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# DREW J. BREAKSPEAR COMMISSIONER

March 15, 2016

VIA INTEROFFICE MAIL

Ms. Diane Cushing Administrator Amendment Section Florida Division of Corporations Post Office Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314-6327

Re: Marine Bancorp of Florida Inc.

Dear Ms. Cushing:

Please see the attached information from Mr. Robert J. Angerer, Igler and Pearlman, PA, providing the Articles of Incorporation for Marine Bancorp of Florida, Inc.

The Office does not object to the use of the above-referenced name being registered to conduct business in the state of Florida. This is in accoradance with Section 655.922, Florida Statutes.

Enclosed is a check for \$87.50 representing the filing fee and certified copy fees. The 2 certified copies should be provided to:

Mr. Robert Angerer Igler & Pearlman, P.A. 2075 Centre Pointe Blvd., Suite 100 Tallahassee, Florida 32308

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Bureau Chief

Bureau of Bank Regulation

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Enclosures (3)



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# DREW J. BREAKSPEAR COMMISSIONER

March 15, 2016

Mr. Robert J. Angerer Jr. Igler & Pearlman, P.A. 2075 Center Pointe Blvd., Suite 100 Tallahassee, Florida 32308

Re: Marine Bancorp of Florida, Inc.

Dear Mr. Angerer:

Reference is made to your recent correspondence requesting approval of the above referenced name which will be the holding company for Marine Bank & Trust, a state of Florida chartered bank located in Vero Beach, Florida.

Section 655.922, Florida Statutes, exempts a financial institution, holding company or its subsidiaries from the prohibition of using the word "bank," "banc," "banque," "banker," "banking," "trust company," "savings and loan association," "savings bank," or "credit union" in its corporate name.

Therefore, this Office will not object to the use of the above referenced name being registered to transact business in the state of Florida.

Sincerely,

Martin Stubblefield

Director

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cc: Diane C. Cushing, Senior Section Administrator, Division of Corporations, Florida Department of State



## FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Division of Corporations

March 16, 2016

MR. ROBERT ANGERER
IGLER & PEARLMAN, P.A.
2075 CENTRE POINTE BLVD., SUITE 100
TALLAHASSEE, FL 32308

SUBJECT: MARINE BANCORP OF FLORIDA, INC.

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We have received your document for MARINE BANCORP OF FLORIDA, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Florida law requires the street address of the principal office and, if different the mailing address of the entity. A post office box is not acceptable for the principal office.

You must list at least one incorporator with a complete business street address.

Please return 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) 245-6050.

Diane Cushing Senior Section Administrator

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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF MARINE BANCORP OF FLORIDA, INC.

The undersigned Incorporator of Marine Bancorp of Florida, Inc. ("Marine" or the "Corporation"), William J. Penny, of 571 Beachland Boulevard, Vero Beach, Florida, 32963, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation.

#### ARTICLE I - NAME, PRINCIPAL OFFICE, AND TERM OF EXISTENCE

The name of the corporation is "Marine Bancorp of Florida, Inc." The principal office address of the corporation is 571 Beachland Boulevard, Vero Beach, Florida, 32963. The term for which the Corporation shall exist shall be perpetual.

#### ARTICLE II – NATURE OF BUSINESS

The general nature of the business to be transacted by the Corporation shall be that of any business permitted under the laws of the United States of America and the State of Florida.

#### ARTICLE III - CAPITAL STOCK

The total number of shares of capital stock authorized to be issued by Marine shall be 105,000,000. Such shares shall be divided into 100,000,000 shares of common stock, par value \$1.50 per share, and 5,000,000 shares of preferred stock, par value \$5.00 per share. Such shares of stock shall have the following designations, preferences, limitations, and relative rights:

- Section 1 Common Stock: One class of shares of capital stock shall consist of 100,000,000 shares of common stock of \$1.50 par value per share, designated "Common Stock." Each share of Common Stock shall have the same relative rights and be identical in all respects with every other share of Common Stock. Subject to the rights of the holders of any series of Preferred Stock then outstanding, the holders of Common Stock are entitled to elect the members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation and such holders are entitled to vote as a class on all matters required or permitted to be submitted to the shareholders of the Corporation. Each holder of Common Stock is entitled to one vote per share. The Common Stock is not entitled to cumulative voting rights with respect to the election of directors.
- Section 2 <u>Preferred Stock</u>: Marine shall also have 5,000,000 shares of preferred stock, designated "Preferred Stock" of \$5.00 par value per share. The Board of Directors of the Corporation shall be empowered to divide any and all shares of the Preferred Stock into classes or series and to fix and determine the relative rights and preferences of the shares of any class or series so established in accordance with Section 607.0602, *Florida Statutes*, including:
  - (a) the distinctive designation of such class or series, and the number of shares which shall constitute such class or series;
  - (b) the annual rate of dividends payable on shares of such class or series, whether dividends shall be cumulative or non-cumulative, and conditions upon which and the date when such dividends shall be accumulated on all shares of such class or series issued prior to the record date for the first dividend of such class or series;

- (c) the time or times when and the price or prices at which shares of such class or series shall be redeemable at the option of the holder or of the Corporation and the sinking fund provisions, if any, for the purchase or redemption of such shares;
- (d) the amount payable on shares of such class or series in the event of any liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the affairs of the Corporation, whether all or a portion is paid before any amount is paid on the Common Stock;
- (e) the rights, if any, of the holders of shares of such class or series to convert such shares into, or exchange such shares for, shares of Common Stock or shares of any other class or series of Preferred Stock and the terms and conditions of such conversion or exchange; and
- (f) whether the shares of such class or series of Preferred Stock have voting rights and the extent of such voting rights, if any.

The Board of Directors shall have the power to reclassify any unissued shares of any class or series of Preferred Stock from time to time by setting or changing the preferences, conversion or other rights, voting powers, restrictions, limitations as to dividends, qualifications, or terms or conditions of redemption, including but not limited to, but subject to the limitations described in, the above provisions.

As of the date hereof, the Corporation has authorized 754 shares of Fixed Rate Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock, Series A, as described in Appendix A hereto, and 39 shares of Fixed Rate Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock, Series B, as described in Appendix B hereto.

#### ARTICLE IV – MANAGEMENT OF THE BUSINESS OF THE CORPORATION

- Section 1—Authority of the Board: The business and affairs of Marine shall be managed by or under the direction of the Board of Directors. In addition to the powers and authority expressly conferred upon them by the Florida Statues or by these Articles of Incorporation or the Bylaws of the Corporation, the directors are hereby empowered to exercise all such powers and do all such acts and things as may be exercised or done by the Corporation.
- Section 2 Action by Shareholders: Any action required or permitted to be taken by the shareholders of the Corporation may be effected at a duly called Annual or Special Meeting of Shareholders of the Corporation, or may be effected by consent in writing by such shareholders as provided by the Florida Statutes.
- Section 3 <u>Special Meeting of Shareholders</u>: Special Meeting of Shareholders of the Corporation may be called by the Board of Directors pursuant to a resolution adopted by a majority of the total number of authorized directors (whether or not there exist any vacancies in previously authorized directorships at the time any such resolution is presented to the Board for adoption), the Chairman of the Board or the Chief Executive Officer and/or President of the Corporation, or by shareholders holding at least thirty-three and one third percent (33 1/3%) of the outstanding shares of Common Stock of the Corporation.

#### ARTICLE V - DIRECTORS

- Section 1 Number of Directors: Marine's Board of Directors shall be comprised of not less than five (5) nor more than fifteen (15) directors and shall be fixed from time to time exclusively by the Board of Directors pursuant to a resolution adopted by a majority of the full Board. The Board of Directors is authorized to increase the number of directors by no more than two (2) and to immediately appoint persons to fill the new director positions until the next Annual Meeting of Shareholders. At such meeting the new director positions shall be filled by persons elected by the shareholders in accordance with Section 2, below.
- Section 2 <u>Election</u>: Directors shall be elected by the affirmative vote of the holders of a plurality of the voting power of all of the then outstanding shares of Corporation capital stock entitled to vote in the election at a meeting at which a quorum is present.
- Section 3 <u>Vacancies</u>: Subject to the rights of the holders of any series of Preferred Stock then outstanding, newly created directorships resulting from any increase in the authorized number of directors of any vacancies in the Board of Directors resulting form death, resignation, retirement, disqualification, removal from office or other cause may be filed only by a majority vote of the directors then in office, though less than a quorum. Directors so chosen shall hold office for a term expiring at the next Annual Meeting of Shareholders. No decrease in the number of directors constituting the Board of Directors shall shorten the term of any incumbent director.
- Section 4 <u>Term of Office</u>: Each director shall serve a one (1) year terms, or until such time as such director's successor shall have been duly elected and empaneled.
- Section 5—Removal by Shareholders: Subject to the rights of the holders of any series of Preferred Stock then outstanding, any director, or the entire Board of Directors, may be removed from office at any time by the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of the voting power of all of the then-outstanding shares of Corporation capital stock entitled to vote generally in the election of directors, voting together as a single class.

