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#### FOREIGN FILINGS

NAME:

NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE &

STORAGE, INC.

XX PROFIT

XX CORPORATE

XXXX AMENDMENT

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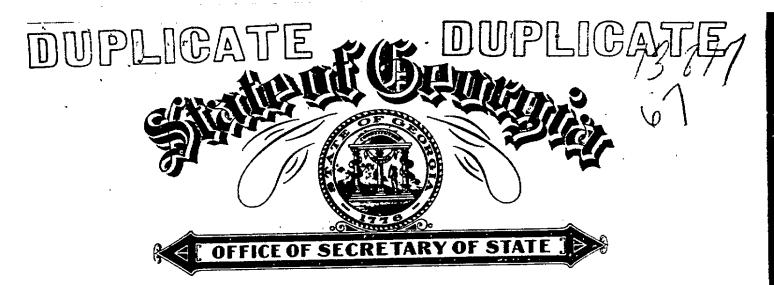
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#### PROFIT CORPORATION

#### APPLICATION BY FOREIGN PROFIT CORPORATION TO FILE AMENDMENT TO APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

(Pursuant to s. 607.1504, F.S.)

|    | (1-3 must be completed)  | 0CT -5<br>CRETARY (<br>LLAHASSEE | F _E              |  |
|----|--|----------------------------------|-------------------|--|
| 1. | NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC.   |                                  | $\overline{\Box}$ |  |
|    | Name of corporation as it appears on the records of the Department of St   |                                  |                   |  |
| 2. | <u>Georgia</u> 3. 7/25/86  |                                  |                   |  |
|    | Incorporated under the laws of Date authorized to do so the second secon |                                  |                   |  |
| 4. | . If the amendment changes the name of the corporation, when was under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation? September 2  |                                  |                   |  |
| 5. | Nationwide Storage Corporation, Inc.   |                                  |                   |  |
| •  | Name of corporation after the amendment, adding suffix "corporation", "company" or "incorporated," or appropriate abbreviation, if not contained in new name of the corporation.   |                                  |                   |  |
| 6. | . If the amendment changes the period of duration, indicate new period   | od of duration.                  |                   |  |
|    | New Duration   |                                  |                   |  |
| 7. | . If the amendment changes the jurisdiction of incorporation, indicate   | new jurisdiction.                |                   |  |
|    | New Jurisdiction   | <u>.</u> .                       | .44               |  |
|    | Helbert Margh 10   | -2-98                            |                   |  |
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|    | Hilbert Margol Presi Typed or printed name   | Title                            |                   |  |
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I, Max Cleland, Secretary of State of the State of Georgia, do hereby certify that

#### "NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC."

has been duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Georgia on the 30th day of August , 19 85, by the filing of articles of incorporation in the office of the Secretary of State and the fees therefor paid, as provided by law, and that attached hereto is a true copy of said articles of incorporation.

affixed the seal of my office, at the Capitol, in the City of Atlanta, this 30th day of August in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fighty

Pive and of the Independence of the United States of America the I wo Hundred and Ten.

Max Ckland

SECRETARY OF STATE, EX-OFFICIO CORPORATION COMMISSIONER OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

## **Secretary of State**

Corporations Division
Suite 315, West Tower
2 Martin Luther King Jr. Dr.
Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530

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ARNALL, GOLDEN & GREGORY, LLP ANNE B. MCCOY 1201 W. PEACHTREE ST., STE. 2800 ATLANTA, GA 303093450

#### CERTIFIED COPY

I, Lewis A. Massey, the Secretary of State of the State of Georgia, do hereby certify under the seal of my office that the attached documents are true and correct copies of documents filed under the name of

NATIONWIDE STORAGE CORPORATION, INC.
A DOMESTIC PROFIT CORPORATION

Said entity was formed in the jurisdiction set forth above and has filed in the office of Secretary of State on the date set forth above its certificate of limited partnership, articles of incorporation, articles of association, articles of organization or application for certificate of authority to transact business in Georgia.

