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The Easton Babcock Companies, Inc.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

On behalf of The Easton Babcock Companies, Inc. (the "Corporation"), we hand you herewith for filing the following:

- Articles of Amendment to the Corporation's Articles of Incorporation changing the voting rights of a portion of the common stock of the Corporation.
- The corporation's check in the amount of \$87.50 representing a filing fee of \$35.00 for the Articles of Amendment and an additional fee of \$52.50 for a certified copy of the Amendment, which is hereby requested.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you should have any questions regarding this filing.

Very truly yours,

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ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE EASTON-BABCOCK COMPANIES, INC.

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Pursuant to the provisions of Section 607.1006 of the Florida Business Corporation Act, The Easton-Babcock Companies, Inc., a Florida corporation (hereinafter, the "Corporation") adopts the following Articles of Amendment to its Articles of Incorporation:

FIRST: Article IV of the Corporation's Articles of Incorporation hereby is amended to read in its entirety as follows:

"ARTICLE IV

CAPITAL STOCK

The aggregate number of shares that the Corporation shall have authority to issue and have outstanding at any one time is 1,000, \$1.00 par value per share, of which 950 shares carry voting rights, and of which 50 shares carry no voting rights except as required by law. All 1,000 authorized shares are of the same class and are to be common shares. Shares without voting rights shall be so designated on the certificate therefor."

SECOND: The date of the Amendment's adoption is December 27, 1996. The amendment shall be effective upon the date of filing of these Articles of Amendment with the Florida Department of State.

THIRD: Adoption of the Amendment was approved by the Shareholders of the Corporation by written consent which was sufficient for approval.

Signed this 27th day of December, 1996.

SHAREHOLDERS:

CALVIN H. BABCOCK, V P

EDWARD W. EASTON, Pres