#### ARTICLE VI – INDEMNIFICATION

- Section  $1 \underline{Mandatory\ Indemnification}$ : The Corporation shall indemnify any person made a Party to an action, suit or proceeding:
  - (a) by, or in the right of, the Corporation to procure a judgment in its favor by reason of such person being or having been: (i) a director, officer, employee or agent of the Corporation; (ii) a director, officer, employee or agent of any other corporation, firm, association or entity which such person served as such at the request of Marine, including a subsidiary of the Corporation (but only if such indemnification is approved in writing by the Chief Executive Officer of the Corporation); or (iii) a trustee of any employee benefit plan or trust or other program sponsored by the Corporation or any subsidiary of the Corporation, in each case, against the reasonable expenses, including attorneys' fees, incurred by such person in connection with the defense or settlement of such action, or in connection with an appeal therein; provided that indemnification is limited to instances where the Board of Directors,

by a majority vote of a quorum consisting only of directors not a party to such proceeding, determines, the person to be indemnified acted in good faith and in a manner he or she reasonably believed to be in, or not opposed to, the best interest of the Corporation with no reasonable belief to believe his or her action was unlawful. Additionally, in any case where such person is adjudged in a final adjudication to have been guilty of, or liable for, conduct as to which, as a matter of law, no such indemnification may be made; and

- (b) other than one by or in the right of Marine to procure a judgment in its favor, whether civil or criminal, brought to impose a liability or penalty on such person for an act alleged to have been committed by such person in his or her capacity as: (i) a director, officer, employee or agent of the Corporation; (ii) a director, officer, employee or agent of any other corporation, firm, association or entity which such person served as such at the request of the Corporation, including a subsidiary of the Corporation (but only if such indemnification is approved in writing by the Chief Executive Officer of Marine); or (iii) a trustee of any employee benefit plan or trust or other program sponsored by the Corporation or any subsidiary of the Corporation, in each case, against judgments, fines, amounts paid in settlement and reasonable expenses, including attorneys' fees, incurred as a result of such action, suit or proceeding, or any appeal therein, unless the Board of Directors, by a majority vote of a quorum consisting of only directors not a party to such proceeding, determines that such person did not act in good faith and with the reasonable belief that such action was in the best interest of the Corporation. The termination of any such civil or criminal action, suit or proceeding by judgment, settlement, conviction or upon a plea of nolo contendere shall not in itself disqualify such person from indemnification except in any case where such person is adjudged in a final adjudication to have been guilty of, or liable for, conduct as to which, as a matter of law, no such indemnification may be made.
- Section 2 <u>Prohibited Indemnification</u>: Marine shall not indemnify any person, if a judgment or other final adjudication established that his or her actions or omissions were material to a cause of action and constitute:
  - (a) a violation of a criminal law, unless the person had reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was lawful or had no reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was unlawful;
  - (b) a transaction from which the person derived improper personal benefit from the Corporation;
  - (c) in the case of a director, a circumstance under which the liability provisions of Florida law governing unlawful distributions or dividends is triggered; or
  - (d) willful misconduct or a conscious disregard for the best interests of the Corporation in a proceeding by or in the right of the Corporation to procure a judgment in its favor or in a proceeding by or in the right of a shareholder.
- Section 3 <u>Permitted Indemnification</u>: Marine may indemnify a director, officer, employee or agent of the Corporation or of any other corporation, firm, association or entity which such person served as such at the request of the Corporation, including a subsidiary of the

Corporation, if the Board of Directors, by a majority vote of a quorum consisting only of directors not a party to such proceeding, determines that the person seeking indemnification:

- (a) acted in good faith;
- (b) acted in a manner reasonably believed to be in the best interest of the Corporation; and
  - (c) with respect to a criminal action, he or she had no reason to believe his or her conduct was unlawful.

Section 4 – <u>Limitations on Indemnification Relative to the Securities Act of 1933, as Amended</u>: Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, may be offered to directors, officers and controlling persons of Marine, the Corporation has been advised that in the opinion of the Securities and Exchange Commission such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than the payment by the Corporation of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the Corporation in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being registered, the Corporation undertakes, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, to submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and agrees to be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

Section 5 – <u>Indemnification Agreements</u>: Marine may enter into indemnification agreements with its directors, officers, employees or of any other corporation, firm, association or entity which such person served as such at the request of the Corporation, including a subsidiary of the Corporation which may provide for further or expanded indemnification rights or otherwise modify the rights provided hereunder.

#### Section 6 - Advancement of Expenses: The Corporation:

- (a) may elect to advance payments of expenses, including attorneys' fees to any person who may be entitled to indemnification hereunder during the pendency of any claim, action or proceeding; provided such advancement is made after a determination by either the Board of Directors, by a majority vote of a quorum consisting only of directors not a Party to such proceeding, or by independent legal counsel, that such an advancement is proper and in the Corporation's best interest and provided any person seeking advancement of expenses agrees in writing to reimburse the Corporation for such expenses if that person is ultimately determined not to be entitled to indemnification from the Corporation; and
- (b) in any instance where more than one person may be entitled to advancement of attorneys' fees hereunder, such person(s) shall select one attorney to serve as attorney for all such persons, unless, in the opinion of the attorney selected by the Corporation, a conflict of interest exists which would prevent representation by that attorney of one or more persons.

Notwithstanding the foregoing provision, any person may at any time decide to be represented by an attorney of his choosing, at his or her own expense.

#### ARTICLE VII – AMENDMENTS

Marine reserves the right to amend or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation in the manner prescribed by Chapter 607, *Florida Statutes* and all rights conferred upon shareholders are granted subject to this reservation.

The foregoing Articles of Incorporation are hereby adopted as of March//, 2016.

By:

William J. Penney, Incorporator, Chairman of the Board of Directors, and Chief Executive Officer

# CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 607.0501, Florida Statutes, 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: Marine Bancorp of Florida, Inc.
- 2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

William J. Penney. 571 Beachland Boulevard Vero Beach, Florida 32963

Having been named as Registered Agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as Registered Agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as Registered Agent.

William J. Jenney

Date: March  $\frac{l}{l}$ , 2016

#### APPENDIX A

## FIXED RATE CUMULATIVE PERPETUAL PREFERRED STOCK, SERIES A

OF

#### MARINE BANCORP OF FLORIDA, INC.

The <u>Fixed Rate Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock</u>, <u>Series A</u> of Marine Bancorp of Florida, Inc. (the "<u>Issuer</u>") be and hereby is created, and the designation and number of shares of such series, and the voting and other powers, preferences and relative, participating, optional or other rights, and the qualifications, limitations and restrictions thereof, of the shares of such series, are as follows:

- Part 1. <u>Designation and Number of Shares</u>. There is hereby created out of the authorized and unissued shares of preferred stock of the Issuer a series of preferred stock designated as the "Fixed Rate Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock, Series A" (the "<u>Designated Preferred Stock</u>"). The authorized number of shares of Designated Preferred Stock shall be 754.
- Part 2. <u>Standard Provisions</u>. The Standard Provisions contained in Schedule A attached hereto are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety and shall be deemed to be a part of this Appendix A to the same extent as if such provisions had been set forth in full herein.
- Part. 3. <u>Definitions</u>. The following terms are used in this Appendix A (including the Standard Provisions in Schedule A hereto) as defined below:
  - (a) "Common Stock" means the common stock, par value \$1.50 per share, of the Issuer.
- (b) "<u>Dividend Payment Date</u>" means February 15, May 15, August 15 and November 15 of each year.
- (c) "Junior Stock" means the Common Stock and any other class or series of stock of the Issuer the terms of which expressly provide that it ranks junior to Designated Preferred Stock as to dividend rights and/or as to rights on liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Issuer.
  - (d) "Liquidation Amount" means \$1,000 per share of Designated Preferred Stock.
- (f) "Parity Stock" means any class or series of stock of the Issuer (other than Designated Preferred Stock) the terms of which do not expressly provide that such class or series will rank senior or junior to Designated Preferred Stock as to dividend rights and/or as to rights on liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Issuer (in each case without regard to whether dividends accrue cumulatively or non-cumulatively).