This certificate is issued pursuant to Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated and is prima-facie evidence of the existence or nonexistence of the facts stated herein.



Jenis G. Massey

Lewis A. Massey Secretary of State

# IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF GEORGIA ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

## NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC.

1.

The name of the corporation is NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC.

2.

The corporation shall have perpetual duration.

3.

The corporation is a corporation for profit and is organized for the following general purposes:

- (a) To buy, sell, trade, exchange, and dispose of at wholesale or retail, as principal, broker or agent, all kinds of property, both real and personal, including but not limited to furniture, home furnishings, household appliances and similar items;
- (b) To buy, sell, exchange, lease, subdivide and improve real estate for itself and others;
- (c) To do every other act and thing for which corporations may be organized under the Georgia Business Corporation Code.

4.

The corporation has authority to issue not more than 20,000 snares of common stock of a par value of One Dollar (\$1.00).

5.

The corporation shall not commence pushess until it shall have received no less than Five humans declars (\$500.00) in payment for the issuance of its shares a stack.

The initial registered office of the corporation is at 1863 Enterprise Drive, Norcross, Gwinnett County, Georgia 30093. The initial registered agent of the corporation at such address is Howard Margol, whose written consent to such appointment is attached to these Articles of Incorporation.

7.

The initial Board of Directors shall consist of four (4) members who are:

Howard Margol 4430 Mount Paran Parkway, N.W. Atlanta, Georgia 30327

Hilbert Margol 4685 Chamblee Dunwoody Rd., No. E-2 Atlanta, Georgia 30338

Christopher I. Prescott 5937 Dana Drive Norcross, Georgia 30093

Gary Margol 316 Chip Rd. Stone Mountain, Georgia 30067

8.

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Howard Margol 4430 Mount Paran Parkway, N.W. Atlanta, Georgia 30327

9.

The Board of Directors of the corporation may authorize the issuance of bonds, debentures and other evidences or indebtedness of the corporation and may rix all the terms thereof, including without limitation, the convertible of the corporation and something the terms thereof.

stock of the corporation of any class, or any series of the same

class.

ROBERT P. WILDAU Attorney for Incorporator

TATE, MALLERNEE & WILDAU 400 Colony Square Suite 1600 Atlanta, Georgia 30361 (404) 892-8917

<8B:ARTICLES.RPW>

## CONSENT TO APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT

TO: Max Cleland, Secretary of State Ex officio Corporation Commissioner of Georgia

I, Howard Margol, do hereby consent to serve as registered

agent for the corporation Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc.

This the 29th day of \_

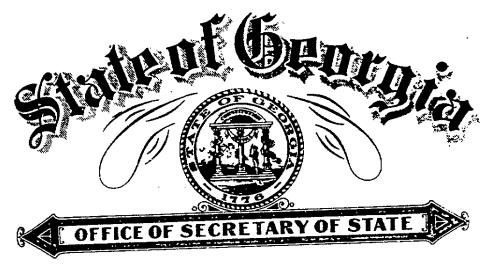
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HOWARD MARGOL

Address of Registered Agent:

c/o Royal Mattress Shops 1863 Enterprise Drive Norcross, Georgia 30093 (404) 449-3127

<8B:CONSENT.APP>



# I, Max Cleland, Secretary of State of the State of Georgia, do hereby certify that

based on a diligent search of the records on file in this office. I find that the name of the following proposed domestic corporation to wit

"NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC. "

is not identical with or confusingly similar to the name of any other existing domestic or domesticated or foreign corporation registered in the records on file in this office or to the name of any other proposed domestic or domesticated, or foreign corporation as shown by a certificate of the Secretary of State heretofore issued and presently effective.

presently effective.

