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SECRETARY OF STATE DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS Post Office Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Re: UNITED WHOLESALE JEWELRY, INC.

Gentlemen:

Please find original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation and Consent of Resident Agent for filing with your office, reference above, along with my office check #3056 in the amount of \$122.50 representing filing fee.

Please endorse your approval of the Articles of Incororation on the enclosed copy, certify and return same to this office.

Thank you.

Sincerely yours

Jerome H/ Tepps / Esq.

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Enclosures: as noted

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

UNITED WHOLESALE JEWELRY, INC.

ARTICLE I

NAME

The name of the corporation is UNITED WHOLESALE JEWELRY, INC.

ARTICLE II

DURATION AND COMMENCEMENT OF EXISTENCE

This corporation shall commence on the date of filing with the Secretary of State. This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

This corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any or all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under Chapter 607 of the Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE IV

This corporation is authorized to issue 10,000 shares of \$.10 par value common stock.

ARTICLE V

CORPORATE OFFICE

The address of the corporate office is 3907 North Federal Highway, Suite B-117, Pompano Beach, Florida 33064 or as otherwise reflected in the annual report.

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 3907 North Federal Highway, Suite B-117, Pompano Beach, Florida 33064 and the name of the initial Registered Agent of this corporation at that address is Peter Kobler.

ARTICLE VII INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTOR/INCORPORATOR

The corporation shall have one director 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 nor more than three. The name and address of the initial director of this corporation is:

NAME

ADDRESS

PETER KOBLER

3907 North Federal Highway Suite B-117 Pompano Beach, Florida 33064

ARTICLE VIII INDEMNIFICATION

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 20 day of April, 1999.

PETER KOBĹEK

STATE OF NEW YORK)
COUNTY OF Massaul

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgments in the State and County set forth above, personally appeared PETER KOBLER known to me and known by me or who produced <u>Driver's license</u> as identification, who did take an oath, and he acknowledged before me that he executed these Articles of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal in the State of County above mentioned, this <u>20</u> day of April, 1999.

Notary Public/State of New York

my commission expires:

VERONICA BRENNAN
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 304732979
Qualified in Nassau County
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CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED.

Pursuant to Section 48.091 and Section 607.034(3), Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with said Sections:

UNITED WHOLESALE JEWELRY, INC. desires to organize under the Laws of the State of Florida with its registered office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at 3907 North Federal Highway, Suite B-117, Pompano Beach, Florida 33064 and has named PETER KOBLER located at 3907 North Federal Highway, Suite B-117, Pompano Beach, Florida 33064 as its Agent to accept service of process within this State.

CONSENT OF REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above named corporation, at the place designated in this Certificate, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provisions of said Sections relative to keeping open said office.

PETER KØBLER