TRANSMITTAL LETTER 001348. Department of State **Division of Corporations** P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314 Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for: \$87.50 \$78.75 \$70.00 \$78.75 Filing Fee, Filing Fee Filing Fee Filing Fee Certified Copy & Certified Copy & Certificate of Status & Certificate of Status ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

> 305) 865-9509 Daytime Telephone number

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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

January 31, 2001

ANNETTE ARENA - MARIO NOVO 10185 COLLINS AVE., #1509 D BAL HARBOUR, FL 33154-1607

SUBJECT: HOUSE OF HABANOS INCORPORATED

Ref. Number: W01000002381

We have received your document for HOUSE OF HABANOS INCORPORATED and your check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity.

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House of Habanos Incorporated

10185 Collins Ave, Suite 1509D Bal Harbour, Fl 33154-1607 Tel:(305)865-9504 Fax:(305)865-9976

February 5th, 2001

Mr. Joey Bryan Document Specialist Division of Corporation 409 East Gaines Street Tallahassee, Florida 32399

VIA UPS Overnight

Re: Re-Filing of the Articles of Incorporation

To whom it may concern.

To confirm our conversation of today in regard to the rejected filing on our corporation House of Habanos Incorporated, as discussed with Mr. Bryan, he advised us to resubmit our Articles of Incorporation for the House of Habanos Incorporated. The reason is that Annette Arena and Mario Novo are the individual owners of House of Habanos Limited Partnership and would like the corporation to be the entity on our Limited Partnership and are authorizing the use of the name. We are resubmitting (see attached) our Articles of Incorporation. A money order has been received and deposited by the Division of Corporation for your processing.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Respectfully,

Annette Arena, CEO.

House of Habanos Incorparated

cc: Mario Novo, Pres.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION In compliance with Chapter 607 and/or Chapter 621, F.S. (Profit)
In compliance with Chapter 607 and/or Chapter 621, F.S. (Profit) ARTICLE I NAME The name of the corporation shall be: House Of Habanos Trocorporate Palican ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE The principal place of business/mailing address is: 1985 - Collins Ave. # 1509 C
ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE The principal place of business/mailing address is: 10185 - Collins Ave. # 1509C BAL HARDOW, Florida 33154-1607
ARTICLE III PURPOSE The purpose for which the corporation is organized is: ful business for which to transact any and all LAW ful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the Florida Business CORPORATION Act.
ARTICLE IV SHARES The number of shares of stock is: /0/000
ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICERS/DIRECTORS (optional) The name(s) and address(es): ARTICLE PRENA Chairman, C.E.Q, Director MARIO NOVO President, Sectre tary 10185 - Collins Ave, #1509D Bol Horbour, 71. 33154-1607 ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is:
MARIO NOVO 10185 - Collins Ave. #1509 D BAT Horbow, 71.33154-1607
ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR The name and address of the Incorporator is: MARIO NOVE 10/85 - Collins Ave # 1509D 10/85 - Collins Ave # 1509D BAI Harborn, HORIDA 33154-1607

Signature/Registered Agent MARio Novo Date Date
Signature/Incorporator MAR, No No VO Date