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October 21, 1999

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

Re: Hoff & Company

To Whom It May Concern:

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Enclosed are the Articles of Incorporation for the above-referenced corporation along with a check in the amount of \$78.75 which I understand to be the filing fee for same.

Please file the enclosed with the State of Florida and return proof of filing to this office.

Sincerely,

Douglas A. Wood

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October 27, 1999

Via Facsimile (850) 487-6804 Only

Angie Backett
State of Florida Division of Corporations
Post Office Box 6327
Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Re: Hoff & Company/Hoff & Company, Inc.

Dear Angie:

I am writing this letter pursuant to our telephone conversation regarding the above-referenced matter. I would appreciate it if you would change Hoff & Company to Hoff & Company, Inc.

I thank you for your attention in this matter. Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at extension 202.

Sincerely,

Michelle S. Nicola

Legal Assistant to Douglas A. Wood

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SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

HOFF & COMPANY, INC.

The undersigned for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act, Florida Statutes, Section 607, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of the corporation is HOFF & COMPANY, INC.

ARTICLE II

Duration

The Corporation is to exist perpetually commencing on the date of execution of these Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE III

Purpose

The purpose is to engage in any and all business activities permitted under the laws of the United States and the State of Florida.

ARTICLE IV

Capital Stock

The corporation is authorized to issue Ten Thousand (10,000) shares all of one class, at \$1.00 par value common stock.

ARTICLE V

Initial Registered Office and Registered Agent

The name and address of the initial registered agent and office of this corporation is as follows:

DOUGLAS A. WOOD, ESQ. SIESKY, PILON & WOOD 1000 North Tamiami Trail Suite 201
Naples, FL 34102

The initial street address of the principal office of the corporation in the State of Florida will be: 5780 Taylor Road, Unit #4, Naples, Florida 34109.

<u>ARTICLE VI</u>

Initial Board of Directors

The initial Board of Directors shall consist of three (3) Directors initially. The number of directors may be either increased or decreased from time to time by the Bylaws.

The name and address of the initial directors of this corporation are:

Michael A. Del Duca, III 2101 Tarpon Road, Naples, Florida 34102

Terry Hoff 2200 Crayton Road, Naples, Florida 34102

Anthony J. Del Duca 115 Flame Vine Drive, Naples, Florida 34110

ARTICLE VII

Incorporators

The name and address of the person signing these Articles of Incorporation is:

DOUGLAS A. WOOD, ESQ. SIESKY, PILON & WOOD 1000 North Tamiami Trail Suite 201 Naples, Florida 34102

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have subscribed my name this 21 day of October, 1999.

DOUGLASIA. WOOD, ESQ.

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF COLLIER

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day before me, an officer duly authorized in the state aforesaid and in the county aforesaid to take acknowledgments, personally appeared **Douglas A. Wood, Esq.**, known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and acknowledged before me that he executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the county and state last aforesaid this _____ day of October, 1999.

(SEAL)

Notary Public - State of Florida

(Print Commissioned Name of Notary Public)
Did _____ Did Not ____ Take An Oath
Personally Known ___ OR Produced Identification ___
Type of Identification Produced

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SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

DESIGNATION AND ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Pursuant to the provisions of F.S. 607.0501, the undersigned corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered office/registered agent in the State of Florida.

- 1. The name of the corporation is HOFF & COMPANY, INC.
- 2. The name of the registered agent is Douglas A. Wood, Esq.
- 3. The address of the registered agent/registered office is Siesky, Pilon & Wood, 1000 North Tamiami Trail, Suite 201, Naples, FL 34102.

Acceptance

Having been named as registered agent and designated to accept service of process for the above corporation, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

DOUGLAS A. WOOD, ESQ.

Registered Agent