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SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

May 23, 2001

Secretary of State Division of Corporations 409 E. Gaines Street Tallahassee, FL 32399

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Re: Auto Refinance of America, Inc.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find the Articles of Incorporation and Designation of Registered Agent for the above corporation together with the filing fees of \$70.00. Please process and federal express back to my office at your earliest convenience. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

TERRY L. CARBONELL

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Attorney at Law

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION of AUTO REFINANCE OF AMERICA, INC.

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SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

The undersigned hereby petitions for the formation of a corporation under the Laws of the State of Florida, with and under the following charter:

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation shall be **AUTO REFINANCE OF AMERICA, INC.**

ARTICLE II

The purpose of this corporation is the operation of a motor vehicle financing service and any other lawful purpose permitted under the Laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE III

The authorized capital stock of this corporation shall consist of 1000 shares of common stock of \$1.00 par value each, all or part of said stock to be issued from time to time as may be determined by the Board of Directors. On the dissolution or liquidation of the corporation, the holders of the stock shall be entitled to distribution ratable as their holdings may appear upon the stock record of the corporation.

ARTICLE IV

The corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE V

The business and property of the corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors consisting of one or more members as may be provided by the By-Laws.

ARTICLE VI

The names and post office addresses of the first Board of Directors of this corporation who, subject to the provisions of these

Articles, the By-Laws of this corporation ands the Laws of the State of Florida, shall hold office for the first year of the corporation's existence or until their successors are elected and have qualified are as follows:

JOSEPH ALIBRO

President

1924 Piccadilly Circle

Treasurer

Cape Coral, FL 33991

Director

JOHN CIOFFI

Vice President

3258 Fowler Street Fort Myers, FL 33901

Secretary Director

ARTICLE VII

The Registered Agent for the purposes of complying with Florida law shall be JOSEPH ALIBRO, 3270-7 Fowler Street, Fort Myers, Lee County, FL 33901.

ARTICLE VIII

The post office address of the principal office of this corporation until otherwise determined by the stockholders or Board of Directors shall be 3270-7 Fowler Street, Fort Myers, Lee County, FL 33901, and branch offices may be maintained at such places in the State of Florida, and the United States of America and foreign countries as may from time to time be authorized by the stockholders or Board of Directors of this corporation.

ARTICLE IX

The names and post office addresses of the subscribers of these Articles of Incorporation and the number of shares of the capital stock of this corporation subscribed by the said subscriber of these Articles of Incorporation are as follows:

10SEPH ALIBRO

1924 Piccadilly Circle Cape Coral, FL 33991 1000 shares

ARTICLE X

The regulations and conduct of the affairs of this corporation, the issuance of capital stock of this corporation, the voting rights of the holders of the shares of capital stock of this corporation, are vested in the shareholders.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscribers have hereunto set their hands and seals in the City o Fort Myers, County of Lee, State of Florida this $\frac{23^{\circ}}{2}$ day of May, 2001.

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STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF LEE)) SS:)				
I HEREBY CERTII me, the undersigned a <u>Driver's Licence</u> the person who execut	uthority, JOS to me we ted the same	SEPH ALIBRO II known and for the purp	D, ID used: _d known by i	me to be	e th.
SWORN TO AND 2001.	SUBSCRIBE	D before me	this <u> day</u>	of May	,
Jurielice NOTARY PUBLIC, State	e of Florida		e especial		-

My Commission Expires:



CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THE STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

In the pursuit of Chapter 48.901, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with said act:

FIRST: That AUTO REFINANCE OF AMERICA, INC. desiring to organize under the Laws of the State of Florida with its principle office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at 3258 Fowler Street, Fort Myers, County of Lee State of Florida has named JOSEPH ALIBRO, 3270-7 Fowler Street, Fort Myers, FL 33901 as its agent to accept service of process within the State.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT: Having been named to accept service of process for the above corporation at the place so stated in this certificate, I hereby accept to act in such capacity, and agree to comply with the provisions of said act relative to keeping open said office.

JOSEPH ALIBRO - Registered Agent

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