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# FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

February 25, 2002

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MIAMI, FL

SUBJECT: L C B FURNITURE CORP.

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We have received your document for L C B FURNITURE CORP.. However, the document has not been filed and is being returned for the following:

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an administratively dissolved/revoked entity. Names of administratively dissolved/revoked entities are not available for one year from the date of administrative dissolution/revocation unless the dissolved/revoked entity provides the Department of State with a notarized affidavit stating that they have no intention of reinstating, therefore, releasing the name for use to another entity.

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

L C B FURNITURE CORP.

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SECRETARY UF STATE
TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

The undersigned, acting as Incorporator of a corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

#### ARTICLE ONE

The name of the corporation is:

L C B FURNITURE CORP.

#### ARTICLE TWO

The principal office of the corporation shall be located at:

4338 S.W. 8 ST, MIAMI. FL. 33134

Other offices for the transaction of business may be located wherever the Directors may deem necessary of expedient.

#### ARTICLE THREE

This corporation shall have perpetual existence and may engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United States of America and of the State of Florida.

### ARTICLE FOUR

Each shareholder of this corporation shall have the first right to purchase shares (and securities convertible into shares) of any class, kind or series of stock in this corporation that may from time to time be issued (whether or not presently authorized), including shares from the treasury of this corporation, in the ratio that the number of shares he holds at the time of issue bears to the total number of shares by any shareholder who does not exercise it and pay for the shares preempted within thirty (30) days of receipt of a notice in writing from the corporation, stating the prices, terms and conditions of the issue of shares, and inviting him to exercise his preemptive rights. This right may also be waived by affirmative written waiver submitted by the shareholder to the corporation within thirty (30) days of receipt of notice from the corporation.

#### ARTICLE FIVE

The corporation shall have one director initially. However, the number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time in such a manner as may be prescribed by the By-Laws.

The name and address of the initial directors are:

NAME

**ADDRESS** 

RAFAEL PAZ

4338 SW 8 STREET.MIAMI.FL. 33134

#### ARTICLE SIX

The name and address of the subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation is:

**NAME** 

**ADDRESS** 

RAFAEL PAZ

4338 S.W. 8 ST. MIAMI.FL. 33134

#### ARTICLE SEVEN

The name and street address of the initial registered agent and office of this corporation is:

**NAME** 

ADDRESS

RAFAEL PAZ

4338 S.W. 8 STREET.MIAMI.FL. 33134

#### ARTICLE EIGHT

Upon election of a Board of Directors by the stockholders, such Board of Directors shall manage the business affairs of the corporation without the necessity of further authority from the stockholders, except as by law or in these Articles otherwise provided; any action of such Board of Directors may be rescinded, or any officer or director removed from office, only upon a vote of stockholders holding a majority of the stock of the corporation which mat at such time be actually issued, unless otherwise provided by the By-Laws of the corporation. All holders of common stock of this corporation shall be entitled to vote the same in the manner provided by the law.

#### ARTICLE NINE

The number of shares the corporation is authorized to issue is 100 shares, which shall be common stock of \$5.00 par value, each.

#### ARTICLE TEN

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by Law. Every amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors, proposed to the stockholders and approved at the stockholders' meeting by a majority of the stock entitled to vote thereon.

#### ARTICLE ELEVEN

The shareholders may at their sole discretion, repeal, alter or amend the By-Laws of this corporation, restricting the power vested in the Board of Directors to adopt, amend, or repeal the By-Laws within its regular course of business.

RAFAEL PAZ

Having been named as resident agent for the above-stated corporation. I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statues relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties and I accept the duties and obligations of Section 607.0505 Florida Statues.

RAFAEL PAZ

#### AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE
BEFORE ME, the undersigned personally appeared RAFAEL PAZ
who being first duly sworn on oath, states as follows:
I was the President of L C B FURNITURE CORP.
A FLORIDA CORPORATION which corporation was dissolved on or about 2001
I AM EXECUTING THIS AFFIDAVIT TO CERTIFY IN WRITING THAT I DO NOT WISH,
NOR IT IS MY INTENTION TO REINSTATE THE OLD CORPORATION BUT TO ESTABLISH
A NEW CORPORATION USING THE SAME NAME.
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SIGNATURE O
PRINT NAME RAFAEL PAZ
ADDRESS 2145 N.W. 7 ST. MIAMI. FL. 33125
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STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE
I hereby certify that in this <u>22day of FEBRUARY 2002</u> efore me an officer duly authorized to administer oaths and take acknowledgments,
personally appeared RAFAEL PAZ known to me be the person
described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, who acknowledged
Defore me that she or he executed the same, that I relied upon the
following form of identification of the above named person and that an
oath was not taken.
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ALBERTO TRIGO NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF FLORIDA
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