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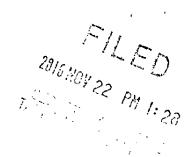
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#### ARTICLES OF MERGER



These Articles of Merger entered into this \_3 day of September, 2016 by and between SPR Development Corporation (the "surviving company") and MRV Group, Inc. (the "merging company") WITNESSETH as follows:

- 1. The parties hereto do hereby adopt the Plan of Merger a copy of which is annexed hereto.
- 2. The Articles of Incorporation of the merging company were registered with the Secretary of State on January 15, 2003.
- 3. The Articles of Incorporation of the surviving company were registered with the Secretary of State on April 13<sup>th</sup> 2006.
- 4. The Merger was approved for both Companies by the Resolution of Directors dated the 30 day of September, 2016 and by Resolution of the Members dated the 30 day of September, 2016.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have caused these Articles of Merger to be executed on this 3 day of September, 2016.

SIGNED and DELIVERED for and on behalf of MRV Group, Inc. by a duly authorised director before me	)	MRV GROUP INC.  By:  Roberto Scherer, President
Witness	) ) )	
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## Seventh: SIGNATURES FOR EACH CORPORATION

Name of Corporation	Signature of an Officer or Director	Typed or Printed Name of Individual & Title
SPR Development Corporation	Ma	Roberto Scherer, President
MRG Group Inc.	Plan	Roberto Scherer, President
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# AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

OF

# MRV GROUP, INC.,

a Florida corporation,

and

### SPR DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION,

a Florida corporation

THIS AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER dated as of September \_\_\_\_\_, 2016 (this "Agreement") is between MRV GROUP, INC., a Florida corporation ("MRV"), and SPR DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, a Florida corporation ("SPR"). SPR and MRV are sometimes referred to herein as the "Constituent Corporations".

#### RECITALS

- A. SPR is a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida and has 5,000 shares, of authorized capital stock all of which have been issued in favor of Remo Investments Limited;
- B. MRV is a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida and has 100 shares, of authorized capital stock, all of which have been issued in favor of Remo Investments Limited;
- C. The parties desire to provide for the terms and conditions upon which MRV will merge into SPR in a statutory merger ("Merger") in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida, upon consummation of which the assets and business of MRV, if any, will be owned by SPR, and all issued and outstanding shares of capital stock of MRV will be cancelled as the shareholder for both MRV and SPR is the same entity;
- D. For federal income tax purposes, it is intended that the Merger qualify as a tax-free reorganization within the meaning of Sections 368 (a)(1)(A) and 368(a)(2)(D) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended ("Code"); and
- E. The respective Boards of Directors of SPR and MRV have approved this Agreement and Plan of Merger and have directed that this Agreement be submitted to a vote of their respective shareholders and executed by the undersigned Directors.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt, adequacy and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

#### 1. MERGER

- 1.1 Merger. In accordance with the provisions of this Agreement and the Florida Business Corporation Act, MRV shall be merged with and into SPR (the "Merger"), the separate existence of MRV shall cease and SPR shall survive the Merger and shall continue to be governed by the laws of the State of Florida (hereinafter referred to in this Agreement as the "Surviving Corporation").
- 1.2 Filing and Effectiveness. The Merger shall become effective when the following actions shall have been completed:
- (a) This Agreement and the Merger shall have been adopted and approved by the directors and shareholders of SPR and MRV in accordance with the requirements of the Florida Statute § 607.1101;
- (b) All of the conditions precedent to the consummation of the Merger specified in this Agreement shall have been satisfied or duly waived by the party entitled to satisfaction thereof; and
- (c) An executed Certificate of Merger or an executed, acknowledged and certified counterpart of this Agreement meeting the requirements of the Secretary of State of the State of Florida.

The date and time when the Merger shall become effective, as aforesaid, is herein called the "Effective Date of the Merger".

1.3 Effect of the Merger. Upon the Effective Date of the Merger, the separate existence of MRV shall cease and SPR, as the Surviving Corporation, (i) shall continue to possess all of its assets, rights, powers and property as constituted immediately prior to the Effective Date of the Merger, (ii) shall be subject to all actions previously taken by its and MRV's Boards of Directors, (iii) shall succeed, without other transfer, to all of the assets, rights, powers and property of MRV, (iv) shall continue to be subject to all of its debts, liabilities and obligations as constituted immediately prior to the Effective Date of the Merger, and (v) shall succeed, without other transfer, to all of the debts, liabilities and obligations of MRV in the same manner as if SPR had itself incurred them.

#### 2. CHARTER DOCUMENTS, DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

2.1 Certificate of Incorporation. Upon the effectiveness of the Merger, the Certificate of Incorporation of SPR as in effect immediately prior to the effective Date of the Merger shall continue in full force and effect as the Certificate of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation until duly amended in accordance with the provisions thereof and applicable law.