This certificate is in full force and effective for a period of 4 calendar months from date of issuance. After such period of time, this certificate is void.

the seal of my office, at the lapitol, in the local of Atlanta, this day of the Thousand Nine Hundred and Fighty and Ten and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and

85241058

SECRETARY OF STATE, EX-OFF ICIO CORPORATION

## Secretary of State Business Services and Regulation

Suite 315, West Tower

2 Martin Cuther King Ir. Dr. Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530 TRANSACTION NUMBER CHARTER NUMBER DATE INCORPORATED

EFFECTIVE DATE
EXAMINER

TELEPHONE

: 91121560 : 8513817 : 08/30/85 : 04/30/91 : M. MATEEN : 404-656-0625

REQUESTED BY:

ATNALL, GOLDEN, & GREGORY ATTN: LESLIE S. BRONSON 55 PARK PLACE ATLANTA, GA. 30335

#### CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

I, MAX CLELAND, Secretary of State and the Corporations Commissioner of the State of Georgia do hereby certify, under the seal of my office, that articles of merger have been duly filed on the effective date set forth above, merging

"PRESMAR ENTERPRISES, INC.", a Georgia Corporation merged with and into "NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC.", a GA. Corp.

and the fess therefor paid as provided by law, and that attached hereto is a true and correct copy of said articles of merger.

WITNESS, my hand and official seal, in the City of Atlanta and the State of Georgia on the date set forth below.

DATE: MAY 6, 1991 FORM A6 (JULY 1989)

> MAX CLELAND SECRETARY OF STATE

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VERLEY J. SPIVEY DEPUTY SECRETARY OF STATE



# ARTICLES AND PLAN OF MERGER OF PRESMAR ENTERPRISES, INC. (A Georgia Corporation) INTO NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC. (A Georgia Corporation)

Pursuant to the provisions of the Georgia Business Corporation Code governing the merger of a domestic business corporation into a domestic business corporation, the corporations herein named do hereby adopt the following articles and plan of merger.

- 1. The following is the Plan of Merger for merging Presmar Enterprises, Inc. with and into Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc. (the "Merger") was adopted and approved by a unanimous written consent of the Board of Directors of each of said merging corporations:
  - "A. Presmar Enterprises, Inc., a Georgia corporation, shall, pursuant to the provisions of the Georgia Business Corporation Code, be merged with and into Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc., a Georgia corporation, which shall be the surviving corporation when the merger takes effect and which is sometimes hereinafter referred to as the "surviving corporation", and which shall continue to exist as said surviving corporation under its present name pursuant to the provisions of the Georgia Business Corporation Code. The separate existence of Presmar Enterprises, Inc., which is the owner of all of the outstanding shares of stock in Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc. and which is sometimes hereinafter referred to as the "non-surviving corporation", shall cease when the merger takes effect in accordance provisions of the Georgia Business Corporation Code.
  - B. The Articles of Incorporation of the surviving corporation when the merger takes effect shall be the Articles of Incorporation of said surviving corporation and said Articles of Incorporation shall continue in full force and effect until amended and changed in the manner prescribed by the provisions of the Georgia Business Corporation Code.
  - C. The present bylaws of the surviving corporation will be the bylaws of said surviving corporation and will continue in full force and effect until changed,

altered, or amended as therein provided and in the manner prescribed by the provisions of the Georgia Business Corporation Code.

- The directors and officers in office of surviving corporation when the merger takes effect shall be the members of the first Board of Directors and the first officers of the surviving corporation, all of whom shall hold their respective offices until their successors are duly elected and qualified or until their tenure is otherwise terminated in the bylaws of the surviving with accordance corporation.
- E. Each issued share of the non-surviving corper then when the merger takes effect shall be converted ... to one (1) share of the surviving corporation. The issued shares of the surviving corporation shall not be converted or exchanged in any manner, but each said share shall be surrendered and extinguished.
- F. The Board of Directors and the proper officers of the non-surviving corporation and the Board of Directors and the proper officers of the surviving corporation, respectively, are hereby authorized and empowered to do any and all acts and things, and to make, execute, deliver, file and/or record any and all instruments, papers and documents which shall be or become necessary, proper or convenient to carry out or put into effect any of the provisions of this Plan of Merger or of the merger provided for herein."
- 2. The Merger was duly approved by the shareholders of Presmar Enterprises, Inc. and by the sole shareholder of Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc.
- The Merger shall take effect at 11:59 p.m. April 30, 1991.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have caused this Articles and Plan of Merger to be executed on this 25th day of April, 1991.