Part. 4. <u>Certain Voting Matters</u>. Holders of shares of Designated Preferred Stock will be entitled to one vote for each such share on any matter on which holders of Designated Preferred Stock are entitled to vote, including any action by written consent.

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#### **STANDARD PROVISIONS**

Section 1. General Matters. Each share of Designated Preferred Stock shall be identical in all respects to every other share of Designated Preferred Stock. The Designated Preferred Stock shall be perpetual, subject to the provisions of Section 5 of these Standard Provisions that form a part of Appendix A. The Designated Preferred Stock shall rank equally with Parity Stock and shall rank senior to Junior Stock with respect to the payment of dividends and the distribution of assets in the event of any dissolution, liquidation or winding up of the Issuer.

Section 2. Standard Definitions. As used herein with respect to Designated Preferred Stock:

- (a) "Appendix A" means Appendix A to the Issuer's Articles of Incorporation or comparable instrument relating to the Designated Preferred Stock, of which these Standard Provisions form a part, as it may be amended from time to time.
  - (b) "Applicable Dividend Rate" means 9% per annum.
- (c) "Appropriate Federal Banking Agency" means the "appropriate Federal banking agency" with respect to the Issuer as defined in Section 3(q) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. Section 1813(q)), or any successor provision.
- (d) "Articles of Incorporation" means the Issuer's certificate or articles of incorporation, articles of association, or similar organizational document.
- (e) "<u>Business Combination</u>" means a merger, consolidation, statutory share exchange or similar transaction that requires the approval of the Issuer's stockholders.
- (f) "Business Day" means any day except Saturday, Sunday and any day on which banking institutions in the State of New York generally are authorized or required by law or other governmental actions to close.
  - (g) "Bylaws" means the bylaws of the Issuer, as they may be amended from time to time.
  - (h) "Dividend Period" has the meaning set forth in Section 3(a).
  - (i) "Dividend Record Date" has the meaning set forth in Section 3(a).
  - (i) "Liquidation Preference" has the meaning set forth in Section 4(a).
- (k) "Original Issue Date" means the date on which shares of Designated Preferred Stock are first issued.
  - (1) "Preferred Director" has the meaning set forth in Section 7(b).
- (m) "Preferred Stock" means any and all series of preferred stock of the Issuer, including the Designated Preferred Stock.
- (n) "Standard Provisions" mean these Standard Provisions that form a part of Appendix A to the Issuer's Articles of Incorporation relating to the Designated Preferred Stock.
  - (o) "Successor Preferred Stock" has the meaning set forth in Section 5(a).

(p) "Voting Parity Stock" means, with regard to any matter as to which the holders of Designated Preferred Stock are entitled to vote as specified in Sections 7(a) and 7(b) of these Standard Provisions that form a part of Appendix A to the Issuer's Articles of Incorporation, any and all series of Parity Stock upon which like voting rights have been conferred and are exercisable with respect to such matter.

#### Section 3. Dividends

Rate. Holders of Designated Preferred Stock shall be entitled to receive, on each share of Designated Preferred Stock if, as and when declared by the Board of Directors or any duly authorized committee of the Board of Directors, but only out of assets legally available therefor, cumulative cash dividends with respect to each Dividend Period (as defined below) at a rate per annum equal to the Applicable Dividend Rate on (i) the Liquidation Amount per share of Designated Preferred Stock and (ii) the amount of accrued and unpaid dividends for any prior Dividend Period on such share of Designated Preferred Stock, if any. Such dividends shall begin to accrue and be cumulative from the Original Issue Date, shall compound on each subsequent Dividend Payment Date (i.e., no dividends shall accrue on other dividends unless and until the first Dividend Payment Date for such other dividends has passed without such other dividends having been paid on such date) and shall be payable quarterly in arrears on each Dividend Payment Date, commencing with the first such Dividend Payment Date to occur at least 20 calendar days after the Original Issue Date. In the event that any Dividend Payment Date would otherwise fall on a day that is not a Business Day, the dividend payment due on that date will be postponed to the next day that is a Business Day and no additional dividends will accrue as a result of that postponement. The period from and including any Dividend Payment Date to, but excluding, the next Dividend Payment Date is a "Dividend Period", provided that the initial Dividend Period shall be the period from and including the Original Issue Date to, but excluding, the next Dividend Payment Date.

Dividends that are payable on Designated Preferred Stock in respect of any Dividend Period shall be computed on the basis of a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months. The amount of dividends payable on Designated Preferred Stock on any date prior to the end of a Dividend Period, and for the initial Dividend Period, shall be computed on the basis of a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months, and actual days elapsed over a 30-day month.

Dividends that are payable on Designated Preferred Stock on any Dividend Payment Date will be payable to holders of record of Designated Preferred Stock as they appear on the stock register of the Issuer on the applicable record date, which shall be the 15th calendar day immediately preceding such Dividend Payment Date or such other record date fixed by the Board of Directors or any duly authorized committee of the Board of Directors that is not more than 60 nor less than 10 days prior to such Dividend Payment Date (each, a "Dividend Record Date"). Any such day that is a Dividend Record Date shall be a Dividend Record Date whether or not such day is a Business Day.

Holders of Designated Preferred Stock shall not be entitled to any dividends, whether payable in cash, securities or other property, other than dividends (if any) declared and payable on Designated Preferred Stock as specified in this Section 3 (subject to the other provisions of Appendix A to the Issuer's Articles of Incorporation).

(b) <u>Priority of Dividends</u>. So long as any share of Designated Preferred Stock remains outstanding, no dividend or distribution shall be declared or paid on the Common Stock or any other shares of Junior Stock (other than dividends payable solely in shares of Common Stock) or Parity

Stock, subject to the immediately following paragraph in the case of Parity Stock, and no Common Stock, Junior Stock or Parity Stock shall be, directly or indirectly, purchased, redeemed or otherwise acquired for consideration by the Issuer or any of its subsidiaries unless all accrued and unpaid dividends for all past Dividend Periods, including the latest completed Dividend Period (including, if applicable as provided in Section 3(a) above, dividends on such amount), on all outstanding shares of Designated Preferred Stock have been or are contemporaneously declared and paid in full (or have been declared and a sum sufficient for the payment thereof has been set aside for the benefit of the holders of shares of Designated Preferred Stock on the applicable record date). The foregoing limitation shall not apply to (i) redemptions, purchases or other acquisitions of shares of Common Stock or other Junior Stock in connection with the administration of any employee benefit plan in the ordinary course of business and consistent with past practice; (ii) the acquisition by the Issuer or any of its subsidiaries of record ownership in Junior Stock or Parity Stock for the beneficial ownership of any other persons (other than the Issuer or any of its subsidiaries), including as trustees or custodians; and (iii) the exchange or conversion of Junior Stock for or into other Junior Stock or of Parity Stock for or into other Parity Stock (with the same or lesser aggregate liquidation amount) or Junior Stock, in each case, solely to the extent required pursuant to binding contractual agreements entered into prior to the Original Issuance Date or any subsequent agreement for the accelerated exercise, settlement or exchange thereof for Common Stock.

When dividends are not paid (or declared and a sum sufficient for payment thereof set aside for the benefit of the holders thereof on the applicable record date) on any Dividend Payment Date (or, in the case of Parity Stock having dividend payment dates different from the Dividend Payment Dates, on a dividend payment date falling within a Dividend Period related to such Dividend Payment Date) in full upon Designated Preferred Stock and any shares of Parity Stock, all dividends declared on Designated Preferred Stock and all such Parity Stock and payable on such Dividend Payment Date (or, in the case of Parity Stock having dividend payment dates different from the Dividend Payment Dates, on a dividend payment date falling within the Dividend Period related to such Dividend Payment Date) shall be declared pro rata so that the respective amounts of such dividends declared shall bear the same ratio to each other as all accrued and unpaid dividends per share on the shares of Designated Preferred Stock (including, if applicable as provided in Section 3(a) above, dividends on such amount) and all Parity Stock payable on such Dividend Payment Date (or, in the case of Parity Stock having dividend payment dates different from the Dividend Payment Dates, on a dividend payment date falling within the Dividend Period related to such Dividend Payment Date) (subject to their having been declared by the Board of Directors or a duly authorized committee of the Board of Directors out of legally available funds and including, in the case of Parity Stock that bears cumulative dividends, all accrued but unpaid dividends) bear to each other. If the Board of Directors or a duly authorized committee of the Board of Directors determines not to pay any dividend or a full dividend on a Dividend Payment Date, the Issuer will provide written notice to the holders of Designated Preferred Stock prior to such Dividend Payment Date.

