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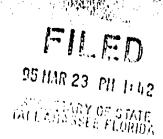
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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

KLC GROUP, INC.



### ARTICLE I

### Name and Address

The name of this corporation is KLC GROUP, INC., whose place of business is located at 960 Oakview Road, Tarpon Springs, Florida 34689.

### ARTICLE II

### Duration

The term of existence of this corporation shall be perpetual.

### **ARTICLE III**

### Purpose

This corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any and all lawful business.

### **ARTICLE IV**

### Capital Stock

This corporation is authorized to issue 1000 shares at One Dollar (\$1.00) par value common stock, which shall be designated "common shares." The consideration to be paid for each share shall be fixed by the Board of Directors. Common stock of this corporation may be issued as "small business corporation" stock in accordance with a plan or plans under the

provisions of Section 1244 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

All voting powers of this corporation shall be vested in the common stock above designated.

### **ARTICLE V**

### Preemptive Rights

Any shareholder, upon the sale, by the corporation, for cash of any new stock of this corporation shall have the right to purchase his pro rata share thereof (as nearly as may be done without issuance of fractional shares) at the price at which it is offered to others.

### **ARTICLE VI**

### Initial Registered Office and Agent

The name of the initial registered agent of this corporation is Robert C.

Dickinson III, and the address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 33920 U.S.

19 No., Suite 200, Palm Harbor, Florida 34684.

### ARTICLE VII

### Initial Board of Directors and Officers

This corporation shall have not less than one director(s) and/or officer(s) initially. The number of directors and/or officers may be increased from time to time by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than one. The names and addresses of the initial directors and officers of this corporation are:

Name	Address	Office		
Kenneth L. Chapman	960 Oakview Road Tarpon Springs, FL 34689	President		
Marilyn J. Chapman	960 Oakview Road Tarpon Springs, FL 34689	Director/Secretary/ Treasurer		

### **ARTICLE VIII**

### Incorporators

The name and address of the person(s) signing these Articles is:

Name

Address

Marilyn J. Chapman

960 Oakview Road Tarpon Springs, FL 34689

### ARTICLE IX

### By-Laws

The power to adopt, alter, amend, or repeal By-Laws shall be vested in the Board of Directors and the shareholders.

### ARTICLE X

### Shareholder Quorum and Voting

Fifty-one percent, (51%), of the issued shares entitled to vote, represented in person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum at a meeting of shareholders.

If a quorum is present, the affirmative vote of fifty-one percent (51%) of the shares represented at the meeting and entitled to vote on the subject matter shall be the act of the shareholders.

### **ARTICLE XI**

### Powers

This corporation shall have all of the corporate powers enumerated in the Florida General Corporation Act, and, in addition to and not in limitation thereof, this corporation shall have the power to guarantee the performances of obligations of other persons, partnerships, corporations, or other entities.

### ARTICLE XII

### Indemnification

The corporation shall indemnify any officer or director, or any former officer or director, to the full extent permitted by law.

### **ARTICLE XIII**

### Amendment

This corporation reserves the right, by a majority vote of shareholders, to amend or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

### **ARTICLE XIV**

### Cumulative Voting

At each election for directors, every shareholder entitled to vote at such elections shall have the right to cumulate his votes by giving one candidate as many votes as the number of directors to be elected at that time multiplied by the number of his shares, or by distributing such votes on the same principle among any number of such candidates.

Marilyn J. Chapman, Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PINELLAS

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgments in this State and County set forth above, personally appeared Marilyn J. Chapman, to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation who is personally known to me or who has produced as identification and who did take an oath and he acknowledged before me that he executed those Articles of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, in the State and County aforesaid, this 22 day of March, 1995.