> PRESMAR ENTERPRISES, INC., a Georgia corporation

Name: HOWARD

Title: SECRETARY

MARGOL

NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC., a Georgia corporation

Name: HownRD MARGOL Title: SECRETARY

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#### CERTIFICATE OF OFFICER OF SURVIVING CORPORATION

It is hereby certified and verified by the undersigned officer of the surviving corporation of the merger of Presmar Enterprises, Inc. into Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc., that the request for publication of a notice of intent to file the articles or certificate of merger and payment therefor have been made as required by subsection (b) of Section 14-2-1105.1 of the Georgia Business Corporation Code.

Executed on this 25 day of April, 1991.

Signature of officer:\_\_ Name of officer: Hilbert Margol Title of officer: President

STATE OF GEORGIA

Hilbert Margol, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the person who executed the foregoing certificate; that he signed the same in the capacity stated opposite or beneath his signature thereon; that he has read the foregoing certificate and knows the contents thereof; and that the statements contained therein are true to his own knowledge.

> Signature of officer: Name of officer: Hilbert Margol

Title of officer: President

Subscribed and sworn to before me on and 25, 1991.

Notary Public

Notary Public, Gwinnett County (200) 300 My Commission Expires April 6, 1993

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### Secretary of State Business Services and Regulation

Suite 315, West Cower 2 Martin Tuther King Br. Dr. Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530

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C T CORPORATION SYSTEM DANIEL J. SULLIVAN 1201 PEACHTREE STREET, N.E. ATLANTA, GA 30361

#### CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

I, MAX CLELAND, Secretary of State of the State of Georgia, do hereby issue this certificate pursuant to Georgia Law certifying that articles or a certificate of merger and fees have been filed regarding the merger of the below entities, effective as of the date shown above. Attached is a true and correct copy of said filing.

Surviving Entity: NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC., a Georgia corporation

Nonsurviving Entity/Entities: NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC., a Maryland corporation

> MAX CLELAND SECRETARY OF STATE

VERLEY J. SPIVEY

DEPUTY SECRETARY OF STATE



#### ARTICLES OF MERGER

#### MERGING

## NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC. (a Corporation of the State of Maryland)

#### INTO

## NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC. (a Corporation of the State of Georgia)

FIRST: Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Georgia ("Nationwide-Georgia"), and Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Maryland ("Nationwide-Maryland"), agree that Nationwide-Maryland shall be merged into Nationwide-Georgia. The terms and conditions of the merger and the mode of carrying the same into effect are as herein set forth in these articles of merger ("Articles of Merger").

SECOND: Nationwide-Georgia shall survive the merger and shall continue under the name Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc. (the "Surviving Corporation").

THIRD: Nationwide-Georgia is a corporation organized on the 30th day of August, 1985 and existing under the Business Corporation Code of the State of Georgia, and Nationwide-Maryland is a corporation organized on the 11th day of March, 1985 and existing under the Maryland General Corporation Law.

FOURTH: There are no amendments to the charter of the Surviving Corporation to be effected as part of the merger.

FIFTH: The total number of shares of stock of all classes which Nationwide-Georgia has authority to issue is Twenty Thousand (20,000) shares, all of one class, of the par value of One Dollar (\$1.00) each, and of the aggregate par value of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00).

The total number of shares of stock of all classes which Nationwide-Maryland has authority to issue is Five Thousand (5,000) shares, all of one class, of the par value of One Dollar (\$1.00) each, and of the aggregate par value of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00).

SIXTH: The manner and basis of converting or exchanging issued stock of the merged corporation into different stock or other consideration, the manner of dealing with any issued stock of the merged corporation not to be so converted or exchanged and every other provision necessary to effect the merger shall be as set forth in the Plan of Merger of Nationwide-Maryland with and into Nationwide-Georgia (the "Plan of Merger"), a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A and hereby incorporated and set forth herein by reference.