Subject to the foregoing, and not otherwise, such dividends (payable in cash, securities or other property) as may be determined by the Board of Directors or any duly authorized committee of the Board of Directors may be declared and paid on any securities, including Common Stock and other Junior Stock, from time to time out of any funds legally available for such payment, and holders of Designated Preferred Stock shall not be entitled to participate in any such dividends.

#### Section 4. Liquidation Rights

- (a) <u>Voluntary or Involuntary Liquidation</u>. In the event of any liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the affairs of the Issuer, whether voluntary or involuntary, holders of Designated Preferred Stock shall be entitled to receive for each share of Designated Preferred Stock, out of the assets of the Issuer or proceeds thereof (whether capital or surplus) available for distribution to stockholders of the Issuer, subject to the rights of any creditors of the Issuer, before any distribution of such assets or proceeds is made to or set aside for the holders of Common Stock and any other stock of the Issuer ranking junior to Designated Preferred Stock as to such distribution, payment in full in an amount equal to the sum of (i) the Liquidation Amount per share and (ii) the amount of any accrued and unpaid dividends (including, if applicable as provided in Section 3(a) above, dividends on such amount), whether or not declared, to the date of payment (such amounts collectively, the "Liquidation Preference").
- (b) Partial Payment. If in any distribution described in Section 4(a) above the assets of the Issuer or proceeds thereof are not sufficient to pay in full the amounts payable with respect to all outstanding shares of Designated Preferred Stock and the corresponding amounts payable with respect of any other stock of the Issuer ranking equally with Designated Preferred Stock as to such distribution, holders of Designated Preferred Stock and the holders of such other stock shall share ratably in any such distribution in proportion to the full respective distributions to which they are entitled.
- (c) <u>Residual Distributions</u>. If the Liquidation Preference has been paid in full to all holders of Designated Preferred Stock and the corresponding amounts payable with respect of any other stock of the Issuer ranking equally with Designated Preferred Stock as to such distribution has been paid in full, the holders of other stock of the Issuer shall be entitled to receive all remaining assets of the Issuer (or proceeds thereof) according to their respective rights and preferences.
- (d) Merger, Consolidation and Sale of Assets Not Liquidation. For purposes of this Section 4, the merger or consolidation of the Issuer with any other corporation or other entity, including a merger or consolidation in which the holders of Designated Preferred Stock receive cash, securities or other property for their shares, or the sale, lease or exchange (for cash, securities or other property) of all or substantially all of the assets of the Issuer, shall not constitute a liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Issuer.

#### Section 5. Redemption.

(a) Optional Redemption. The Issuer, at its option, subject to the approval of the Appropriate Federal Banking Agency, may redeem, in whole or in part, at any time and from time to time, out of funds legally available therefor, the shares of Designated Preferred Stock at the time outstanding, upon notice given as provided in Section 5(c) below, at a redemption price equal to the sum of (i) the Liquidation Amount per share and (ii) except as otherwise provided below, any accrued and unpaid dividends (including, if applicable as provided in Section 3(a) above, dividends on such amount) (regardless of whether any dividends are actually declared) to, but excluding, the date fixed for redemption.

The redemption price for any shares of Designated Preferred Stock shall be payable on the redemption date to the holder of such shares against surrender of the certificate(s) evidencing such shares to the Issuer or its agent. Any declared but unpaid dividends payable on a redemption date that occurs subsequent to the Dividend Record Date for a Dividend Period shall not be paid to the holder entitled to receive the redemption price on the redemption date, but rather shall be paid to the holder of record of the redeemed shares on such Dividend Record Date relating to the Dividend Payment Date as provided in Section 3 above.

- (b) No Sinking Fund. The Designated Preferred Stock will not be subject to any mandatory redemption, sinking fund or other similar provisions. Holders of Designated Preferred Stock will have no right to require redemption or repurchase of any shares of Designated Preferred Stock.
- (c) Notice of Redemption. Notice of every redemption of shares of Designated Preferred Stock shall be given by first class mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the holders of record of the shares to be redeemed at their respective last addresses appearing on the books of the Issuer. Such mailing shall be at least 30 days and not more than 60 days before the date fixed for redemption. Any notice mailed as provided in this Subsection shall be conclusively presumed to have been duly given, whether or not the holder receives such notice, but failure duly to give such notice by mail, or any defect in such notice or in the mailing thereof, to any holder of shares of Designated Preferred Stock designated for redemption shall not affect the validity of the proceedings for the redemption of any other shares of Designated Preferred Stock. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if shares of Designated Preferred Stock are issued in book-entry form through The Depository Trust Company or any other similar facility, notice of redemption may be given to the holders of Designated Preferred Stock at such time and in any manner permitted by such facility. Each notice of redemption given to a holder shall state: (1) the redemption date; (2) the number of shares of Designated Preferred Stock to be redeemed and, if less than all the shares held by such holder are to be redeemed, the number of such shares to be redeemed from such holder; (3) the redemption price; and (4) the place or places where certificates for such shares are to be surrendered for payment of the redemption price.
- Preferred Stock at the time outstanding, the shares to be redeemed shall be selected either pro rata or in such other manner as the Board of Directors or a duly authorized committee thereof may determine to be fair and equitable. Subject to the provisions hereof, the Board of Directors or a duly authorized committee thereof shall have full power and authority to prescribe the terms and conditions upon which shares of Designated Preferred Stock shall be redeemed from time to time. If fewer than all the shares represented by any certificate are redeemed, a new certificate shall be issued representing the unredeemed shares without charge to the holder thereof.
- (e) <u>Effectiveness of Redemption</u>. If notice of redemption has been duly given and if on or before the redemption date specified in the notice all funds necessary for the redemption have been deposited by the Issuer, in trust for the *pro rata* benefit of the holders of the shares called for redemption, with a bank or trust company doing business in the Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, and having a capital and surplus of at least \$500 million and selected by the Board of Directors, so as to be and continue to be available solely therefor, then, notwithstanding that any certificate for any share so called for redemption has not been surrendered for cancellation, on and after the redemption date dividends shall cease to accrue on all shares so called for redemption, all shares so called for redemption shall no longer be deemed outstanding and all rights with respect to such shares shall forthwith on such redemption date cease and terminate, except only the right of the

holders thereof to receive the amount payable on such redemption from such bank or trust company, without interest. Any funds unclaimed at the end of three years from the redemption date shall, to the extent permitted by law, be released to the Issuer, after which time the holders of the shares so called for redemption shall look only to the Issuer for payment of the redemption price of such shares.

(f) <u>Status of Redeemed Shares</u>. Shares of Designated Preferred Stock that are redeemed, repurchased or otherwise acquired by the Issuer shall revert to authorized but unissued shares of Preferred Stock (*provided* that any such cancelled shares of Designated Preferred Stock may be reissued only as shares of any series of Preferred Stock other than Designated Preferred Stock).

#### Section 6. Conversion.

- (a) Optional Conversion. Except as provided below, holders of Designated Preferred Stock shares shall have no right to exchange or convert such shares into any other securities. On or after the Original Issue Date, the Issuer and any holder of any shares of Designated Preferred Stock may agree to convert, in whole or in part, on a mutually selected date (the "Conversion Date"), the shares of Designated Preferred Stock at a ratio of one (1) share of Designated Preferred Stock for five hundred fifty six and two thirds (556 2/3) shares of Issuer Common Stock.
- (b) <u>Effectiveness of Conversion</u>. If the Issuer and any holder of any shares of Designated Preferred Stock shall have agreed to convert such shares, then notwithstanding that any certificate for any shares so converted has not been surrendered for cancellation, on and after the Conversion Date dividends shall cease to accrue on all shares subject to such conversion agreement, all such shares shall no longer be deemed outstanding, and all rights with respect to such shares shall forthwith on the Conversion Date cease and terminate, except only the right of the holders thereof to receive the shares of common stock to be issued upon conversion. If fewer than all the shares represented by any certificate are converted, a new certificate shall be issued representing the unredeemed shares without charge to the holder thereof.
- (c) Status of Converted Shares. Shares of Designated Preferred Stock that are converted for shares of Issuer common stock shall revert to authorized but unissued shares of Preferred Stock (provided that any such canceled shares of Designated Preferred Stock may be reissued only as shares of any class of Preferred Stock other than Designated Preferred Stock).