RY PU OFFICIAL NOTARY SEAL ROSERT C DICKINSON IN COMMISSION NUMBER C C 350367

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FEB. 25,1998

Print Name: Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

## **ACCEPTANCE OF DESIGNATION AS REGISTERED AGENT**

### **ACKNOWLEDGMENT:**

Having been named to accept services for process for KLC Group, Inc. at the place designated in this Certificate, I hereby accept and agree to act in said capacity and agree to comply with the provisions of the Florida Corporation Act relative to keeping open said office.

ROBERT G. DICKINSON VII

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INTO

KLC GROUP, INC., a Florida corporation, P95000023525.

File date: June 26, 1995

Corporate Specialist: Velma Shepard

# P95000023525 Robert C. Dickinson III, P.A.

Attorney of Law

(813) 789-1081 Fax Linu (813) 780-3436 33920 U.S. Hwy 19 North Suite 200 Palm Harbor, FL 34684

June 20, 1995

Secretary of State Division of Corporations 409 E. Gaines Street Tallahassee, FL 32301 500001524175 -06/27/95--01051--002 \*\*\*\*\*70.00 \*\*\*\*\*70.00

RE: Merger of Kenneth L. Chapman Group, Inc. an Ohio Corporation with KLC Group, Inc. a Florida Corporation, KLC Group. Inc. surviving Corporation.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed are two copies of the Plan of Merger and one original and one copy of the Minutes of Special Joint Meeting of Sole Shareholder and Director Authorizing Merger of Kenneth L. Chapman Group, Inc., an Ohio Corporation and KLC Group, Inc., a Florida Corporation wherein Kenneth L. Chapman Group, Inc., an Ohio Corporation is being merged with KLC Group, Inc., a Florida Corporation so that the surviving Corporation is KLC Group, Inc., a Florida Corporation.

Enclosed herewith you will find a check in the amount of \$70.00. Please stamp and return the extra copy of the documents which are enclosed for our files.

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cc: Kenneth L. Chapman, President

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### PLAN OF MERGER



KENNETH L. CHAPMAN GROUP, INC., an Ohio corporation and KLC GROUP, INC., a Florida corporation, hereby adopt the following Plan of Merger pursuant to Section 607.1101. Florida Statutes.

1. Name of each corporation planning to merge is:

Kenneth L. Chapman Group, Inc., an Ohio corporation 3216 Kylemore Toledo, Ohio 43606

and

KLC Group, Inc., a Florida corporation 960 Oakview Road Tarpon Springs, FL 34689

2. Name of surviving corporation is:

KLC Group, Inc., a Florida corporation 960 Oakview Boulevard Tarpon Springs, FL 34689

3. The terms and conditions of the merger are:

On the effective date of the merger, the separate existence of the absorbed corporation shall cease, and the surviving corporation shall succeed to all the rights, privileges, immunities, and franchises, and all the property, real, personal and mixed of the absorbed corporation, without the necessity for any separate transfer. The surviving corporation shall thereafter be responsible and liable for all liabilities and obligations of the absorbed corporation, and neither the rights of creditors nor any liens on the property of the absorbed corporation shall be impaired by the merger.

4. The manner and basis of converting the shares of each corporation is:

Each share of the outstanding common stock of Kenneth L. Chapman Group, Inc. issued and outstanding on the effective date of this merger shall be cancelled whereupon the shareholders of Kenneth L. Chapman Group, Inc. shall receive an identical number of shares and proportionate ownership of KLC Group, Inc.

5. The manner and basis of converting rights to acquire shares of each corporation is:

See paragraph 4 above.

6. The following are amendments to or a restatement of the Articles of Incorporation of the surviving corporation:

There will be  $\underline{no}$  modifications to the bylaws or articles of incorporation of KLC Group, Inc.

7. The effective date of the merger is:

Midnight, March 31, 1995

- 8. For income tax purposes, the merger contemplated hereunder shall be deemed to be a mere change in identity, form or place of organization of one corporation and therefore be tax-free under IRC Section 368(a)(1)(F).
- 9. The business purpose for the merger is to reflect the reality of the fact that all corporate activities are centered in and conducted from the State of Florida and that no significant corporate activity is conducted in the State of Ohio any more.

