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OF

BRAZIL INVESTMENT GROUP, INC.

ARTICLE I - NAME

BRAZIL INVESTMENT GROUP, INC. The name of this corporation is

ARTICLE II - PURPOSE

The corporation shall be authorized to transact all legal business of any nature.

ARTICLE III - CAPITAL STOCK

The capital stock authorized, the par value thereof, and the class of such stock shall be as follows:

| Number of Shares | Par Value Per | Class of |
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| Authorized | Share | Stock |

Common \$1.00 1,000

ARTICLE IV - PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS

Every shareholder, upon the sale for cash of any new stock of this corporation of the same kind, class or series as that which he already holds, shall have the right to purchase his prorata share thereof (as nearly as may be done without issuance of fractional shares) at the price at which it is offered to others.

ARTICLE V - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial principal and mailing office of this corporation is: 3483 Palm City School Avenue, Palm City, Florida and the name and address of the initial registered agent of this corporation is:

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Prepared by: Ronald R. Fieldstone, Esq. Fieldstone, Lester & Shear 200 S. Bicayne Blvd., #2100

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ARTICLE VI - COMMENCEMENT

This corporation shall commence on the date on which these Articles are filed with the Secretary of State.

ARTICLE VII - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have three directors initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than one. The names and addresses of the initial directors of this corporation are:

Address

Palm City, Florida

Fernando V. Dalmau

Name

3483 Falm City School Avenue Palm City, Florida

3483 Palm City School Avenue

Harold Blumenfeld

Michael Browarnik

3483 Palm City School Avenue Palm City, Florida

ARTICLE VIII - INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the person signing these Articles of Incorporation is:

Address

Fernando V. Dalmau

Name

3483 Palm City School Avenue Palm City, Florida

ARTICLE IX - BY-LAWS

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

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Name

Ronald R. Fieldstone

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ARTICLE X - INDEMNIFICATION

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

ARTICLE XI - AMENDMENT

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment thereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 26^{th} day of <u>August</u>, 1997.

Dermando V. Dalmau Subscriber and Director and Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA)) SS. COUNTY OF DADE)

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, authorized to take acknowledgments in the State and County sat forth above, personally appeared <u>Fernando V. Dalmau</u>, who is known to me or who has produced _______ as identification and who did take an oath.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, in the State and County aforesaid, this 26th day of <u>August</u>, 1997.



Signature

Print (Notary's Name) Notary Public, State of Florida

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CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

Pursuant to the provisions of section 607.0501, Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered office/registered agent, in the state of Florida.

1. The name of the corporation is: BRAZIL INVESTMENT GROUP, INC.

2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

Ronald R. Fieldstone

200 S. Biscayne Blvd., #2100 Miami, FL 33165

Fernando Dalmau Incorporator and Director itle: Date: August 26, 1997

HAVING BEEN NAMED AS REGISTERED AGENT AND TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY ACCEPT THE APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT AND AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY. I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATING TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF MY DUTIES, AND // AM FAMILLAR WITH AND ACCEPT THE OBLIGATIONS OF MY POSITION AS REGISTERED AGENT.

Fieldstone Ronald R.

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