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ARTICLES OF MERGER

EMPIRE BUSINESS SOLUTIONS,

INC.

INTO

EMPIRE BUSINESS SOLUTIONS LLC

PLEASE RETURN THE FOLLOWING AS PROOF OF FILING:

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CONTACT PERSON: Jeanine Reynolds

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EXAMINER'S INITIALS:

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ARTICLES OF MERGER Merger Sheet

MERGING:

EMPIRE BUSINESS SOLUTIONS, INC., A FLORIDA ENTITY P00000080961

INTO

EMPIRE BUSINESS SOLUTIONS, LLC, entity not qualified in Florida.

File date: January 30, 2002

Corporate Specialist: Trevor Brumbley

Account number: 072100000032 Amount charged: 60.00



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

December 27, 2001

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SUBJECT: EMPIRE BUSINESS SOLUTIONS, INC.

Ref. Number: P00000080961

We have received your document for EMPIRE BUSINESS SOLUTIONS, INC. and the authorization to debit your account in the amount of \$60.00. However, the document has not been filed and is being returned for the following:

The above listed entity was administratively dissolved or its certificate of authority was revoked for failure to file the 2001 annual report/uniform business report. The entity must be reinstated before this document can be filed.

Please return 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) 245-6025.

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ARTICLES OF MERGER

The following articles of merger are being submitted in accordance with section(s) 607.1109, 608.4382, and/or 620.203, Florida Statutes.

FIRST: The exact name, street address of its principal office, jurisdiction, and entity type for each <u>merging</u> party are as follows:

Name and Street Address	Jurisdiction Entity Type	
1. Empire Business Solutions, Inc.	Florida	
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SECOND: The exact name, street address of its principal office, jurisdiction, and entity type of the surviving party are as follows:

Name and Street Address	- Jurisdiction	E	ntity Type	
Empire Business Solutions LLC	Delaware		imited Liabil:	ity
4727 Transit Road, Unit 11		: <u>c</u>	ompany	
Lancaster, New York 14143			•	-
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THIRD: The attached Plan of Merger meets the requirements of section(s) 607.1108, 608.438, 617.1103, and/or 620.201, Florida Statutes, and was approved by each domestic corporation, limited liability company, partnership and/or limited partnership that is a party to the merger in accordance with Chapter(s) 607, 617, 608, and/or 620, Florida Statutes.

FOURTH: If applicable, the attached Plan of Merger was approved by the other business entity(ies) that is/are party(ies) to the merger in accordance with the respective laws of all applicable jurisdictions.

<u>FIFTH:</u> If not incorporated, organized, or otherwise formed under the laws of the state of Florida, the surviving entity hereby appoints the Florida Secretary of State as its agent for substitute service of process pursuant to Chapter 48, Florida Statutes, in any proceeding to enforce any obligation or rights of any dissenting shareholders, partners, and/or members of each domestic corporation, partnership, limited partnership and/or limited liability company that is a party to the merger.

SIXTH: If not incorporated, organized, or otherwise formed under the laws of the state of Florida; the surviving entity agrees to pay the dissenting shareholders, partners, and/or members of each domestic corporation, partnership, limited partnership and/or limited liability company that is a party to the merger the amount, if any, to which they are entitled under section(s) 607.1302, 620.205, and/or 608.4384, Florida Statute.

SEVENTH: If applicable, the surviving entity has obtained the written consent of each shareholder, member or person that as a result of the merger is now a general partner of the surviving entity pursuant to section(s) 607.1108(5), 608.4381(2), and/or 620.202(2), Florida Statutes.

EIGHTH: The merger is permitted under the respective laws of all applicable jurisdictions and is not prohibited by the agreement of any partnership or limited partnership or the regulations or articles of organization of any limited liability company that is a party to the merger.

<u>OR</u>

NINTH: The merger shall become effective as of:

The date the Articles of Merger are filed with Florida Department of State

(Enter specific date. NOTE: Di	ate cannot be prior to the date of fili	ng.)	,, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
TENTH: The Articles of Merger coapplicable jurisdiction.	omply and were executed in accord	ance with the laws of each party's	
ELEVENTH: SIGNATURE(S) FOR	EACH PARTY:		
(Note: Please see instructions for	required signatures.)		
Name of Entity	Signature(s)	Typed or Printed Name of Individual	
Empire Business Solutions, Inc.	Nihola Duglugi	Nicholas Gugliuzza	· -··
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PLAN OF MERGER

The following plan of merger, which was adopted and approved by each party to the merger in accordance with section(s) 607.1107, 617.1103, 608.4381, and/or 620.202, is being submitted in accordance with section(s) 607.1108, 608.438, and/or 620.201, Florida Statutes.

