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ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT

OF

SONIC AUTOMOTIVE - CLEARWATER, INC.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 607.1006 OF THE FLORIDA BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT, THE UNDERSIGNED CORPORATION ADOPTS THESE ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT.

FIRST: THE NAME OF THE CORPORATION IS SONIC AUTOMOTIVE - CLEARWATER, INC.

SECOND: THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THIS CORPORATION ARE AMENDED BY CHANGING THE ARTICLE NUMBERED "THIRD" SO THAT, AS AMENDED, SAID ARTICLE SHALL READ AS FOLLOWS:

THE NUMBER OF SHARES THE CORPORATION IS AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE IS: FIVE MILLION THREE HUNDRED SEVENTY THOUSAND (5,370,000)

THIRD: THE AMENDMENT TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE CORPORATION SET FORTH ABOVE WAS ADOPTED ON THE 24TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1998.

FOURTH: PRIOR TO THE ISSUANCE OF SHARES, THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED BY THE INCORPORATOR AND SHAREHOLDER ACTION WAS NOT REQUIRED.

SIGNED THIS 24TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1998.

SONIC AUTOMOTIVE - CLEARWATER, INC.

Stacey A. Barnet, Incorporator