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SUBJECT: THE GREATER HARTFORD SHIPPING CO., INC.

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We received your electronically transmitted document. However, the document has not been filed and needs the following corrections:

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This instrument prepared by:
Solomon Weiss, Esq., 420 Lincoln Road -- Suite #285
Miami Boach, Florida 33139
Fla. Bar. #176797
# 305-531-222 8

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

TO

THE GREATER HARTFORD SHIPPING CO., INC.

I/WE, the undersigned, for the purposes of forming a forprofit corporation in accordance with the laws of the States of Florida, acknowledge and file these Articles of Incorporation in the Office of the Secretary of State of Florida.

## ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation shall be THE GREATER HARTFORD SHIPPING CO., INC.

### ARTICLE II PURPOSE AND POWERS

The Corporation shall have the following powers:

- A. To operate do any and all things permitted by law, and all acts and duties incident thereto and the administration thereof.
- B. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, to contract and to borrow money and issue evidence of indebtedness in furtherance of any or all of the objects of its business; to secure the same by mortgage, deed of trust, pledge or other lien.
- C. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, to carry out the duties and obligations and receive the benefits given the Corporation by law.
- D. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, to establish By-Laws and Rules and Regulations.
- F. Wihout limiting the generality of the foregoing to acquire, own, operate, mortgage, lease, sell and trade property, whether real or personal, or mixed, wherever situate, as may be necessary or convenient in the administration of the Corporation.
- G. To accept assignment of that certain Franchise Agreement by & between Executive Business Group, Inc. and Barry M. Robbin, thereby subjecting itself to all the restrictions and requirements of said agreement.

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### ARTICLE III SHARES

There shall be One Hundred Shares of Capital Stock which shall have a Par Value of One Dollar (\$1.00) per share.

# ARTICLE IV EXISTENCE 4 PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

The Corporation shall have perpetual existence and its initial principal place of business shall be C/O Solomon Weiss, Weiss and Weiss, Attorneys \*\*c Law\*, 420 Lincoln Road - Suite #285, Miami Beach, Florida 33139-3009.

### ARTICLE V SUBSCRIBER

The name and address of the subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation is as follows:

BARRY M. ROBBIN

C/O Weiss & Weiss, Attorneys 420 Lincoln Road -- Suite #285 Miami Beach, Florida 33139-3009

TO

### ARTICLE VI DIRECTORS

A. The Corporation and its affairs shall be managed by a Board of Directors composed of one (1) person. The following persons shall constitute the initial Board of Directors and they shall hold office for the term and in accordance with the provisions of Florida law as it exists as of the formation of the Corporation:

### NAME

### **ADDRESS**

Mr. Barry M. Robbin

61 Parsons Drive West Hartford, Connecticut

# ARTICLE VII OFFICERS

The affairs of the Corporation shall be administered by the Officers designated in the By-Laws, who shall serve at the pleasure of said Board of Directors. The names and addresses of the initial Officers who shall serve until the first election of Officers pursuant to the provisions of the

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By-Laws are as follows:

NAME

TITLE

**ADDRESS** 

Barry M. Robbin

Pres. & Ass't Sec./Tres.

61 Parsons Drive West Hartford, Connecticut

Melinda J. r. Robbin

Secretary

61 Parsons Drive West Hartford, Connecticut

# ARTICLE VIII BY-LAWS

The By-Laws of the Corporation shall be adopted by the initial board of Directors. The By-Laws may be amended in accordance with the provisions thereof.

### ARTICLE IX AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES

Amendments to these Articles shall be proposed and adopted according to law.

# ARTICLE X INDEMNIFICATION

Every Director and every Officer of the Corporation may be indemnified by the Corporation against all costs, expenses and liabilities including counsel fees (at trial, on appeal, in collateral proceesedings, in administrative matters) reasonably incurred by or imposed upon the Director or Officer in connection with any proceeding or any settlement thereof to which the Director or Officer may be a party, or in which the Director or Officer may become involved by reason of the Director or Officer being or having been a Director or Officer of the Corporation, whether or not a Director or Officer at the time such expenses are incurred. The foregoing right of indemnification shall be in addition to and not to exclusive of all the rights to which such Director or Officer may be entitled, and the Corporation shall have power to purchase and negotiate for such insurance and fidelity bond coverages as it deems appropriate (including the power to decline or limit coverage via deductibles, co-insurance or otherwise), including officer and/or director indemnification.

ARTICLE XI
INITIAL REGISTERED OPPICE, AGENT AND ADDRESS
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The name and address of the initial registered agent of this corporation is Solomon Weiss, Esq., whose address is 420 Lincoln Road -- Suite #285, Niami Beach, Florida 33139-3009.

Robbin, Subscriber

STATE OF FLORIDA)

SS: COUNTY OF DADE

BEFORE ME, the undersigned, personally appeared Barry M. Robbin, to me well known and also well known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and who acknowledged before me that he signed, made and subscribed the same willingly and for the purposes therein mentioned and set forth. Said subscriber did/did not take an oath, but solemnly affirmed under penalties of perjury.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal, at Miami Beach, Dade County, Florida, this \_\_\_ day of May, 1995.

Sclomon Weiss

NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Florida at Large MY COMMISION EXPIRES:

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CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OR PROCESS WITHIN PLORIDA, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 48.091, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED:

FIRST -- THAT THE GREATER HARTFORD SHIPPING CO., INC. DESIRING TO ORGANIZE OR QUALIFY UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, HEREBY NAMES Solomon Weiss WHOSE CODRESS IS 420 Lincoln Road - Suite #285, Miami Berch, Florida 33139-3009, AS ITS AGENT TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA.

Robbin

HAVING BEEN NAMED TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION, AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY, AND I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATIVE TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF MY 55 DUTIES

SIGNATURE

TITLE: DATED:

Solomon Weiss REGISTERED\_AGENT

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