#### Section 7. Voting Rights

- (a) <u>General</u>. The holders of Designated Preferred Stock shall not have any voting rights except as set forth below or as otherwise from time to time required by law.
- (b) <u>Preferred Stock Directors</u>. Whenever, at any time or times, dividends payable on the shares of Designated Preferred Stock have not been paid for an aggregate of six quarterly Dividend Periods or more, whether or not consecutive, the authorized number of directors of the Issuer shall automatically be increased by two and the holders of the Designated Preferred Stock shall have the right, with holders of shares of any one or more other classes or series of Voting Parity Stock outstanding at the time, voting together as a class, to elect two directors (hereinafter the "<u>Preferred Directors</u>" and each a "<u>Preferred Director</u>") to fill such newly created directorships at the Issuer's next annual meeting of stockholders (or at a special meeting called for that purpose prior to such next annual meeting) and at each subsequent annual meeting of stockholders until all accrued and unpaid dividends for all past Dividend Periods, including the latest completed Dividend Period (including, if

applicable as provided in Section 3(a) above, dividends on such amount), on all outstanding shares of Designated Preferred Stock have been declared and paid in full at which time such right shall terminate with respect to the Designated Preferred Stock, except as herein or by law expressly provided, subject to revesting in the event of each and every subsequent default of the character above mentioned; provided that it shall be a qualification for election for any Preferred Director that the election of such Preferred Director shall not cause the Issuer to violate any corporate governance requirements of any securities exchange or other trading facility on which securities of the Issuer may then be listed or traded that listed or traded companies must have a majority of independent directors. Upon any termination of the right of the holders of shares of Designated Preferred Stock and Voting Parity Stock as a class to vote for directors as provided above, the Preferred Directors shall cease to be qualified as directors, the term of office of all Preferred Directors then in office shall terminate immediately and the authorized number of directors shall be reduced by the number of Preferred Directors elected pursuant hereto. Any Preferred Director may be removed at any time, with or without cause, and any vacancy created thereby may be filled, only by the affirmative vote of the holders a majority of the shares of Designated Preferred Stock at the time outstanding voting separately as a class together with the holders of shares of Voting Parity Stock, to the extent the voting rights of such holders described above are then exercisable. If the office of any Preferred Director becomes vacant for any reason other than removal from office as aforesaid, the remaining Preferred Director may choose a successor who shall hold office for the unexpired term in respect of which such vacancy occurred.

- (c) <u>Class Voting Rights as to Particular Matters</u>. So long as any shares of Designated Preferred Stock are outstanding, in addition to any other vote or consent of stockholders required by law or by the Articles of Incorporation, the vote or consent of the holders of at least 66 2/3% of the shares of Designated Preferred Stock at the time outstanding, voting as a separate class, given in person or by proxy, either in writing without a meeting or by vote at any meeting called for the purpose, shall be necessary for effecting or validating:
  - (i) <u>Authorization of Senior Stock</u>. Any amendment or alteration of Appendix A to the Issuer's Articles of Incorporation to authorize or create or increase the authorized amount of, or any issuance of, any shares of, or any securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for shares of, any class or series of capital stock of the Issuer ranking senior to Designated Preferred Stock with respect to either or both the payment of dividends and/or the distribution of assets on any liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Issuer;
  - (ii) Amendment of Designated Preferred Stock. Any amendment, alteration or repeal of any provision of Appendix A to the Issuer's Articles of Incorporation or the Articles of Incorporation (including, unless no vote on such merger or consolidation is required by Section 7(c)(iii) below, any amendment, alteration or repeal by means of a merger, consolidation or otherwise) so as to adversely affect the rights, preferences, privileges or voting powers of the Designated Preferred Stock; or
  - (iii) Share Exchanges, Reclassifications, Mergers and Consolidations. Any consummation of a binding share exchange or reclassification involving the Designated Preferred Stock, or of a merger or consolidation of the Issuer with another corporation or other entity, unless in each case (x) the shares of Designated Preferred Stock remain outstanding or, in the case of any such merger or consolidation with respect to which the Issuer is not the surviving or resulting entity, are converted into or exchanged for preference

securities of the surviving or resulting entity or its ultimate parent, and (y) such shares remaining outstanding or such preference securities, as the case may be, have such rights, preferences, privileges and voting powers, and limitations and restrictions thereof, taken as a whole, as are not materially less favorable to the holders thereof than the rights, preferences, privileges and voting powers, and limitations and restrictions thereof, of Designated Preferred Stock immediately prior to such consummation, taken as a whole;

provided, however, that for all purposes of this Section 7(c), any increase in the amount of the authorized Preferred Stock, including any increase in the authorized amount of Designated Preferred Stock necessary to satisfy preemptive or similar rights granted by the Issuer to other persons prior to the Original Issuance Date, or the creation and issuance, or an increase in the authorized or issued amount, whether pursuant to preemptive or similar rights or otherwise, of any other series of Preferred Stock, or any securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for any other series of Preferred Stock, ranking equally with and/or junior to Designated Preferred Stock with respect to the payment of dividends (whether such dividends are cumulative or non-cumulative) and the distribution of assets upon liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Issuer will not be deemed to adversely affect the rights, preferences, privileges or voting powers, and shall not require the affirmative vote or consent of, the holders of outstanding shares of the Designated Preferred Stock.

- (d) Changes after Provision for Redemption. No vote or consent of the holders of Designated Preferred Stock shall be required pursuant to Section 7(c) above if, at or prior to the time when any such vote or consent would otherwise be required pursuant to such Section, all outstanding shares of the Designated Preferred Stock shall have been redeemed, or shall have been called for redemption upon proper notice and sufficient funds shall have been deposited in trust for such redemption, in each case pursuant to Section 5 above.
- (e) Procedures for Voting and Consents. The rules and procedures for calling and conducting any meeting of the holders of Designated Preferred Stock (including, without limitation, the fixing of a record date in connection therewith), the solicitation and use of proxies at such a meeting, the obtaining of written consents and any other aspect or matter with regard to such a meeting or such consents shall be governed by any rules of the Board of Directors or any duly authorized committee of the Board of Directors, in its discretion, may adopt from time to time, which rules and procedures shall conform to the requirements of the Articles of Incorporation, the Bylaws, and applicable law and the rules of any national securities exchange or other trading facility on which Designated Preferred Stock is listed or traded at the time.
- Section 8. <u>Record Holders</u>. To the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, the Issuer and the transfer agent for Designated Preferred Stock may deem and treat the record holder of any share of Designated Preferred Stock as the true and lawful owner thereof for all purposes, and neither the Issuer nor such transfer agent shall be affected by any notice to the contrary.

Section 9. Notices. All notices or communications in respect of Designated Preferred Stock shall be sufficiently given if given in writing and delivered in person or by first class mail, postage prepaid, or if given in such other manner as may be permitted in this Appendix A, in the Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws or by applicable law. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if shares of Designated Preferred Stock are issued in book-entry form through The Depository Trust Company or any similar facility, such notices may be given to the holders of Designated Preferred Stock in any manner permitted by such facility.

Section 10. No Preemptive Rights. No share of Designated Preferred Stock shall have any rights of preemption whatsoever as to any securities of the Issuer, or any warrants, rights or options issued or granted with respect thereto, regardless of how such securities, or such warrants, rights or options, may be designated, issued or granted.

Section 11. Replacement Certificates. The Issuer shall replace any mutilated certificate at the holder's expense upon surrender of that certificate to the Issuer. The Issuer shall replace certificates that become destroyed, stolen or lost at the holder's expense upon delivery to the Issuer of reasonably satisfactory evidence that the certificate has been destroyed, stolen or lost, together with any indemnity that may be reasonably required by the Issuer.

Section 12. Other Rights. The shares of Designated Preferred Stock shall not have any rights, preferences, privileges or voting powers or relative, participating, optional or other special rights, or qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof, other than as set forth herein or in the Articles of Incorporation or as provided by applicable law.

#### APPENDIX B

#### FIXED RATE CUMULATIVE PERPETUAL PREFERRED STOCK, SERIES B

**OF** 

#### MARINE BANCORP OF FLORIDA, INC.

The <u>Fixed Rate Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock</u>, <u>Series B</u> of Marine Bancorp of Florida, Inc. (the "<u>Issuer</u>") be and hereby is created, and the designation and number of shares of such series, and the voting and other powers, preferences and relative, participating, optional or other rights, and the qualifications, limitations and restrictions thereof, of the shares of such series, are as follows:

- Part 1. <u>Designation and Number of Shares</u>. There is hereby created out of the authorized and unissued shares of preferred stock of the Issuer a series of preferred stock designated as the "Fixed Rate Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock, Series B" (the "<u>Designated Preferred Stock</u>"). The authorized number of shares of Designated Preferred Stock shall be 39.
- Part 2. <u>Standard Provisions</u>. The Standard Provisions contained in Schedule A attached hereto are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety and shall be deemed to be a part of this Appendix B to the same extent as if such provisions had been set forth in full herein.
- Part. 3. <u>Definitions</u>. The following terms are used in this [Appendix B] (including the Standard Provisions in Schedule A hereto) as defined below:
  - (a) "Common Stock" means the common stock, par value \$1.50 per share, of the Issuer.
- (b) "<u>Dividend Payment Date</u>" means February 15, May 15, August 15 and November 15 of each year.
- (c) "Junior Stock" means the Common Stock and any other class or series of stock of the Issuer the terms of which expressly provide that it ranks junior to Designated Preferred Stock as to dividend rights and/or as to rights on liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Issuer.
  - (d) "Liquidation Amount" means \$1,000 per share of Designated Preferred Stock.
- (f) "Parity Stock" means any class or series of stock of the Issuer (other than Designated Preferred Stock) the terms of which do not expressly provide that such class or series will rank senior or junior to Designated Preferred Stock as to dividend rights and/or as to rights on liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Issuer (in each case without regard to whether dividends accrue cumulatively or non-cumulatively). Without limiting the foregoing, Parity Stock shall include the Issuer's Series A Preferred Stock.