- 2.2 Bylaws. The Bylaws of SPR as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Date of the Merger shall continue in full force and effect as the Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation until duly amended in accordance with the provisions thereof and applicable law.
- 2.3 Directors and Officers. The directors and officers of SPR immediately prior to the Effective Date of the Merger shall be the directors and officers of the Surviving Corporation until their respective successors shall have been duly elected and qualified or until as otherwise provided by law, or the Certificate of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation or the Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation.

#### 3. SHARES

- 3.1 The parties hereby confirm that as of the date of this Agreement and upon the effectiveness of the date of the Merger, all of the assets and liabilities of MRV have been transferred, exchanged, merged into SPR, or cancelled.
- 3.2 At the Effective Time, by virtue of the Merger and without any action on the part of the shareholder, each issued and outstanding share of SPR shall continue unchanged and remain outstanding as a share of common stock of SPR.
- 3.3 Notwithstanding any portion of this Agreement to the contrary, the shareholders hereby waives any and all notice, presentment or demand for appraisal rights, if any, under applicable law.

#### 4. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- 4.1 General Representations and Warranties of MRV. MRV represents and warrant to SPR that the following facts set forth below are true and correct:
- (a) Binding Effect. The execution, delivery, performance and consummation of this Agreement, the Merger and the transactions contemplated hereby will not violate any obligation to which MRV is a party and will not create a default hereunder; and this Agreement constitutes a legal, valid and binding obligation of MRV, enforceable in accordance with its terms, except as the enforcement may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium, or similar laws affecting creditor's rights generally and by the availability of injunctive relief, specific performance or other equitable remedies.
- (b) Litigation Relating to this Agreement. There are no suits, actions or proceedings pending or to the best knowledge of MRV threatened which seek to enjoin the Merger or the transactions contemplated by this Agreement or which, if adversely

decided, would have a materially adverse effect on the business, results of operations, assets, prospects, agreement or the results of the operations of MRV.

- (c) No Conflicting Agreements. Neither the execution and delivery of this Agreement nor the fulfillment of or compliance by MRV with the terms or provisions hereof nor all other documents or agreements contemplated hereby and the consummation of the transaction contemplated by this Agreement will result in a breach of the terms, conditions or provisions of, or constitute a default under, or result in a violation of, MRV's corporate charter or bylaws or any agreement, contract, instrument, order, judgment or decree to which MRV is a party or by which MRV or any of its assets is bound, or violate any provision of any applicable law, rule or regulation or any order, decree, writ or injunction of any court or government entity which materially affects its assets or business.
- (d) Consents. No consent from or approval of any court, governmental entity or any other person is necessary in connection with execution and delivery of this Agreement by MRV and SPR or performance of the obligations of MRV and SPR hereunder or under any other agreement to which MRV or SPR is a party; and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement will not require the approval of any entity or person.
- Taxes. All returns, reports, statements and other similar filings (e) required to be filed by MRV with respect to any federal, state, local or foreign taxes, assessments, interests, penalties, deficiencies, fees and other governmental charges or impositions have been timely filed with the appropriate governmental agencies in all jurisdiction in which such tax returns and other related filings are required to be filed; all such tax returns properly reflect all liabilities of MRV for taxes for the periods, property or events covered thereby; and all taxes, whether or not reflected on those tax returns, and all taxes claimed to be due from MRV by any taxing authority, have been properly paid. MRV has not received any notice of assessment or proposed assessment in connection with any tax returns, nor is MRV a party to or to the best of its knowledge, expected to become a party to any pending or threatened action or proceeding, assessment or collection of taxes. MRV has not extended or waived the application of any statute of limitations of any jurisdiction regarding the assessment or collection of any taxes. There are no tax liens (other than any lien which arises by operation of law for current taxes not yet due and payable) on any of its assets. There is no basis for any additional assessment of taxes, interest or penalties. MRV has made all deposits required by law to be made with respect to employees' withholding and other employment taxes, including without limitation the portion of such deposits relating to taxes imposed upon MRV. MRV is not and has never been a party to any tax sharing agreements with any other person or entity.
- (f) There are no outstanding unpaid promissory notes, mortgages, indentures, deeds of trust, security agreements and other agreements and instruments

relating to the borrowing of money by or any extension of credit to MRV, except as previously disclosed to SPR.

