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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF AFCO FINANCE CORPORATION

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Each undersigned incorporator of these Articles of Incorporation hereby presents these Articles of Incorporation to the Secretary of State of the State of Florida for the formation of a Corporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

# **ARTICLE 1**

The name of the Corporation is: AFCO FINANCE CORPORATION.

#### **ARTICLE I**

The maximum number of shares of stock that the Corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any time is 1000 shares of One (\$1.00) Dollar par value common stock.

### **ARTICLE II**

- A. This Corporation is to exist perpetually.
- B. The corporate existence of this Corporation shall commence on the date these Articles are executed.

#### **ARTICLE III**

The name of the initial registered agent and the street address of the initial registered office are as follows:

Registered Agent

Address of Registered Office

JOHN T. SCHAEFFER

1633 SE 6th Street Deerfield Beach, FL 33441

### ARTICLE IV.

The name and post office address of each incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation shall

<u>Name</u>

be:

<u>Address</u>

John T. Schaeffer

1633 SE 6th Street Deerfield Beach, FL 33441

#### **ARTICLE V**

The initial By-Laws shall be adopted by the Corporation's first Board of Directors. Thereafter, the power to alter, amend, or repeal the By-Laws shall be vested in the stockholders and the directors of the Corporation in the manner set forth in the By-Laws.

#### ARTICLE V.

The Corporation shall have three (3) directors initially. Thereafter the number of directors may be increased or decreased in the manner set forth in the By-Laws, but in no event shall there be less than one director, nor more than five (5) directors.

# ARTICLE VI.

The principal office and the mailing address of the Corporation shall be as follows:

Principal Office

Mailing Address

1633 SE 6th Street

1633 SE 6th Street

Deerfield Beach, FL 33441

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# ARTICLE VII.

The Corporation shall indemnify and hold harmless each officer or director or any former officer or director to the fullest extent permitted by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has hereunto executed these Articles of Incorporation this /ot day of May, 1997 at Ft. Lauderdale, Florida.

John T. Schaeffer

HAVING BEEN NAMED TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE-STATED CORPORATION, AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, THE UNDERSIGNED AGREES TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY, AND FURTHER AGREES TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATIVE TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF ITS DUTIES.

Jøhn T. Schaeffer

Date: 5/1/97

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