- (h) "Series A Preferred Stock" means the Issuer's Fixed Rate Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock, Series A.
- Part. 4. <u>Certain Voting Matters</u>. Holders of shares of Designated Preferred Stock will be entitled to one vote for each such share on any matter on which holders of Designated Preferred Stock are entitled to vote, including any action by written consent.

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#### Schedule A

#### STANDARD PROVISIONS

Section 1. General Matters. Each share of Designated Preferred Stock shall be identical in all respects to every other share of Designated Preferred Stock. The Designated Preferred Stock shall be perpetual, subject to the provisions of Section 5 of these Standard Provisions that form a part of the Appendix B. The Designated Preferred Stock shall rank equally with Parity Stock and shall rank senior to Junior Stock with respect to the payment of dividends and the distribution of assets in the event of any dissolution, liquidation or winding up of the Issuer.

Section 2. Standard Definitions. As used herein with respect to Designated Preferred Stock:

- (a) "Appendix B" means the Appendix B or comparable instrument relating to the Designated Preferred Stock, of which these Standard Provisions form a part, as it may be amended from time to time.
- (b) "Appropriate Federal Banking Agency" means the "appropriate Federal banking agency" with respect to the Issuer as defined in Section 3(q) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. Section 1813(q)), or any successor provision.
- (c) "Articles of Incorporation" means the Issuer's certificate or articles of incorporation, articles of association, or similar organizational document.
- (d) "<u>Business Combination</u>" means a merger, consolidation, statutory share exchange or similar transaction that requires the approval of the Issuer's stockholders.
- (e) "<u>Business Day</u>" means any day except Saturday, Sunday and any day on which banking institutions in the State of New York generally are authorized or required by law or other governmental actions to close.
  - (f) "Bylaws" means the bylaws of the Issuer, as they may be amended from time to time.
  - (g) "<u>Dividend Period</u>" has the meaning set forth in Section 3(a).
  - (h) "<u>Dividend Record Date</u>" has the meaning set forth in Section 3(a).
  - (i) "<u>Liquidation Preference</u>" has the meaning set forth in Section 4(a).
- (j) "Original Issue Date" means the date on which shares of Designated Preferred Stock are first issued.
  - (k) "Preferred Director" has the meaning set forth in Section 7(b).
- (l) "Preferred Stock" means any and all series of preferred stock of the Issuer, including the Designated Preferred Stock.
- (m) "Standard Provisions" mean these Standard Provisions that form a part of Appendix B to the Issuer's Articles of Incorporation relating to the Designated Preferred Stock.
  - (n) "Successor Preferred Stock" has the meaning set forth in Section 5(a).

(o) "Voting Parity Stock" means, with regard to any matter as to which the holders of Designated Preferred Stock are entitled to vote as specified in Sections 7(a) and 7(b) of these Standard Provisions that form a part of the Appendix B to the Issuer's Articles of Incorporation, any and all series of Parity Stock upon which like voting rights have been conferred and are exercisable with respect to such matter.

#### Section 3. Dividends.

Rate. Holders of Designated Preferred Stock shall be entitled to receive, on each share of Designated Preferred Stock if, as and when declared by the Board of Directors or any duly authorized committee of the Board of Directors, but only out of assets legally available therefor, cumulative cash dividends with respect to each Dividend Period (as defined below) at a per annum rate of 9.0% on (i) the Liquidation Amount per share of Designated Preferred Stock and (ii) the amount of accrued and unpaid dividends for any prior Dividend Period on such share of Designated Preferred Stock, if any. Such dividends shall begin to accrue and be cumulative from the Original Issue Date, shall compound on each subsequent Dividend Payment Date (i.e., no dividends shall accrue on other dividends unless and until the first Dividend Payment Date for such other dividends has passed without such other dividends having been paid on such date) and shall be payable quarterly in arrears on each Dividend Payment Date, commencing with the first such Dividend Payment Date to occur at least 20 calendar days after the Original Issue Date. In the event that any Dividend Payment Date would otherwise fall on a day that is not a Business Day, the dividend payment due on that date will be postponed to the next day that is a Business Day and no additional dividends will accrue as a result of that postponement. The period from and including any Dividend Payment Date to, but excluding, the next Dividend Payment Date is a "Dividend Period", provided that the initial Dividend Period shall be the period from and including the Original Issue Date to, but excluding, the next Dividend Payment Date.

Dividends that are payable on Designated Preferred Stock in respect of any Dividend Period shall be computed on the basis of a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months. The amount of dividends payable on Designated Preferred Stock on any date prior to the end of a Dividend Period, and for the initial Dividend Period, shall be computed on the basis of a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months, and actual days elapsed over a 30-day month.

Dividends that are payable on Designated Preferred Stock on any Dividend Payment Date will be payable to holders of record of Designated Preferred Stock as they appear on the stock register of the Issuer on the applicable record date, which shall be the 15th calendar day immediately preceding such Dividend Payment Date or such other record date fixed by the Board of Directors or any duly authorized committee of the Board of Directors that is not more than 60 nor less than 10 days prior to such Dividend Payment Date (each, a "Dividend Record Date"). Any such day that is a Dividend Record Date shall be a Dividend Record Date whether or not such day is a Business Day.

Holders of Designated Preferred Stock shall not be entitled to any dividends, whether payable in cash, securities or other property, other than dividends (if any) declared and payable on Designated Preferred Stock as specified in this Section 3 (subject to the other provisions of Appendix B to the Issuer's Articles of Incorporation).

(b) <u>Priority of Dividends</u>. So long as any share of Designated Preferred Stock remains outstanding, no dividend or distribution shall be declared or paid on the Common Stock or any other shares of Junior Stock (other than dividends payable solely in shares of Common Stock) or Parity

Stock, subject to the immediately following paragraph in the case of Parity Stock, and no Common Stock, Junior Stock or Parity Stock shall be, directly or indirectly, purchased, redeemed or otherwise acquired for consideration by the Issuer or any of its subsidiaries unless all accrued and unpaid dividends for all past Dividend Periods, including the latest completed Dividend Period (including, if applicable as provided in Section 3(a) above, dividends on such amount), on all outstanding shares of Designated Preferred Stock have been or are contemporaneously declared and paid in full (or have been declared and a sum sufficient for the payment thereof has been set aside for the benefit of the holders of shares of Designated Preferred Stock on the applicable record date). The foregoing limitation shall not apply to (i) redemptions, purchases or other acquisitions of shares of Common Stock or other Junior Stock in connection with the administration of any employee benefit plan in the ordinary course of business and consistent with past practice; (ii) the acquisition by the Issuer or any of its subsidiaries of record ownership in Junior Stock or Parity Stock for the beneficial ownership of any other persons (other than the Issuer or any of its subsidiaries), including as trustees or custodians; and (iii) the exchange or conversion of Junior Stock for or into other Junior Stock or of Parity Stock for or into other Parity Stock (with the same or lesser aggregate liquidation amount) or Junior Stock, in each case, solely to the extent required pursuant to binding contractual agreements entered into prior to the Original Issuance Date or any subsequent agreement for the accelerated exercise, settlement or exchange thereof for Common Stock.

