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CUSTOMER: Ms. Jade Robey Culp Elliot And Carpenter

Suite 1500

227 West Trade Street Charlotte, NC 28202

## DOMESTIC AMENDMENT FILING

NAME: STORMS ENTERPRISES, INC.

EFFICTIVE DATE:

\_ ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT

RESTATED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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CONTACT PERSON: Warren Whittaker

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#### ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT

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## STORMS ENTERPRISES, INC.

SECRETARY OF STATE

Pursuant to Section 607.1006 of the Florida Business Corporation Act, Storms Enterprises FLORIDA a Florida Corporation (the "Corporation"), hereby submits the following amendments to the Corporation's Articles of Incorporation:

- ١. The name of the Corporation is Storms Enterprises, Inc..
- 2. The amendments of the Articles of Incorporation of the Corporation are as follows:

Article III of the Articles of Incorporation of the Corporation relating to authorized shares of the Corporation is hereby deleted in its entirety and the following Article III substituted in lieu thereof:

### "ARTICLE III

The aggregate number of shares which the Corporation shall have authority to issue is One Hundred Thousand (100,000) divided into two classes of no par value common stock, voting and non-voting stock. The designation and number of shares of each class of stock is as follows:

Class	Number of Shares
Common Voting Stock	5,000
Common Non-Voting Stock	95,000

The designations and the powers, preferences and rights and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof of each class of stock are as follows:

- (A) Dividend and Liquidation Rights. The Common Voting Stock and Common Non-Voting Stock of the Corporation shall be entitled to such dividends, if any, that may be declared in the discretion of the Board of Directors. Both classes of shares shall share in liquidation proceeds and dividends on the same basis.
- Voting Rights. Each share of issued and outstanding Common Voting Stock of the Corporation shall be entitled to one (1) vote. The Common Non-Voting Stock shall have no voting rights except as otherwise required by law.

The Corporation shall have the right to purchase, take, receive or otherwise acquire, hold, own, pledge, transfer and dispose of its own shares, to the extent of both its unrestricted and unreserved capital surplus."

- 3. The date of adoption of the foregoing amendments was April 1997.
- The foregoing amendments were unanimously approved by all shareholders and comply with the provisions of Section 607.1001 and Section 607.1004 of the Florida Business Corporation Act.

5. These Articles of Amendment shall be effective upon filing with the Secretary of State of the State of Florida.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, these Articles of Amendment have been executed on behalf of the Corporation as of the 15+ day of April 1997.

STORMS ENTERPRISES, INC.

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Ruth G. Storms, Secretary			

[CORPORATE SEAL]

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF MECKLENBURG

I. Jimmie O. Shoud, a Notary Public of the County and State aforesaid, certify that Ruth G. Storms personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged that she is the Secretary of Storms Enterprises, Inc., a Florida corporation, and that by authority duly given and as the act of the corporation, the foregoing instrument was signed in its name by its President, sealed with its corporate seal, and attested by her as its Secretary.

WITNESS, my hand and notarial stamp or scal, this the <u>I</u> day of <u>April</u> 1997.

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Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

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