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## ARTICLES OF MERGER

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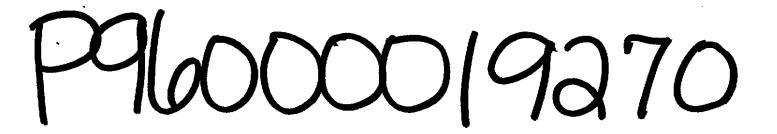
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## ARTICLES OF MERGER Merger Sheet

MERGING:

INFO SYSTEMS OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC., a North Carolina corporation not authorized to transact business in Florida

#### INTO

SYKES ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED, a Florida corporation, P96000019270

File date: December 26, 1997, effective December 31, 1997

Corporate Specialist: Annette Hogan

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### ARTICLES OF MERGER OF

INFO SYSTEMS OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC., a North Carolina corporation WITH AND INTO

SYKES ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED, a Florida corporation

Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 607.1104 and 607.1105 of the Florida Business Corporation Act (the "FBCA"), SYKES ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED, a Florida corporation, and INFO SYSTEMS OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC., a North Carolina corporation, do hereby adopt the following Articles of Merger:

<u>FIRST</u>: The names of the corporations (the "Constituent Corporations") which are parties to the merger (the "<u>Merger</u>") contemplated by these Articles of Merger are SYKES ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED, a Florida corporation, and INFO SYSTEMS OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC., a North Carolina corporation. The surviving corporation (the "Surviving Corporation") in the Merger is SYKES ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED.

SECOND: The plan of merger is set forth in that certain Agreement and Plan of Merger dated December 17, 1997 between SYKES ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED and INFO SYSTEMS OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC. (the "Plan of Merger"), a copy of which Plan of Merger is attached hereto as Exhibit "A".

THIRD: The Plan of Merger was adopted by the Board of Directors of SYKES ENTERPRISES INCORPORATED by written consent action dated <u>Necember</u> (2, 1997. Shareholder approval is not required because SYKES ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED owns one-hundred percent (100%) of the outstanding shares of stock of INFO SYSTEMS OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC. and the Merger is being effectuated pursuant to Section 607.1104 of the FBCA.

**FOURTH:** The Merger shall become effective at 11:59 p.m. on December 31, 1997 (the "Effective Date" of the Merger), in accordance with the provisions of Section 607.1105 of the **FBCA**.

These articles of merger may be executed in two or more counterparts all of which when taken together shall constitute one instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused these Articles of Merger to be executed as of this 17th day of December, 1997.

"CONSTITUENT CORPORATIONS"

Attest:

SYKES ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED

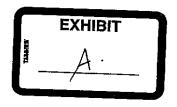
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★ice President - General Counsel

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Attest:	"SURVIVING CORPORATION" SYKES ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED
Margery Bass, Secretary	By:

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	SYKES ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED
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AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

By and Between

SYKES ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED, a Florida corporation

and

INFO SYSTEMS OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC., a North Carolina corporation

with

SYKES ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED, a Florida corporation as the "Surviving Corporation"

December / 7, 1997

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### AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

THIS AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER (the "Plan of Merger") made and entered into this 17th day of December, 1997 by and between:

SYKES ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED, a Florida corporation with its principal office currently located at 100 North Tampa Street, Suite 3900, Tampa, Florida 33602.

and

INFO SYSTEMS OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC., a North Carolina corporation with its principal office currently located at 7500 E. Independence Boulevard, Charlotte, North Carolina 28227 ("Info Systems").

### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Info Systems is a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated is a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Florida; and

WHEREAS, Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated owns one hundred percent (100%) of the issued and outstanding shares of stock of Info Systems; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to duly authorized action by its Board of Directors Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated has determined that Info Systems shall be merged with and into Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated (the "Merger") upon the terms and conditions and in the manner set forth in this Plan of Merger.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual premises herein contained, Info Systems and Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated hereby agree as follows:

- 1. <u>MERGER</u>. Pursuant to applicable provisions of the Florida Business Corporation Act and applicable provisions of the North Carolina Business Corporation Act, Info Systems shall be merged with and into Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated, upon the terms and conditions set forth in this Plan of Merger and Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated shall continue under the laws of the State of Florida as the Surviving Corporation.
- 2. <u>SURVIVING CORPORATION</u>. On and after the Effective Date (as defined below) of the Merger:

- a. Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated shall be the Surviving Corporation, and shall continue to exist as a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, with all of the rights and obligations of such Surviving Corporation as are provided by Chapter 607, Florida Statutes.
- b. Info Systems shall cease to exist, and its property, rights and obligations shall become the property, rights and obligations of Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated as the Surviving Corporation.
- 3. **TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF MERGER**. The terms and conditions of the Merger are the following:
  - a. Articles of Incorporation. The Articles of Incorporation of Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated shall continue as the Articles of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation.
  - b. <u>Bylaws</u>. The Bylaws of Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated shall continue as the Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation.
  - c. <u>Directors</u>. The current Directors of Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated shall continue as the directors of the Surviving Corporation and each such director shall serve until his or her successor is dully elected and qualified or until his or her earlier death, resignation or removal as provided for in the Bylaws of Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated.
  - d. <u>Outstanding Shares of Info Systems</u> All of the issued and outstanding capital stock of Info Systems are held by Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated (the "Parent Corporation"). On the Effective Date of the Merger, all shares of issued and outstanding capital stock of Info Systems held by the Parent Corporation shall be cancelled.
  - e. <u>Outstanding Shares of Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated</u>. On the Effective Date of the Merger, all of the issued and outstanding capital stock of Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated shall remain outstanding and not affected by the Merger.
- 4. APPROVAL. The Merger contemplated by this Plan of Merger has previously been submitted to and approved by the Board of Directors of Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated pursuant to written consent action dated December 1997. Shareholder approval is not required because Sykes Enterprises, Incorporated owns one-hundred percent (100%) of the outstanding shares of the stock of Info Systems and the Merger is being effectuated pursuant to Section 607.1104 of the Florida Business Corporation Act.
- 5. **EFFECTIVE DATE OF MERGER**. The Merger shall become effective at 11:59 p.m. on December 31, 1997 (the "Effective Date" of the Merger), in accordance with Section 607.1105 of the Florida Business Corporation Act.

## 6. <u>MISCELLANEOUS</u>.

- a. Governing Law. This Plan of Merger is to be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.
- b. <u>No Third Party Beneficiaries</u>. The terms and conditions of this Plan of Merger are solely for the benefit of the parties hereto and the shareholders of **Info Systems** and **Sykes Enterprises**, **Incorporated**, and no person not a party to this Plan of Merger shall have any rights or benefits whatsoever under this Agreement, either as a third party beneficiary or otherwise.
- c. <u>Complete Agreement</u>. This Plan of Merger constitutes the complete agreement between the parties and incorporates all prior agreements and representations in regard to the matters set forth herein and it may not be amended, changed or modified except by a writing signed by the party to be charged by said amendment, change or modification.

This Agreement and Plan of Merger may be executed in two or more counterparts all of which when taken together shall constitute one instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, SYKES ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED and INFO SYSTEMS OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC. have caused this Plan of Merger to be executed.

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"CONSTITUENT CORPORATIONS"

"SURVIVING CORPORATION"

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