourteenth: This Corporation shall never have or issue shares of stock nor will it ever have or provide for non voting membership.

Fifteenth: From time to time and at least once annually, the corporate officers shall furnish periodic reports to the Members, which shall include profit and loss statements and balance sheets prepared in accordance with sound business and accounting practices.

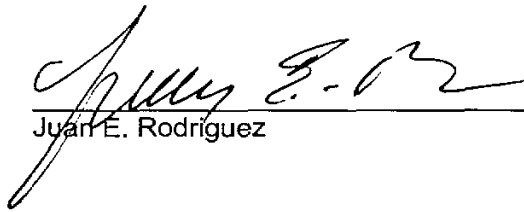
Sixteenth: The Corporation shall have all the powers set forth and described in the Florida Statutes regulating corporations not-for-profit, as amended from time to time, which are currently set forth in Chapter 617.0302 Florida Statutes, together with those powers conferred by the Declaration, these Articles and any and all lawful By-Laws of the Corporation.

Seventeenth: The name and address of the incorporator hereto is as follows:

	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESSES</u>
1.	Juan E. Rodriguez	80 S.W. 8 th Street Suite 2550 Miami, Florida 33130

Eighteenth: Each Director and officer of this Corporation shall be indemnified by the Corporation against all costs and expenses reasonably incurred or imposed upon him in connection with or arising out of any action, suit or proceeding in which he may be involved or to which he may be made a party by reason of his having been a Director or officer of this Corporation, such expense to include the cost of reasonable settlements (other than amounts paid to the Corporation itself) made with a view to curtailment of costs of litigation. The Corporation shall not, however, indemnify such Director or officer with respect to matters as to which he shall be finally adjudged in any such action, suit or proceeding to be liable for negligence or misconduct in the performance of his duty as such Director or officer, or in respect to any matter in which any settlement or compromise is effected if the total expense, including the cost of settlement shall substantially exceed the expense which might reasonably be incurred by such Director or officer in conducting such litigation to final conclusion, and in no event shall anything herein contained be construed as authorizing this Corporation to indemnify any such Director or officer against any liability of the Corporation to which he would otherwise be subject by reason of willful malfeasance, bad faith, gross negligence or reckless disregard of the duties involved in the conduct of his office. The foregoing right to indemnification shall be in addition to any other rights to which any such Director or officer may be entitled as a matter of law or otherwise.

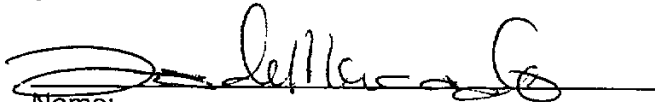
We, the undersigned, being all of the incorporators herein-above named, for the purpose of forming a Corporation not-for-profit pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, as amended, do hereby subscribe to these Articles of Incorporation, and have set our hands and seals this 21 day of July, 2004.

 (SEAL)
Juan E. Rodriguez

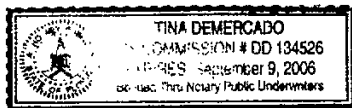
STATE OF FLORIDA)
 : SS.
COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE)

Before Me, the undersigned authority, this day personally appeared Juan E. Rodriguez, who being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is competent to contract and further acknowledge that he did subscribe to the foregoing Articles of Incorporation freely and voluntarily and for the purpose therein expressed.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Miami, Miami-Dade County, Florida, this 21st day of July, 2004.


Name: _____
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Florida at Large

My Commission Expires:

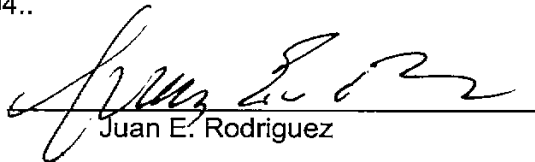


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Acceptance of Service As Registered Agents

The undersigned, **Juan E. Rodriguez**, having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for **Valencia Golf and Country Club Homeowners Association, Inc.**, a not-for-profit Florida corporation, at the registered office designated in the Articles of Incorporation of said Corporation, hereby agrees and consents to act in that capacity. The undersigned is familiar with and accepts the duties and obligations of Section 617.023 Florida Statutes, and will comply with the provisions of all statutes of Florida relative to the performance of our duties as registered agents.

Dated this 21 day of July, 2004..



Juan E. Rodriguez

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