SEVENTH: The principal office of Nationwide-Maryland is located in Baltimore City, State of Maryland. Nationwide-Maryland does not own any real property in the State of Maryland.

EIGHTH: The location of the principal office of the Surviving Corporation in the State of Georgia, the state of its incorporation, is 6410 Atlantic Boulevard, Suite 180, Norcross, Gwinnett County, Georgia 30071, and the name and post office address of a resident agent of said Surviving Corporation in Maryland is The Corporation Trust Incorporated, 32 South Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21202.

NINTH: The terms and conditions of the merger transaction as set forth in these Articles of Merger and the Plan of Merger were advised, authorized and approved by Nationwide-Maryland, in the manner and by the vote required by its charter and the laws of Maryland. The merger was approved in the following manner:

Nationwide-Maryland, by the adoption on May 27, 1993, by unanimous written consent, of a resolution declaring that the merger herein proposed was advisable substantially upon the terms and conditions set forth in these Articles of Merger and the Plan of Merger, and directing that the Articles of Merger and the Plan of Merger be submitted to the stockholders of said corporation, and (b) duly authorized and approved by all of the stockholders of Nationwide-Maryland, by the adoption on May 27, 1993, by the unanimous written consent of the shareholders entitled to vote thereon, of a resolution approving these Articles of Merger and the Plan of Merger.

TENTH: The terms and conditions of the merger transaction as set forth in these Articles of Merger and the Plan of Merger were advised, authorized and approved by Nationwide-Georgia, in the manner and by the vote required by its charter and the laws of Georgia. The merger was approved in the following manner:

The merger was (a) duly authorized and approved by the board of directors of Nationwide-Georgia, by the adoption on May 27, 1993, by unanimous written consent, of a resolution declaring that the merger herein proposed was advisable substantially upon the terms and conditions set forth in these Articles of Merger and the Plan of Merger, and directing that the Articles of Merger and the Plan of Merger be submitted and recommended to the stockholders of said corporation, and (b) duly authorized and approved by all of the stockholders of Nationwide-Georgia, by the adoption on May 27, 1993, by the unanimous written consent of the shareholders entitled to vote thereon, of a resolution approving these Articles of Merger and the Plan of Merger.

ELEVENTH: The merger shall take effect as of 12:01 A.M., June 4, 1993.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc., a Georgia corporation, and Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc., a Maryland corporation, the parties to the merger, have caused these Articles of Merger to be signed in their respective corporate names and on their behalf by their respective presidents and attested by their respective assistant secretaries, as of the 27th day of MAY, 1993.

Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc., a Maryland corporation

By: Hilbert Margol, President

Augu.

Christopher Prescott, Assistant Secretary

Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc., a Georgia corporation

With

Hilbert Margol, President

Christopher Prescott, Assistant Secretary

THE UNDERSIGNED, President of Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc, a Maryland corporation, who executed on behalf of said corporation the foregoing Articles of Merger, of which this certificate is made a part, hereby acknowledges, in the name and on behalf of said corporation, the foregoing Articles of Merger to be the corporate act of said corporation and further certifies that, to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, the matters and facts set forth therein with respect to the approval thereof are true in all material respects, under the penalties of perjury.

Hilbert Margol, President

THE UNDERSIGNED, President of Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc., a Georgia corporation, who executed on behalf of said corporation the foregoing Articles of Merger, of which this certificate is made a part, hereby acknowledges, in the name and on behalf of said corporation, the foregoing Articles of Merger to be the corporate act of said corporation and further certifies that, to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, the matters and facts set forth therein with respect to the approval thereof are true in all material respects, under the penalties of perjury.

Hilbert Margol, President

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#### PLAN OF MERGER OF

NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC. (a Maryland corporation)

#### WITH AND INTO

NATIONWIDE WARRHOUSE & STORAGE, INC. (a Georgia corporation)

I.