When dividends are not paid (or declared and a sum sufficient for payment thereof set aside for the benefit of the holders thereof on the applicable record date) on any Dividend Payment Date (or, in the case of Parity Stock having dividend payment dates different from the Dividend Payment Dates, on a dividend payment date falling within a Dividend Period related to such Dividend Payment Date) in full upon Designated Preferred Stock and any shares of Parity Stock, all dividends declared on Designated Preferred Stock and all such Parity Stock and payable on such Dividend Payment Date (or, in the case of Parity Stock having dividend payment dates different from the Dividend Payment Dates, on a dividend payment date falling within the Dividend Period related to such Dividend Payment Date) shall be declared pro rata so that the respective amounts of such dividends declared shall bear the same ratio to each other as all accrued and unpaid dividends per share on the shares of Designated Preferred Stock (including, if applicable as provided in Section 3(a) above, dividends on such amount) and all Parity Stock payable on such Dividend Payment Date (or, in the case of Parity Stock having dividend payment dates different from the Dividend Payment Dates, on a dividend payment date falling within the Dividend Period related to such Dividend Payment Date) (subject to their having been declared by the Board of Directors or a duly authorized committee of the Board of Directors out of legally available funds and including, in the case of Parity Stock that bears cumulative dividends, all accrued but unpaid dividends) bear to each other. If the Board of Directors or a duly authorized committee of the Board of Directors determines not to pay any dividend or a full dividend on a Dividend Payment Date, the Issuer will provide written notice to the holders of Designated Preferred Stock prior to such Dividend Payment Date.

Subject to the foregoing, and not otherwise, such dividends (payable in cash, securities or other property) as may be determined by the Board of Directors or any duly authorized committee of the Board of Directors may be declared and paid on any securities, including Common Stock and other Junior Stock, from time to time out of any funds legally available for such payment, and holders of Designated Preferred Stock shall not be entitled to participate in any such dividends.

#### Section 4. Liquidation Rights

- (a) Voluntary or Involuntary Liquidation. In the event of any liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the affairs of the Issuer, whether voluntary or involuntary, holders of Designated Preferred Stock shall be entitled to receive for each share of Designated Preferred Stock, out of the assets of the Issuer or proceeds thereof (whether capital or surplus) available for distribution to stockholders of the Issuer, subject to the rights of any creditors of the Issuer, before any distribution of such assets or proceeds is made to or set aside for the holders of Common Stock and any other stock of the Issuer ranking junior to Designated Preferred Stock as to such distribution, payment in full in an amount equal to the sum of (i) the Liquidation Amount per share and (ii) the amount of any accrued and unpaid dividends (including, if applicable as provided in Section 3(a) above, dividends on such amount), whether or not declared, to the date of payment (such amounts collectively, the "Liquidation Preference").
- (b) <u>Partial Payment</u>. If in any distribution described in Section 4(a) above the assets of the Issuer or proceeds thereof are not sufficient to pay in full the amounts payable with respect to all outstanding shares of Designated Preferred Stock and the corresponding amounts payable with respect of any other stock of the Issuer ranking equally with Designated Preferred Stock as to such distribution, holders of Designated Preferred Stock and the holders of such other stock shall share ratably in any such distribution in proportion to the full respective distributions to which they are entitled.
- (c) <u>Residual Distributions</u>. If the Liquidation Preference has been paid in full to all holders of Designated Preferred Stock and the corresponding amounts payable with respect of any other stock of the Issuer ranking equally with Designated Preferred Stock as to such distribution has been paid in full, the holders of other stock of the Issuer shall be entitled to receive all remaining assets of the Issuer (or proceeds thereof) according to their respective rights and preferences.
- (d) Merger, Consolidation and Sale of Assets Not Liquidation. For purposes of this Section 4, the merger or consolidation of the Issuer with any other corporation or other entity, including a merger or consolidation in which the holders of Designated Preferred Stock receive cash, securities or other property for their shares, or the sale, lease or exchange (for cash, securities or other property) of all or substantially all of the assets of the Issuer, shall not constitute a liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Issuer.

#### Section 5. Redemption.

(a) Optional Redemption. The Issuer, at its option, subject to the approval of the Appropriate Federal Banking Agency, may redeem, in whole or in part, at any time and from time to time, out of funds legally available therefor, the shares of Designated Preferred Stock at the time outstanding, upon notice given as provided in Section 5(c) below, at a redemption price equal to the sum of (i) the Liquidation Amount per share and (ii) except as otherwise provided below, any accrued and unpaid dividends (including, if applicable as provided in Section 3(a) above, dividends on such amount) (regardless of whether any dividends are actually declared) to, but excluding, the date fixed for redemption.

The redemption price for any shares of Designated Preferred Stock shall be payable on the redemption date to the holder of such shares against surrender of the certificate(s) evidencing such shares to the Issuer or its agent. Any declared but unpaid dividends payable on a redemption date that occurs subsequent to the Dividend Record Date for a Dividend Period shall not be paid to the holder

entitled to receive the redemption price on the redemption date, but rather shall be paid to the holder of record of the redeemed shares on such Dividend Record Date relating to the Dividend Payment Date as provided in Section 3 above.

- (b) No Sinking Fund. The Designated Preferred Stock will not be subject to any mandatory redemption, sinking fund or other similar provisions. Holders of Designated Preferred Stock will have no right to require redemption or repurchase of any shares of Designated Preferred Stock.
- Notice of Redemption. Notice of every redemption of shares of Designated Preferred Stock shall be given by first class mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the holders of record of the shares to be redeemed at their respective last addresses appearing on the books of the Issuer. Such mailing shall be at least 30 days and not more than 60 days before the date fixed for redemption. Any notice mailed as provided in this Subsection shall be conclusively presumed to have been duly given, whether or not the holder receives such notice, but failure duly to give such notice by mail, or any defect in such notice or in the mailing thereof, to any holder of shares of Designated Preferred Stock designated for redemption shall not affect the validity of the proceedings for the redemption of any other shares of Designated Preferred Stock. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if shares of Designated Preferred Stock are issued in book-entry form through The Depository Trust Company or any other similar facility, notice of redemption may be given to the holders of Designated Preferred Stock at such time and in any manner permitted by such facility. Each notice of redemption given to a holder shall state: (1) the redemption date; (2) the number of shares of Designated Preferred Stock to be redeemed and, if less than all the shares held by such holder are to be redeemed, the number of such shares to be redeemed from such holder; (3) the redemption price; and (4) the place or places where certificates for such shares are to be surrendered for payment of the redemption price.
- Preferred Stock at the time outstanding, the shares to be redeemed shall be selected either pro rata or in such other manner as the Board of Directors or a duly authorized committee thereof may determine to be fair and equitable. Subject to the provisions hereof, the Board of Directors or a duly authorized committee thereof shall have full power and authority to prescribe the terms and conditions upon which shares of Designated Preferred Stock shall be redeemed from time to time. If fewer than all the shares represented by any certificate are redeemed, a new certificate shall be issued representing the unredeemed shares without charge to the holder thereof.
- (e) Effectiveness of Redemption. If notice of redemption has been duly given and if on or before the redemption date specified in the notice all funds necessary for the redemption have been deposited by the Issuer, in trust for the *pro rata* benefit of the holders of the shares called for redemption, with a bank or trust company doing business in the Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, and having a capital and surplus of at least \$500 million and selected by the Board of Directors, so as to be and continue to be available solely therefor, then, notwithstanding that any certificate for any share so called for redemption has not been surrendered for cancellation, on and after the redemption date dividends shall cease to accrue on all shares so called for redemption, all shares so called for redemption shall no longer be deemed outstanding and all rights with respect to such shares shall forthwith on such redemption date cease and terminate, except only the right of the holders thereof to receive the amount payable on such redemption from such bank or trust company, without interest. Any funds unclaimed at the end of three years from the redemption date shall, to the extent permitted by law, be released to the Issuer, after which time the holders of the shares so called for redemption shall look only to the Issuer for payment of the redemption price of such shares.

- (f) <u>Status of Redeemed Shares</u>. Shares of Designated Preferred Stock that are redeemed, repurchased or otherwise acquired by the Issuer shall revert to authorized but unissued shares of Preferred Stock (*provided* that any such cancelled shares of Designated Preferred Stock may be reissued only as shares of any series of Preferred Stock other than Designated Preferred Stock).
- Section 6. <u>Conversion</u>. Holders of Designated Preferred Stock shares shall have no right to exchange or convert such shares into any other securities.
- (a) Optional Conversion. Except as provided below, holders of Designated Preferred Stock shares shall have no right to exchange or convert such shares into any other securities. On or after the Original Issue Date, the Issuer and any holder of any shares of Designated Preferred Stock may agree to convert, in whole or in part, on a mutually selected date (the "Conversion Date"), the shares of Designated Preferred Stock at a ratio of one (1) share of Designated Preferred Stock for five hundred fifty six and two thirds (556 2/3) shares of Issuer common stock.
- (b) Effectiveness of Conversion. If the Issuer and any holder of any shares of Designated Preferred Stock shall have agreed to convert such shares, then notwithstanding that any certificate for any shares so converted has not been surrendered for cancellation, on and after the Conversion Date dividends shall cease to accrue on all shares subject to such conversion agreement, all such shares shall no longer be deemed outstanding, and all rights with respect to such shares shall forthwith on the Conversion Date cease and terminate, except only the right of the holders thereof to receive the shares of common stock to be issued upon conversion. If fewer than all the shares represented by any certificate are converted, a new certificate shall be issued representing the unredeemed shares without charge to the holder thereof.
- (c) Status of Converted Shares. Shares of Designated Preferred Stock that are converted for shares of Issuer common stock shall revert to authorized but unissued shares of Preferred Stock (provided that any such canceled shares of Designated Preferred Stock may be reissued only as shares of any class of Preferred Stock other than Designated Preferred Stock).