As the Board of Directors of Kenneth L. Chapman Group, Inc., an Ohio corporation

Marilyn J. Chapman, Sole Director

and Shareholder

March 27, 1995

Date

As the Board of Directors of KLC Group, Inc., a Florida corporation

Marilyn J. Chapman, Sole Director

and Shareholder

Date

### MINUTES OF SPECIAL JOINT MEETING OF SOLE SHAREHOLDER AND DIRECTOR AUTHORIZING MERGER OF KENNETH L. CHAPMAN GROUP, INC, AN OHIO CORPORATION AND KLC GROUP, INC., A FLORIDA CORPORATION

A special meeting of the sole shareholder and the sole director of KENNETH L. CHAPMAN GROUP, INC., an Ohio Business Corporation, was held on March 27, 1995 at 10:00 a.m., pursuant to waiver of notice by the sole shareholder and the sole director.

Present was the sole shareholder and sole director, being:

Marilyn J. Chapman

Marilyn J. Chapman served as Chairman and Secretary for purposes of the meeting.

A special meeting of the sole shareholder and the sole director of KLC GROUP, INC., a Florida Business Corporation, was held on March 27, 1995 at 10:00 a.m., pursuant to waiver of notice by the sole shareholder and the sole director.

Present was the sole shareholder and sole director, being:

Marilyn J. Chapman

Marilyn J. Chapman served as Chairman and Secretary for purposes of this meeting.

The Chairman placed before each Corporation the proposed Plan of Merger. Thereupon, on motions duly made and seconded, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted by the shareholders and directors of both Corporations:

WHEREAS, the Business Corporation Acts of Florida and Ohio provide that a Plan of Merger may be authorized and adopted by the affirmative vote of the Directors and holders of all outstanding shares entitled to a vote on merger, and;

WHEREAS, it is deemed by each of the Boards of Directors to be desirable and in the best interests of these Corporations and its sole shareholder that Plan of Merger be authorized as hereinafter provided, and:

WHEREAS, Corporate legal counsel has advised that the anticipated merger shall be treated as a tax-free merger pursuant to IRC Section 368(a)(1)(F) and the S-status of the surviving Corporation shall be maintained; therefore be it:

RESOLVED, the Plan of Merger attached hereto and incorporated by referenced herein is hereby unanimously approved by the shareholders and directors of KENNETH L. CHAPMAN GROUP, INC. and KLC GROUP, INC. Said merger to be effective at midnight March 31, 1995.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that KENNETH L. CHAPMAN GROUP, INC. shall, through its officers, file such other information and legal documents as shall be required to dissolve KENNETH L. CHAPMAN GROUP, INC. as an Ohio corporation in accordance with Ohio law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Internal Revenue Service shall be apprised of the merger by the officers of KLC GROUP, INC. to minimize any confusion regarding tax filing requirements.

RESOLVED, that the secretary is directed to attach a copy of the Plan of Merger to the minutes and make it a part of each Corporations' corporate records;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the officers of KENNETH L. CHAPMAN GROUP, INC. be, and the same hereby are, authorized to transfer all assets of KENNETH L. CHAPMAN GROUP, INC. to KLC GROUP, INC., a Florida corporation, by executing a Bill of Sale and transferring possession of same, and to perform such acts and to execute any and all additional documents, amendments, contracts, writings, or other instruments necessary or advisable to effectuate the above transactions.

There being no other or further business to come before the meeting, on motion duly made, seconded and carried, the meeting adjourned.

As the Board of Directors of Kenneth L. Chapman Group, Inc., an Ohio corporation

Marilyn V. Chapman, Sole Director and Shareholder

March 27, 1995

Date

As the Board of Directors of KLC Group, Inc., a Florida corporation

Marilyn J. Chapman, Sole Director

and Shareholder

March 27 1995