#### NAMES

The names of the corporations planning to merge are Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc., a corporation for profit organized under the laws of the State of Georgia ("Nationwide-Georgia") and Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc., a corporation for profit organized under the laws of the State of Maryland ("Nationwide-Maryland").

II.

#### MERGER

Nationwide-Maryland and Nationwide-Georgia shall, pursuant to the provisions of the Georgia Business Corporation Code and the Maryland General Corporation Law (the "State Laws"), be merged (the "Merger") with and into a single corporation, to wit, Nationwide-Georgia, which shall be the surviving corporation when the merger takes effect and which is sometimes hereinafter referred to as the "Surviving Corporation", and which shall continue to exist as the Surviving Corporation under the name "Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc." pursuant to the provisions of the respective State Laws. The separate existence of Nationwide-Maryland, which is

sometimes hereinafter referred to as the "Terminating Corporation", shall cease when the merger takes effect (the "Effective Time") in accordance with the provisions of the State Laws.

III.

#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

The Articles of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation (the "Articles of Incorporation") as in effect immediately before the Effective Time of the Merger shall be the Articles of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation and shall continue to be the Articles of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation until thereafter amended as provided by law.

IV.

#### BYLAWS

The Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation as in effect immediately before the Effective Time of the Merger shall be the Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation and shall continue to be the Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation until thereafter amended as provided by law, the Articles of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation or such Bylaws.

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#### DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

The directors and officers of the Surviving Corporation in office immediately before the Effective Time of the Merger shall continue to be the directors and officers of the Surviving Corporation, all of whom shall hold their directorships and offices until the election and qualification of their respective successors

or until their tenure is otherwise terminated by law or in accordance with the Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation.

VI.

#### SHARES

The shareholders of Nationwide-Maryland and the shareholders of Nationwide-Georgia are the same persons, each of whom owns the same percentage of shares of Nationwide-Maryland and of Nationwide-Georgia. As of the Effective Time of the Merger, each is seed share of common stock of Nationwide-Maryland shall not be converted in any manner but each said share shall be extinguished. As of the Effective Time of the Merger, the issued shares of common stock of Nationwide-Georgia shall not be converted in any manner but each said share shall continue o represent one issued share of the Surviving Corporation. No new shares of the Surviving Corporation shall be issued as a result of the Merger. As of the Effective Time of the Merger, all of the paid in capital, capital surplus and retained earnings of Nationwide-Maryland shall be contributed to the Surviving Corporation as additional paid in capital of the Surviving Corporation.

#### VII.

#### EFFECTIVE TIME OF MERGER

The Merger shall take effect as of 12:01 A.M., June 4, 1973.

## GENERAL AUTHORITY OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

The Boards of Directors and the officers of the Terminating Corporation and of the Surviving Corporation are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to do any and all acts and things, and to

make, execute, deliver, file, and record any and all instruments, papers, and documents which shall be or become necessary, proper, or convenient to carry out or put into effect any of the provisions of this Plan of Merger or the Merger.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned duly authorized officers of Nationwide-Maryland and Nationwide-Georgia do hereby execute this Plan of Merger as of the  $27^{\text{th}}$  day of May, 1993.

NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC. a Maryland corporation

By: Hillet 1. larget

Title: YKESIVERT

NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC. a Georgia corporation

By: Hillest / May

Title. PRESIDENT

BSB (I)

SECRETARY OF STATE

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## VERIFICATION OF REQUEST FOR PUBLICATION

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc. has caused this Verification of Request for Publication to be executed by its duly authorized officer this  $\frac{27^{11}}{2}$  day of  $\frac{1000}{2}$ , 1993.

NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC.

