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DAOUD MARINE SHIPPING &

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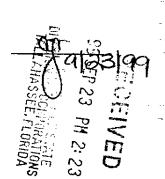
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

- OF -

DAOUD MARINE SHIPPING & TRADING, INC.

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, hereby come forth for the purpose of becoming a corporation under the Laws of the State of Florida, by and under the provisions of the Statutes of the said State of Florida.

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation shall be: DAOUD MARINE SHIPPING & TRADING, INC.

Its business shall be carried on in the State of Florida, in the United States of America, and elsewhere, as may be authorized by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE II

The general nature of the business to be transacted by the corporation shall be:

- a. To be engaged in any and all aspects within the field of import and export of products as well as consulting services.
- b. To buy and sell real estate, build and develop unimproved land and conduct a general broker business on all forms and kinds of securities and to act as agents in the buying and selling of mortgages, equities, securities and other forms of negotiable instruments and evidences of indebtedness and to buy and sell personal property, either wholesale or retail; to purchase, own, sell, rent, lease, mortgage and to act as the agent in the buying, owning, selling, renting, leasing and mortgaging of property, whether real or personal or otherwise; to manufacture, acquire or dispose of real estate or personal properties, for itself or acting as agents in loaning and buying securities; to borrow money and to secure the same in whatever manner in which a corporation might do and is permissible under the Laws of the sate of Florida.
- c. To apply for, hold, purchase, acquire or otherwise deal in letters,

patent or copyrights of the United States or other countries, to work, operate or develop the same or to carry on any business, manufacturing or otherwise, which may directly or indirectly affect those objects or any of them; to guarantee, purchase, hold, sell, assign, transfer, mortgage, pledge or otherwise, which may directly or indirectly affect those objects or any of them; to guarantee, purchase, hold, sell, assign, transfer, mortgage, pledge or otherwise acquire or dispose of the shares of capital stock or any bonds, securities or other evidences of indebtedness created by any person or corporation of this state or any other State, Country, Nation or Government and while owner of said stock may exercise all the rights and privileges of ownership, including the right to vote thereon as natural persons might or could do.

- d. To loan money on real estate and personal property.
- e. To enter into, make or perform contracts of any kind with any person, association, corporation, municipality, body politic, country, county, territory, state, government, colony or any dependency thereof, and without limit as to the amount, draw, make, accept, endorse, discount, execute and issue promissory notes, drafts, bills of exchange, warrants, bonds, debentures and all other negotiable instruments and evidences of indebtedness, whether secured by mortgage, bond or otherwise.
- f. To do any and of the requirements set forth herein, to the same extent as natural persons might do or could do and in any part of the world as principals, agents, contractors or otherwise and either alone or with the company of others, purchase, hold and reissue any of the shares of its capital stock.
- g. In general, to carry on any other business in connection therewith, whether manufacturing or otherwise, not specifically forbidden by the Laws of the State of Florida and with all powers conferred upon corporations by the Laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE III

The maximum number of Shares of Stock that the corporation is authorized to have outstanding, at any time, shall be: ONE HUNDRED (100) SHARES - NO PAR VALUE.

ARTICLE IV

The amount of capital with which the corporation will begin business shall not be less than FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500.00).

ARTICLE V

The principal office of this corporation shall be located at: 10855 S.W. 112 AVENUE, SUITE 103 MIAMI, FLORIDA 33176

ARTICLE VI

The corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE VII

The names and street addresses of the first Board of Directors who shall hold office for the first year of the corporation's existence or until their successors are elected and have qualified, are as follows:

NAME	STREET ADDRESS
SHERIF ALI	10855 S.W. 112 AVENUE, SUITE 103 MIAMI, FLORIDA 33176
LADAN MARDPOUR	10855 S.W. 112 AVENUE, SUITE 103 MIAMI, FLORIDA 33176

At all times, there shall be not less than Two (2) Directors.

ARTICLE VIII

The names and street addresses of each subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation, are as follows:

NAME

STREET ADDRESS

NADIA SCHNOOR

10855 S.W. 112 AVENUE, SUITE 103 MIAMI, FLORIDA 33176

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 22nd day of September, 1999.

BY:

NADIA SCHNOOR

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF BROWARD

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day, before me, a Notary Public duly authorized in the State and County above named to take acknowledgments, personally appeared: NADIA SCHNOOR, who presented a Florida Driver's License, and on that basis, to me well known to be the person described as the Subscriber in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and he acknowledged before me, according to Law, that he subscribed to those Articles of Incorporation.

WITHESS my hand and Official Seal, in the County and State as aforesaid, this 22nd day of September, 1999.

My Commission Expires: JANUARY 5, 2003

NAME: FRANCIS K. CASTORO

NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF FLORIDA

COMMISSION NO.: CC 785577

FRANCIS X. CASTORO
MY COMMISSION # CC 785577
EXPIRES: January 5, 2003
Bonded Thru Notary Public Underwriters

SECRETARY OF STATE DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS
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NADIA SCHNOOR 10855 S.W. 112 AVENUE, SUFFE 103 MIAMI, FLORIDA 33176 TEL: 305-598-9293

DATE:

SEPTEMBER 22, 1999

TO:

SECRETARY OF STATE, CORPORATE RECORDS BUREAU

FROM:

NADIA SCHNOOR

RE:

CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM

PROCESS MAY BE SERVED.

CORP:

DAOUD MARINE SHIPPING & TRADING, INC.

Pursuant to Chapter 607.034 Florida Statutes, the following is submitted, in compliance with said Act: That the above-named corporation desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its principal office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation in the City of MIAMI, County of DADE, State of FLORIDA, has named:

NADIA SCHNOOR 10855 S.W. 112 AVENUE, SUTTE 103 MIAMI, FLORIDA 33176 TEL: 305-598-9293

as its REGISTERED AGENT to accept service of process within this State.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, at place designated in this certificate, I, the below signed, hereby:

- accept to act in this capacity and agree to comply with the provisions
 of said Act relative to keeping open said office; and
- 2. THEREBY AM FAMILIAR WITH AND ACCEPT THE DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES AS REGISTERED AGENT FOR SAID CORPORATION.

BY: NADIA SCHNOOR
TS: REGISTERED AGENT