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June 29, 1998

Secretary of State Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

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Re: D & R AUTO WHOLESALE, INC.

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed please find the original and one copy of Articles of Incorporation, together with my check in the amount of \$122.50.

This represents the cost of the filing fees, certified copy of Articles of Incorporation and fee for registered agent designation for the above corporation.

Very truly yours,

Diana Ruppel

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AND
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SECRETARY OF STATE
ANASSEE, FLORIDA

#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

### D & R AUTO WHOLESALE, INC.

THE UNDERSIGNED SUBSCRIBER(S) TO THESE ARTICLES OF INCORPORTATION, NATURAL PERSON(S) COMPETENT TO CONTRACT, HEREBY FORM A CORPORATION UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA

## ARTICLE I - CORPORATE NAME

THE NAME OF THE CORPORATION IS:

## D & R AUTO WHOLESALE, INC.

#### ARTICLE II - DURATION

THIS CORPORATION SHALL EXIST PERPETUALLY UNLESS DISSOLVED ACCORDING TO FLORIDA LAW.

#### ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

THE CORPORATION IS ORGANIZED FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENGAGING IN ANY ACTIVITIES OR BUSINESS PERMITTED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE STATE OF FLORIDA

## ARTICLE IV - CAPITAL STOCK

THE CORPORATION IS AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE ONE THOUSAND SHARES (1000) OF DOLLAR(S) (\$1) PAR VALUE COMMON STOCK, WHICH SHALL BE DESIGNATED "COMMON SHARES."

# ARTICLE V - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

THE PRINCIPAL OFFICE, IF KNOWN, OR THE MAILING ADDRESS OF THE CORPORATION IS:

NAME:

DIANA RUPPEL

ADDRESS:

35 SE 20th COURT

CITY/STATE/ZIP: CAPE CORAL, FL 33990

THE NAME AND STREET ADDRESS OF THE INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT OF THIS CORPORATION IS:

NAME:

DIANA RUPPEL

ADDRESS:

35 SE 20th COURT

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# ARTICLE VI - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

THIS CORPORATION SHALL HAVE ONE (1) DIRECTOR INITIALLY. THE NUMBER OF DIRECTORS MAY BE EITHER INCREASED OF DIMINISHED FROM TIME TO TIME BY THE BY-LAWS, BUT SHALL NEVER BE LESS THAN ONE (1). THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE INITIAL DIRECTOR OF THE CORPORATION IS AS FOLLOWS:

NAME:

DIANA RUPPEL

ADDRESS:

35 SE 20th COURT

CITY/STATE/ZIP: CAPE CORAL, FL 33990

# ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATORS

THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE INCORPORATOR SIGNING THESE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION IS AS FOLLOWS:

NAME:

DIANA RUPPEL

ADDRESS:

35 SE 20th COURT

CITY/STATE/ZIP: CAPE CORAL, FL 33990

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, IN UNDERSIGNED SUBSCRIBER HAVE EXECUTED THESE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION THIS 29 DAY OF  $\overline{June}$ , 19  $\underline{8}$ .

Deana Ruppel (SEAL)

(STATE OF FLORIDA) (COUNTY OF LEE)

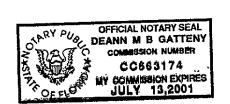
ON JUNE 29, 1998 BEFORE ME, A NOTARY PUBLIC AUTHORIZED TO TAKE ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS IN THE STATE AND COUNTY SET FORTH ABOVE, PERSONALLY APPEARED DIANA RUPPEL, KNOWN TO ME AND KNOWN TO BE THE PERSON WHO EXECUTED THE FOREGOING ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, AND WHO ACKNOWLEDGED BEFORE ME THAT SHE EXECUTED THESE ARTICLES IN INCORPORATION.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO AFFIXED MY HAND AND SEAL, IN THE STATE AND COUNTY AFORESAID, THIS <u>29</u> DAY OF JUNE 1998.

(NOTARY SEAL)

COLOR MR LA LENY (NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF FLORIDA)

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES:



## CERTIFICATE AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF REGISTERED AGENT

#### CERTIFICATE OF REGISTERED AGENT

OF

# D & R AUTO WHOLESALE, INC.

PURSUANT TO FLORIDA STATUTES SECTION 48.091 AND 607.0501, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED:

THE ABOVE CORPORATION, DESIRING TO ORGANIZE UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA WITH ITS REGISTERED OFFICE AS INDICATED IN THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

AT 35 SE 20th COURT, CAPE CORAL, FL 33990

HAS NAMED DIANA RUPPEL

LOCATED AT THE AFORESAID ADDRESS, AS ITS REGISTERED AGENT TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE.

# ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

HAVING BEEN NAMED AS REGISTERED AGENT TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, AND BEING FAMILIAR WITH THE OBLIGATIONS OF THAT POSITION, I HEREBY ACCEPT TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY, AND AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF FLORIDA LAW IN KEEPING OPEN THIS OFFICE.

DIANA RUPPEL

REGISTERED AGENT

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