- (g) There are no outstanding operating agreements, lease agreements or similar agreements by which MRV is bound, except as previous disclosed to SPR.
  - (h) MRV is not in default of any agreement to which it is a party.
- (i) Compliance with Laws. MRV is in compliance with all applicable laws, rules, regulations and orders promulgated by any federal, state or local government body or agency relating to its business and operations. MRV owns all franchises, licenses, permits, easements, rights, applications, filings, registration and other authorizations which are necessary for it to conduct business, all of which are valid and in full force and effect and MRV is in full compliance therewith.
- (j) Litigation. To the best knowledge of MRV, there is no suit, action or any arbitration, administrative, legal or other proceeding of any kind or character, or any governmental investigation pending or threatened against MRV, affecting its assets or business (financial or otherwise) and MRV is not in violation of or in default with respect to any judgment, order, decree or other finding of any court or government authority. There are no pending or threatened actions or proceedings before any court, arbitrator or administrative agency, which would, if adversely determined, individually or in the aggregate, materially and adversely affect its assets or business.
- (k) Employees. MRV is not in violation of any law, regulation relating to employment of employees.
- (I) Knowledge of Adverse Effects. MRV has no knowledge of any existing or threatened occurrence, action or development which could cause a material adverse effect on MRV or its business, assets or condition (financial or otherwise).
- (m) Books and Records. The books and records of MRV are complete and accurate in all material respects, fairly present its business and operations, have been maintained in accordance with good business practices, and applicable legal requirements, and accurately reflect in all material respects its business, financial condition and liabilities.
- (n) Full Disclosure. All representations or warranties of MRV are true, correct and complete in all material respects to the best of our knowledge on the date hereof and shall be true, correct and complete in all material respects as of the Closing Date as if they were made on such date. No statement made by MRV herein or in the exhibits hereto or any document delivered by it or on its behalf pursuant to this Agreement contains an untrue statement of material fact or omits to state all material

facts necessary to make the statements therein not misleading in any material respect in light of the circumstances in which they were made.

#### 5. GENERAL

- 5.1 Survival of Representations and Warranties. The representations and warranties made by MRV shall survive this Agreement and the date of Merger.
- 5.2 Specific Performance. Each party's obligations under this Agreement is unique. If any party should default in its obligations under this Agreement, the parties each acknowledge that it would be extremely impracticable to measure the resulting damages; accordingly, the non-defaulting party, in addition to any other available rights or remedies, may sue in equity for specific performance, and the parties each expressly waive the defense that a remedy in damages will be adequate.
- 5.3 Costs. If any legal action or any arbitration or other proceeding is brought for the enforcement of this Agreement or because of an alleged dispute, breach, default, or misrepresentation in connection with any of the provision of this Agreement, the successful or prevailing party or parties shall be entitled to recover reasonable attorneys' fees and other costs incurred in that action or proceeding, in addition to any other relief to which it or they may be entitled.
- 5.4 Arbitration. In the event a dispute arises with respect to the interpretation or effect of this Agreement or concerning the rights or obligations of the parties hereto, the parties agree to negotiate in good faith with reasonable diligence in an effort to resolve the dispute in a mutually acceptable manner. Failing to reach a resolution thereof, either party shall have the right to submit the dispute to be settled by arbitration under the Rules of Arbitration of the American Arbitration Association. The parties agree that all arbitration shall be conducted in Miami, Florida, unless the parties mutually agree to the contrary. The cost of arbitration shall be borne by the party against whom the award is rendered or, if in the interest of fairness, as allocated in accordance with the judgment of the arbitrators. All awards in arbitration made in good faith and not infected with fraud or other misconduct shall be final and binding.
- 5.5 Binding effect. This Agreement shall be binding upon and endure to the benefit of the parties and their respective permitted successors and assigns. Each party agrees that it will comply with all applicable laws, rules and regulations in the execution and performance of its obligations under this Agreement.
- 5.6 Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by and construct in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida without regard to principles of conflicts of law.

- 5.7 Entire Agreement. This document constitutes a complete and entire agreement among the parties with reference to the subject matters set forth herein. No statement or agreement, oral or written, made prior to or at the execution hereof and no prior course of dealing or practice by either party shall vary or modify the terms set forth herein without the prior consent of the other parties hereto.
- 5.8 This Agreement may be amended only by a written document signed by the parties.
- 5.9 Notices. Notices or other communications required to be made in connection with this Agreement shall be delivered to the parties at such address as may be given from time to time.
- 5.10 Enforceability. The invalidity or unenforceability of any provision of this Agreement shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this Agreement.
- 5.11 Execution in Counterparts; Facsimile Signatures. This Agreement may be executed in multiple counterparts, each of which shall constitute one and a single Agreement. Any facsimile signature of any part hereto or to any other agreement or document executed in connection hereof should constitute a legal, valid and binding execution by such parties.

[The remainder of this page has intentionally been left blank. Signature page follows.]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement and Plan of Merger, having first been approved by resolutions of the Boards of Directors of both SPR and MRV, is hereby executed on behalf of each of such two corporations and attested by their respective secretary thereunto duly authorized.

	By:  Roberto Scherer President
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Roberto Scherer Secretary	
	MRV GROUP INC.
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