By: Hilbert Margel
Title: PRESIDENT

BSR (I)

SEORITARY OF STATE

#### Secretary of State Business Information and Services Suite 315, West Tower 2 Martin Tuther King Ir. Ar. Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530

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CSC NETWORKS LISA WILLIAMS 100 PEACHTREE STREET, STE 660 ATLANTA GA 30303

#### CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT

I, the Secretary of State and the Corporation Commissioner of the State of Georgia, do hereby certify under the seal of my office that

#### NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC. A DOMESTIC PROFIT CORPORATION

has filed articles of amendment in the office of the Secretary of State and has paid the required fees as provided by Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated. Attached hereto is a true and correct copy of said articles of amendment.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the City of Atlanta and the State of Georgia on the date set forth above.

Jewis A. Massey

LEWIS A. MASSEY

SECRETARY OF STATE



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#### ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE , INC.

Pursuant to Sections 14-2-1001 and 14-2-1003 of the Georgia Business Corporation Code (the "Code"), NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC., a Ceorgia corporation, hereby submits these Articles of Amendment:

- 1. The name of the corporation is Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc. (the "Corporation").
- 2. Article 4 of the Articles of Incorporation of the Corporation is hereby amended by striking it in its entirety and submitting the following in lieu thereof:

"4.

The corporation has authority to issue not more than two million (2,000,000) shares of common stock, of a par value of one cent (\$.01) per share."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Corporation has caused these Articles of Amendment to be executed on this 6 day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 1996.

Nationwide Warehouse & Storage, Inc.

Its: Vice Proxident

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Corporations Division
Suite 315, West Tower
2 Martin Luther King Jr. Dr.
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ARNALL, GOLDEN & GREGORY, LLP ANNE B. MCCOY 1201 W. PEACHTREE ST., STE. 2800 ATLANTA, GA 303093450

#### CERTIFICATE OF NAME CHANGE AMENDMENT

I, Lewis A. Massey, the Secretary of State and the Corporation Commissioner of the State of Georgia, do hereby certify under the seal of my office that

## NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC. A DOMESTIC PROFIT CORPORATION

has filed articles of amendment in the office of the Secretar of State changing its name to

#### NATIONWIDE STORAGE CORPORATION, INC.

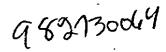
and has paid the required fees as provided by Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated. Attached hereto is a true and correct copy of said articles of amendment.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the City of Atlanta and the State of Georgia on the date set forth above.



Lewis G. Massey

Lewis A. Massey Secretary of State



#### ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC.

Pursuant to Sections 14-2-1001 and 14-2-1002 of the Georgia Business Corporation Code (the "Code"), NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC., a Georgia corporation, hereby submits these Articles of Amendment:

- 1. The name of the corporation is NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC. (the "Corporation").
- 2. The Articles of Incorporation of the Corporation are hereby amended by deleting the present Paragraph I in its entirety and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

The name of the corporation shall be NATIONWIDE STORAGE CORPORATION, INC."

- 3. The foregoing Amendment was duly adopted by the Board of Directors of the Corporation on September 29, 1998, without shareholder action.
  - 4. Pursuant to Section 14-2-1002 of the Code, shareholder action was not required.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Corporation has caused these Articles of Amendment to be executed by its President this 29th day of September, 1998.

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Hilbert Margol, President

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# CERTIFICATE AS TO REQUEST FOR PUBLICATION OF NATION: VIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC.

Pursuant to Section 14-2-1006.1 of the Georgia Business Corporation Code (the "Code"), the undersigned hereby certifies:

- 1. The undersigned is the duly elected and acting President of NATIONWIDE WAREHOUSE & STORAGE, INC., a Georgia corporation (the "Corporation").
- 2. The Articles of Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation (the "Amendment") was duly authorized on September 29, 1998 by Consent of the Board of Directors of the Corporation pursuant to Section 14-2-821 of the Code.
- 3. The Amendment was duly adopted by the Board of Directors of the Corporation without shareholder action in accordance with Section 14-2-1002 of the Code.
- 4. On September 29, 1998, the undersigned caused a request for publication of Notice of Change of Corporate Name and payment therefor to be delivered to The Gwinnett Daily Post as required by Section 14-2-1006.1 of the Code.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Certificate on behalf of the Corporation this 29th day of September, 1998.

Hilbert Margol, President

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