1000019815



9/12/97

FLORIDA DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS PUBLIC ACCESS SYSTEM ELECTRONIC FILING COVER CHEET

11:41 AM

(((H97000015128 6)))

TO: DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS

FAX #1 (850)922-4001

FROM: ACE INDUSTRIES, INC.

ACCT#: 070744001530

CONTACT: PAM FRIEDMAN PHONE: (305)358-2571

FAX #1 (30%)358-7832

NAME: EQUITY TRUST FINANCIAL CORP.

AUDIT NUMBER.....H97000015126
DOC TYPE......FLORIDA PROFIT CORPORATION OR P.A. FAGES...... 2

DEL. METHOD. . FAX

CERT. COPIES.....

EST. CHARGE. . \$70.00

NOTE: PLEASE PRINT THIS PAGE AND USE IT AS A COVER SHEET. TYPE THE FAX AUDIT NUMBER ON THE TOP AND BOTTOM OF ALL PAGES OF THE DOCLMENT

** ENTER 'M' FOR MENU. **

ENTER SELECTION AND (CR)

Monu: <Ctrl R-Shift>

2400 7E1

VT100

Online

B. REGISTER SEP 1 5 1997



September 12, 1997

ACE INDUSTRIES, INC.

SUBJECT: EQUITY TRUST FINANCIAL CORP.

REF: W97000021086

We received your electronically transmitted document. However, the document has not been filed. Please make the following corrections and refax the complete document, including the electronic filing cover sheet.

The document submitted does not meet legibility requirements for electronic filing. Please do not attempt to refax this document until the quality has been improved.

If you have any further questions concerning your document, please call (850) 487-6931.

Backy McKnight Document Specialist FAX Aud. #: H97000015128 Letter Number: 597A00045555

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

EQUITY TRUST FINANCIAL CORP.

The undersigned files these Articles of Incorporation in order to form a Corporation under the Laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation shall be EQUITY TRUST FINANCIAL CORP. The existence of this corporation shall commence upon the filing of these Articles of Incorporation and shall continue perpetually unless dissolved according to law.

ARTICLE II

The corporation is being organized for the purpose of transacting any and all lawful business permitted under the laws of the State of Florida and the laws of the United States.

ARTICLES III

The authorized capital of this corporation shall consist of Ten Thousand Shares of common stock with par value of One (\$1.00) Dollar per share. All of the Stock will be payable in cash, real or personal property, or labor or services in lieu of cash, the valuation of any of the above to be fixed by the board of directors of this corporation.

ARTICLE IV

The address of the initial principal office and the name and address of it's registered agent shall be as follows:

DELFIN AGUILAR 785 NM 37TH AVE SUITE #122 MIAMI, FL 33125

ARTICLE V

The initial board of directors of the corporation shall be composed of one person. The name and address of this corporation's directors are as follows:

DELFIN AGUILAR 785 NN 37TH AVE SUITE #122 MIAMI, FL 33125

ARTICLE VI

The name and address of the incorporator of this corporation is:

DELFIN AGUILAR 785 NW 37TH AVE SUITE #122 MIAMI, FL 33125

ARTICLE VII

The corporation, by duly adopted action of the board of directors, may indemnify and insure its officers and directors the extent now or hereafter, permitted by law.

Prepared by: acel Industries, Inc. 54 Northwest 11th St. Miami, FL 55156 (505) 558-2571 11.11

497-15128

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the original incorporator of the above named corporation, for the purpose of forming a corporation to do business both within and without the State of Florida, pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida, does hereby execute and file these Articles, declares and certifies that the factors herein stated are true this 11TH Day of SEPT., 1997.

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF DATE

Before me, a notary public authorized to take acknowledgements in the State and County above named, personally appeared DELFIN AGUILAR, known to me and known by me to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, in the State and County aforesaid, this little day of SEFT., 1997.

HODELES ON EXP. SET 22301

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES:

ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT OF REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned hereby accepts the appointment of registered agent contained in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation.

Dellai Capulas

BLEEN AGUILER

acurto

DTARY PUBLIC

97 SEP 15 PH 3: 42
SECRETARY OF STATE
AND ANSSEE, FLORID

FLORIDA