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March 15, 2000

Division of Corporations Department of State P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314 VIA U.S. MAIL

Diamond Realty & Investments, Inc. Re:

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please find enclosed the following:

- 1. Two signed original Articles of Incorporation.
- 2. Check payable to the Secretary of State in the amount of \$122.50 representing \$35.00 for filing fee, \$35.00 for the registered agent designation and \$52.50 for a certified copy of Articles of Incorporation.

Please file the Articles of Incorporation and return the certified copy to me.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

I.G. del Valle

JDV:ag Enclosures

MIA#2059577.01 CARLTON. FIELDS. WARD, EMMANUEL, SMITH & CUTLER, P.A. WEST PALM BEACH ST. PETERSBURG TALLAHASSEE PENSACOLA ORLANDO

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March 31, 2000

Division of Corporations Department of State P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314 VIA U.S. MAIL

Re: Diamond Realty & Investments, Inc.

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please find enclosed the following:

- 1. Two signed original Articles of Incorporation.
- 2. Copy of your letter of March 23, 2000.

Please file the Articles of Incorporation and return the certified copy to me.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

March 23, 2000

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CARLTON FIELDS, P.A. ATTN: JORGE I.G. DEL VALLE POST OFFICE BOX 019101 MIAMI, FL 33131-9101

SUBJECT: DIAMOND REALTY & INVESTMENTS INC.

Ref. Number: W00000007848

We have received your document for DIAMOND REALTY & INVESTMENTS INC.. However, the document has not been filed and is being returned for the following:

The effective date is not acceptable since it is not within five working days of the date of receipt.

Please return the original and one copy of 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) 487-6973.

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EFFECTIVE DATE

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OF

DIAMOND REALTY & INVESTMENTS, INC.

The undersigned Incorporators, for the purpose of organizing and establishing a corporation pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida, do hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation and do hereby agree and certify as follows:

ARTICLE I

NAME

The name of the Corporation is **DIAMOND REALTY & INVESTMENTS**, **INC.**, and its principal mailing address is 1041 Ives Dairy Road, Suite 137, Miami, Florida 33179.

ARTICLE II

TERM OF CORPORATE EXISTENCE

The Corporation shall exist perpetually unless dissolved according to law and such existence shall commence on the date of execution and acknowledgment of these Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE III

PURPOSE AND PERMITTED ACTIVITY

The general purpose of this Corporation shall be the transaction of any and all lawful business or activities and this Corporation shall have all of the powers now and hereafter granted to corporations under Florida law and all other applicable law.

ARTICLE IV

AUTHORIZED SHARES

The aggregate number of shares which the Corporation shall have authority to issue shall be One Thousand (1,000) shares of voting common stock with \$0.01 par value share.

ARTICLE V

PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS

Each shareholder of the Corporation shall have the preemptive right to purchase, subscribe for or otherwise acquire, pro-rata, any shares of the Corporation of any class now or hereafter authorized, or any securities, exchangeable for or convertible into such shares, or any

warrants or any instruments evidencing rights or options to subscribe for, purchase, or otherwise acquire such shares.

ARTICLE VI

REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The initial registered address of the Corporation is 1041 Ives Dairy Road, Suite 137, Miami, Florida 33179. The initial Registered Agent at that address is Steven D. Samuels.

ARTICLE VII

INCORPORATORS

The name and address of the Incorporator is: Steven D. Samuels, 1041 Ives Dairy Road, Suite 137, Miami, Florida 33179.

ARTICLE VIII

INDEMNIFICATION

To the extent permitted by applicable law, every person now or hereafter serving as director, officer or employee of the Corporation shall be indemnified and held harmless by the Corporation from and against any and all loss, cost, liability and expense that may be imposed upon or incurred by him in connection with or resulting from any claim, action, suit or proceeding, in which he may become involved, as a party or otherwise, by reason of his being or having been a director, officer or employee of the Corporation, whether or not he continues to be such at the time such loss, cost, liability or expense shall have been imposed or incurred, except with regard to matters as to which any such director, officer or employee shall be adjudged in any claim, action, suit or proceeding to be liable for his own gross negligence or willful misconduct in the performance of duty.

Expenses (including attorneys' fees) incurred in defending any claim action, suit or proceeding may be paid by the Corporation in advance of the final disposition of such a proceeding.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned persons have signed these Articles of Incorporation this 31 day of MARCH, 2000.

STATE OF FLORIDA

SS:

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COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 31 day of 2000 by STEVEN D. SAMUELS who is personally known to me or who has produced Dr Nors 1 (Const., as identification and who did not take an oath.

MARISSA ROMAN COMMISSION # CC625676 EXPIRES MAR 02, 2001 BONDED THROUGH ATLANTIC RONDING CO., INC

Notary Public, State of Florida Print Name: M. Romar

My Commission Expires:

ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned hereby accepts the appointment to serve as Registered Agent for

DIAMOND REALTY & INVESTMENTS, INC.