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#### **COVER LETTER**

Department of State Division of Corporations P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: HPS Investment Corporation (PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX) Enclosed are an original and one (1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for: \$70.00 ]\$78.75 \$87.50 \$78.75 Filing Fee Filing Fee Filing Fee Filing Fee, & Certificate of Status & Certified Copy Certified Copy & Certificate of Status ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED FROM: Octavio Rodriguez Name (Printed or typed) 104 Crandon Blvd, Suite 406 Address Key Biscayne, FL 33149 City, State & Zip 305-503-2908

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

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October 12, 2005

OCTAVIO RODRIGUEZ 104 CRANDON BLVD., STE. 406 KEY BISCAYNE, FL 33149

SUBJECT: HPS INVESTMENTS CORPORATION

Ref. Number: W05000046972

We have received your document for HPS INVESTMENTS CORPORATION and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. 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.

Please select a new name and make the correction in all appropriate places. One or more major words may be added to make the name distinguishable from the one presently on file.

Adding "of Florida" or "Florida" to the end of a name is not acceptable.

An effective date <u>may</u> be added to the Articles of Incorporation <u>if a 2006 date is needed</u>, otherwise the date of receipt will be the file date. <u>A separate article must be added to the Articles of Incorporation for the effective date.</u>

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) 245-6047.

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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF HPS AMERICA INVESTMENTS CORPORATION

The undersigned incorporator, a natural person competent to contract, hereby forms a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

#### ARTICLE I - NAME

The name and address of this corporation shall be:

HPS America Investments Corporation 104 Crandon Blvd. Suite # 406 Key Biscayne, Fl 33149

#### ARTICLE II - EXISTANCE

The corporation shall have perpetual existence.

#### ARTICLE III – PURPOSE OF CORPORATION

The corporation may transact any or all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the laws of the State of Florida and of the United States.

#### ARTICLE IV – CAPITAL STOCK

The aggregate number of shares that the corporation shall have authority to issue is 1,000 shares of common stock having \$ 1.00 par value.

#### ARTICLE V - PREEMTIVE RIGHTS

Every shareholder, upon the sale for cash of any stock of this corporation of the same kind, class or series as that which he already holds, shall have the right to purchase his prorate share thereof (as nearly as may be done without issuance of fractional shares) at the price at which it is offered to others.

## ARTICLE VI – NAME OF REGISTERED AGENT AND ADDRESS OF REGISTERED OFFICE

The name and street address of the corporation's initial registered agent shall be:

Octavio J. Rodriguez 104 Crandon Blvd. # 406 Key Biscayne, FL 33149

ARTICLE VII - INITIAL BORARD OF DIRECTORS

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Sergio Espinoza · 104Crandon Blvd. # 406 Key Biscayne, Fl 33149 President (40% Stocks)

Paola Espinoza 104Crandon Blvd. # 406 Key Biscayne, Fl 33149 Director (20% Stocks)

Hedy Castro-Diaz 104Crandon Blvd. # 406 Key Biscayne, Fl 33149 Vice-President (40% Stocks)

Yolanda Rodriguez 104Crandon Blvd. # 406 Key Biscayne, Fl 33149 Secretary

#### ARTICLE VIII - INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the persons signing these articles are:

Sergio Espinoza 104Crandon Blvd. # 406 Key Biscayne, Fl 33149

Hedy Castro-Diaz 104Crandon Blvd. # 406 Key Biscayne, FI 33149

Paola Espinoza 104Crandon Blvd. # 406 Key Biscayne, Fl 33149

Yolanda Rodriguez 104Crandon Blvd. # 406 Key Biscayne, Fl 33149

#### ARTICLE IX - BY LAWS

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal by-laws shall be vested in the Board of Directors and Shareholders.

#### ARTICLE X – AMENDMENT

The corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment thereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to reservation.

The undersigned have executed these articles of Incorporation this September 23,

Sergio Espinoza

President

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Paola Espinoza Director

Yolanda Rodriguez Secretary

### CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

Pursuant to the provisions of section 607.325, Florida Statues, the undersigned corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered office/registered agent, in the State of Florida.

1. The name of the corporation is:

**HPS America Investments Corporation** 

2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

Octavio J. Rodriguez 104 Crandon Blvd. # 406 Key Biscayne, FL 33149

Having been named to accept services of process for the above stated corporation, at the place designated in the certificate, 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 607.325, Florida Statues.

Signed,

Octavio J. Rodriguez Registered Agent

Date: September 23, 2005

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