FIRST: The exact name and jurisdiction of each merging party are as follows:

Name

Jurisdiction

Empire Business Solutions, Inc.

Florida

SECOND: The exact name and jurisdiction of the **surviving** party are as follows:

Name

<u>Jurisdiction</u>

Empire Business Solutions LLC

Delaware

THIRD: The terms and conditions of the merger are as follows:

- 1. Empire Business Solutions LLC ("LLC"), the surviving party, is a wholly owned subsidiary of Empire Business Solutions, Inc. ("CORP")
- 2. CORP and LLC shall, pursuant to the provisions of the Florida Corporations Law ("FCL") and the Delaware Limited Liability Company Act ("DLLCA"), be merged with and into a single limited liability company, to wit, the LLC, which shall be the surviving limited liability company from and after the effective date of the merger, and which is sometimes hereinafter referred to as the "surviving LLC", and which shall continue to exist as said surviving LLC under its present name pursuant to the provisions of the DLLCA. The separate existence of CORP which is sometimes hereinafter referred to as the "disappearing corporation", shall cease at said effective date in accordance with the provisions of the FCL.
- 3. The Certificate of Formation of the surviving LLC upon the effective date of the merger in the State of Delaware shall be the Certificate of Formation of said surviving LLC and shall continue in full force and effect until amended and changed in the manner prescribed by the provisions of

(see Rider A for additional text)

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RIDER A TO PLAN OF MERGER FOR EMPIRE BUSINESS SOLUTIONS LLC

- 4. The limited liability company agreement of the surviving LLC upon the effective date of the merger in the State of Delaware shall be the limited liability company agreement of said surviving LLC and shall continue in full force and effect until an amended and restated limited liability company agreement is adopted or the limited liability company agreement is otherwise changed, altered or amended as therein provided and in the manner prescribed by the provisions of the DLLCA.
- 5. In order to effect the merger of CORP with and into the LLC, the CORP shall cause a Certificate of Merger to be filed with the Department of State of Delaware and Articles of Merger and a Plan of Merger to be filed with the Department of State of Florida.

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FOURTH:

A. The manner and basis of converting the interests, shares, obligations or other securities of each merged party into the interests, shares, obligations or other securities of the survivor, in whole or in part, into cash or other property are as follows:

Each issued share of CORP shall, upon the complete effective date of the merger, be canceled without consideration. Each shareholder of CORP shall become a member of the surviving LLC and shall own interests in the surviving LLC in the same proportion as such members owned shares in CORP.

B. The manner and basis of converting <u>rights to acquire</u> interests, shares, obligations or other securities of each merged party into <u>rights to acquire</u> interests, shares, obligations or other securities of the surviving entity, in whole or in part, into cash or other property are as follows:

Not Applicable

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FIFTH: If a partnership or limited partnership is the surviving entity, the name(s) and address(es) of the general partner(s) are as follows:

Name(s) and Address(es) of General Partner(s)

If General Partner is a Non-Individual, Florida Document/Registration Number

SIXTH: If a limited liability company is the surviving entity and it is to be managed by one or more managers, the name(s) and address(es) of the manager(s) are as follows:

Nicholas Gugliuzza 527 Meadow Drive West Seneca, NY 14227

Lori Gugliuzza 527 Meadow Drive West Seneca, NY 14227

SEVENTH: All statements that are required by the laws of the jurisdiction(s) under which each Non-Florida business entity that is a party to the merger is formed, organized, or incorporated are as follows:

CORP and the surviving LLC have entered into an Agreement of Merger as required by Delaware Law. The executed Agreement of Merger between CORP and the surviving LLC is on file at a place of business of the aforesaid surviving LLC, the address of which is as follows: 4727 Transit Road, Unit 11, Lancaster, New York 14043.

A copy of the aforesaid Agreement of Merger will be furnished by the aforesaid surviving LLC, on request, and without cost, to any member of the aforesaid surviving LLC or any person holding an interest in CORP.

EIGHTH: Other provisions, if any, relating to the merger:-

None

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