#### Section 7. Voting Rights.

- (a) General. The holders of Designated Preferred Stock shall not have any voting rights except as set forth below or as otherwise from time to time required by law.
- (b) <u>Preferred Stock Directors</u>. Whenever, at any time or times, dividends payable on the shares of Designated Preferred Stock have not been paid for an aggregate of six quarterly Dividend Periods or more, whether or not consecutive, the authorized number of directors of the Issuer shall automatically be increased by two and the holders of the Designated Preferred Stock shall have the right, with holders of shares of any one or more other classes or series of Voting Parity Stock outstanding at the time, voting together as a class, to elect two directors (hereinafter the "<u>Preferred Directors</u>" and each a "<u>Preferred Director</u>") to fill such newly created directorships at the Issuer's next annual meeting of stockholders (or at a special meeting called for that purpose prior to such next annual meeting) and at each subsequent annual meeting of stockholders until all accrued and unpaid dividends for all past Dividend Periods, including the latest completed Dividend Period (including, if applicable as provided in Section 3(a) above, dividends on such amount), on all outstanding shares of Designated Preferred Stock have been declared and paid in full at which time such right shall

terminate with respect to the Designated Preferred Stock, except as herein or by law expressly provided, subject to revesting in the event of each and every subsequent default of the character above mentioned; provided that it shall be a qualification for election for any Preferred Director that the election of such Preferred Director shall not cause the Issuer to violate any corporate governance requirements of any securities exchange or other trading facility on which securities of the Issuer may then be listed or traded that listed or traded companies must have a majority of independent directors. Upon any termination of the right of the holders of shares of Designated Preferred Stock and Voting Parity Stock as a class to vote for directors as provided above, the Preferred Directors shall cease to be qualified as directors, the term of office of all Preferred Directors then in office shall terminate immediately and the authorized number of directors shall be reduced by the number of Preferred Directors elected pursuant hereto. Any Preferred Director may be removed at any time, with or without cause, and any vacancy created thereby may be filled, only by the affirmative vote of the holders a majority of the shares of Designated Preferred Stock at the time outstanding voting separately as a class together with the holders of shares of Voting Parity Stock, to the extent the voting rights of such holders described above are then exercisable. If the office of any Preferred Director becomes vacant for any reason other than removal from office as aforesaid, the remaining Preferred Director may choose a successor who shall hold office for the unexpired term in respect of which such vacancy occurred.

- (c) <u>Class Voting Rights as to Particular Matters</u>. So long as any shares of Designated Preferred Stock are outstanding, in addition to any other vote or consent of stockholders required by law or by the Articles of Incorporation, the vote or consent of the holders of at least 66 2/3% of the shares of Designated Preferred Stock at the time outstanding, voting as a separate class, given in person or by proxy, either in writing without a meeting or by vote at any meeting called for the purpose, shall be necessary for effecting or validating:
  - (i) <u>Authorization of Senior Stock.</u> Any amendment or alteration of Appendix B to the Issuer's Articles of Incorporation or the Articles of Incorporation to authorize or create or increase the authorized amount of, or any issuance of, any shares of, or any securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for shares of, any class or series of capital stock of the Issuer ranking senior to Designated Preferred Stock with respect to either or both the payment of dividends and/or the distribution of assets on any liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Issuer;
  - (ii) Amendment of Designated Preferred Stock. Any amendment, alteration or repeal of any provision of the Appendix B to the Issuer's Articles of Incorporation or the Articles of Incorporation (including, unless no vote on such merger or consolidation is required by Section 7(c)(iii) below, any amendment, alteration or repeal by means of a merger, consolidation or otherwise) so as to adversely affect the rights, preferences, privileges or voting powers of the Designated Preferred Stock; or
  - (iii) Share Exchanges, Reclassifications, Mergers and Consolidations. Any consummation of a binding share exchange or reclassification involving the Designated Preferred Stock, or of a merger or consolidation of the Issuer with another corporation or other entity, unless in each case (x) the shares of Designated Preferred Stock remain outstanding or, in the case of any such merger or consolidation with respect to which the Issuer is not the surviving or resulting entity, are converted into or exchanged for preference securities of the surviving or resulting entity or its ultimate parent, and (y) such shares remaining outstanding or such preference securities, as the case may be, have such rights,

preferences, privileges and voting powers, and limitations and restrictions thereof, taken as a whole, as are not materially less favorable to the holders thereof than the rights, preferences, privileges and voting powers, and limitations and restrictions thereof, of Designated Preferred Stock immediately prior to such consummation, taken as a whole;

provided, however, that for all purposes of this Section 7(c), any increase in the amount of the authorized Preferred Stock, including any increase in the authorized amount of Designated Preferred Stock necessary to satisfy preemptive or similar rights granted by the Issuer to other persons prior to the Original Issuance Date, or the creation and issuance, or an increase in the authorized or issued amount, whether pursuant to preemptive or similar rights or otherwise, of any other series of Preferred Stock, or any securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for any other series of Preferred Stock, ranking equally with and/or junior to Designated Preferred Stock with respect to the payment of dividends (whether such dividends are cumulative or non-cumulative) and the distribution of assets upon liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Issuer will not be deemed to adversely affect the rights, preferences, privileges or voting powers, and shall not require the affirmative vote or consent of, the holders of outstanding shares of the Designated Preferred Stock.

- (d) <u>Changes after Provision for Redemption</u>. No vote or consent of the holders of Designated Preferred Stock shall be required pursuant to Section 7(c) above if, at or prior to the time when any such vote or consent would otherwise be required pursuant to such Section, all outstanding shares of the Designated Preferred Stock shall have been redeemed, or shall have been called for redemption upon proper notice and sufficient funds shall have been deposited in trust for such redemption, in each case pursuant to Section 5 above.
- (e) Procedures for Voting and Consents. The rules and procedures for calling and conducting any meeting of the holders of Designated Preferred Stock (including, without limitation, the fixing of a record date in connection therewith), the solicitation and use of proxies at such a meeting, the obtaining of written consents and any other aspect or matter with regard to such a meeting or such consents shall be governed by any rules of the Board of Directors or any duly authorized committee of the Board of Directors, in its discretion, may adopt from time to time, which rules and procedures shall conform to the requirements of the Articles of Incorporation, the Bylaws, and applicable law and the rules of any national securities exchange or other trading facility on which Designated Preferred Stock is listed or traded at the time.

Section 8. <u>Record Holders</u>. To the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, the Issuer and the transfer agent for Designated Preferred Stock may deem and treat the record holder of any share of Designated Preferred Stock as the true and lawful owner thereof for all purposes, and neither the Issuer nor such transfer agent shall be affected by any notice to the contrary.

Section 9. Notices. All notices or communications in respect of Designated Preferred Stock shall be sufficiently given if given in writing and delivered in person or by first class mail, postage prepaid, or if given in such other manner as may be permitted in this Appendix B, in the Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws or by applicable law. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if shares of Designated Preferred Stock are issued in book-entry form through The Depository Trust Company or any similar facility, such notices may be given to the holders of Designated Preferred Stock in any manner permitted by such facility.

Section 10. No Preemptive Rights. No share of Designated Preferred Stock shall have any rights of preemption whatsoever as to any securities of the Issuer, or any warrants, rights or options

issued or granted with respect thereto, regardless of how such securities, or such warrants, rights or options, may be designated, issued or granted.

Section 11. <u>Replacement Certificates</u>. The Issuer shall replace any mutilated certificate at the holder's expense upon surrender of that certificate to the Issuer. The Issuer shall replace certificates that become destroyed, stolen or lost at the holder's expense upon delivery to the Issuer of reasonably satisfactory evidence that the certificate has been destroyed, stolen or lost, together with any indemnity that may be reasonably required by the Issuer.

Section 12. Other Rights. The shares of Designated Preferred Stock shall not have any rights, preferences, privileges or voting powers or relative, participating, optional or other special rights, or qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof, other than as set forth herein or in the Articles of Incorporation or as provided by applicable law.