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Re: B & D, Inc. OF ESTERO, INC.

Dear Barb:

Enclosed are the original Articles of Incorporation, together with copies of the same, regarding the above-captioned corporation. I would appreciate your filing the same with the Secretary of State, and then calling me to confirm their acceptance. This firm's check in the amount of \$122.50 made payable to the Secretary of State, is also enclosed for payment of the filing fees. I would further appreciate your forwarding the certified copy of the Articles to me by the usual route.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Please feel free to call if you should have any questions.

Respectfully,

QUARLES & BRADY

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Secretary to Leo Salvatori

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Sandra B. Mortham  
Secretary of State

May 20, 1998

ATTORNEYS' TITLE INSURANCE FUND, INC.  
ATTN: BARBARA  
660 E JEFFERSON ST, SUITE 200  
TALLAHASSEE, FL 32301

SUBJECT: B & D, INC.  
Ref. Number: W98000011585

We have received your document for B & D, INC. and check(s) totaling \$122.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned to you for the following reason(s):

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity. Simply adding "of Florida" or "Florida" to the end of a name is not acceptable. Please select a new name and make the correction in all appropriate places. One or more words may be added to make the name distinguishable from the one presently on file.

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May 27, 1998

QUARLES & BRADY  
BARNETT CENTER, STE. 300  
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SUBJECT: B & D OF ESTERO, INC.  
Ref. Number: W98000011962

We have received your document for B & D OF ESTERO, INC., however, upon receipt of your document no check was enclosed. Please send a check or money order payable to the Department of State for \$70.00.

The corporate fees are as follows:

**CORPORATIONS FILING FEES**

Profit and NonProfit  
Florida & Foreign Corp.

Filing Fees	\$35.
Registered Agent Designation	\$35.
Certified Copy	\$52.50
Total Fee Due	\$122.50

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

B & D OF ESTERO, INC.

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SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

I, the undersigned natural person, acting as incorporator of a corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of the corporation is B & D OF ESTERO, INC.

ARTICLE II

Duration

The duration of the corporation shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE III

Purposes

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are to engage in any lawful activity within the purposes for which a corporation may be organized under the Florida Business Corporation Act, Chapter 607 of the Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE IV

Capital Stock

The aggregate number of shares which the corporation shall have authority to issue is Ten Thousand (10,000) shares, consisting of one class only, designated as "Common Stock," of the par value of One Dollar (\$1.00) per share.

ARTICLE V

Directors

The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors whose number and qualifications shall be fixed by the Bylaws.

ARTICLE VI  
Right to Purchase Own Shares

The corporation shall have the right to acquire its own shares from time to time, upon such terms and conditions as the Board of Directors shall fix.

ARTICLE VII  
Registered Office and Agent

The address of the initial registered office of the corporation is, 4501 Tamiami Trail North, Suite 300, Naples, Collier County, Florida 34103, and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is Naples-Lawdock, Inc., a Florida corporation.

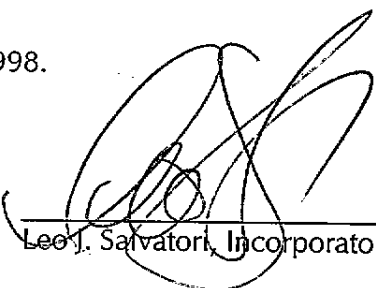
ARTICLE VIII  
Incorporator

The name and address of the incorporator is Leo J. Salvatori, 4501 Tamiami Trail North, Suite 300, Naples, Florida 34103.

ARTICLE IX  
Principal Office

The principal office of the corporation is located at 6289 Burnham Road, Naples, Florida 34119.

Executed this 22 day of May, 1998.

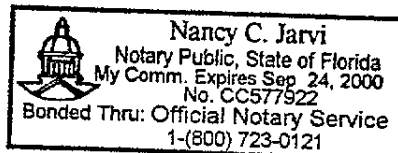
  
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Leo J. Salvatori, Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF COLLIER

The foregoing instrument was sworn to and acknowledged before me this 22 day of May, 1998, by Leo J. Salvatori, who is personally known to me.

  
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NOTARY PUBLIC (SEAL)

My Commission Expires:



CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE OF DESIGNATED REGISTERED AGENT AND REGISTERED OFFICE.

In compliance with Section 48.091, Florida Statutes and Section 607.0501(3) of the Florida Business Corporation Act, the following is submitted:

1. That B & D OF ESTERO, INC., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, has named Naples-Lawdock, Inc., located at 4501 Tamiami Trail North, Suite 300, Naples, Collier County, Florida 34103, as its agent to accept service of process within Florida.

Dated: May 22, 1998

  
Leo J. Salvatori, Incorporator

2. That, having been named to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation, at the place designated in this Certificate, the undersigned hereby agrees to act in this capacity; the undersigned is familiar with and accepts the obligations of §607.0505 of the Florida Business Corporation Act and further agrees to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of its duties.

(Corporate Seal)  
Naples-Lawdock, Inc., a Florida corporation,

Dated: May 22, 1998

By:

  
Leo J. Salvatori, as Vice President

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF COLLIER

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SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

The foregoing instrument was sworn to and acknowledged before me this 22 day of May, 1998, by Leo J. Salvatori, as Vice President of Naples-Lawdock, Inc., a Florida corporation, who is personally known to me.

  
NOTARY PUBLIC (SEAL)

My Commission Expires:

