Inter-Office Communication Comptroller of Florida Division of Banking

DATE: November 8, 1999

TO: Karon Beyer, Department of State Division of Corporations - Bureau of Commercial Recording

FROM: John A. Pullen, Licensing and Chartering

SUBJECT V Articles of Incorporation-New Corporation

Please file the attached "Articles of Incorporation" (original and two copies) for Schroder Trust Bank, using <u>November 9, 1999</u>, as the effective date.  $\overrightarrow{A}_{M}$ 

Please make the following distribution of certified copies:

(1)	One copy to:	Division of Banking Mail Code 4400
(2)	One copy to:	Bowman Brown, Esquire Shutts & Bowen LLP 1500 Miami Center 201 South Biscayne Boulevard Miami, Florida 33131

Also attached is a \$52.50 check which represents payment of the applicable fees. If there is an underpayment, please contact Mr. Brown at (305)379-9107. If there is an overpayment, please issue a refund to Shutts & Bowen LLP.

If you have any questions, please call me at 410-9527.

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cc: Bureau of Financial Institutions - District II Miami Area Financial Manager

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF SCHRODER TRUST BANK

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CASHIER'S OFFICE The undersigned, acting as director for the purpose of forming a corporation under and by virtue of the Lawy of the State of Florida, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation.

### ARTICLE I

 The name of the corporation shall be \_\_Schroder Trust Bank

 and its initial place of business shall be at \_\_200 South Biscavne Boulevard, Suite 2650

 in the City of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and State of Florida.

### ARTICLE II

The general nature of the business to be transacted by this corporation shall be: That of a general trust company business with all the rights, powers, and privileges granted and conferred by the Florida Financial Institutions Codes, regulating the organization, powers, and management of trust corporations.

### ARTICLE III

The total number of shares authorized to be issued by the corporation shall be 10,000 . Such shares shall be of a single class and shall have a par value of 100.00 per share. The corporation shall begin business with at least 1,000,000 in paid-in common capital stock to be divided into 10,000 shares. The amount of surplus with which the corporation will begin business will be not less than 900,000 and the amount of undivided profits, not less than 100,000 all of which (capital stock, surplus, and undivided profits) shall be paid in cash.

#### ARTICLE IV

The term for which said corporation shall exist shall be perpetual unless terminated pursuant to the Florida Financial Institutions Codes.

#### ARTICLE V

The number of directors shall not be fewer than five (5). A majority of the full board of directors may, at any time during the years following the annual meeting of shareholders, increase the number of directors by not more than two and appoint persons to fill resulting vacancies. The names and street addresses of the first directors of the corporation are:

NAME

# STREET ADDRESS

Clive N. Boothman	31 Gresham Street
	London EC2V 7QA England
Jose A. Cacicedo	200 S. Biscayne Blvd., Ste. 2650
	<u>Miami, FL 33131-2371</u>
John H. B. Harriman	200 S. Biscavne Blvd., Ste. 2650
	Miami, FL 33131-2371
James H. McGrath	200 S. Biscayne Blvd., Ste. 2650
	Miami, FL 33131-2371
David H. A. Rowe	31 Gresham Street
	London EC2V 70A England

In witness of the foregoing, the undersigned director has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 28<sup>th</sup> day of October, A.D. 1999.

**B.** Harriman John È

STATE OF FLORIDA ) )SS COUNTY OF DADE )

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this  $28^{th}$  day of October, 1999, by JOHN H. B. HARRIMAN, [ $\nu$ ] who is personally known to me or [] who has produced as identification and who did [] did not [ $\nu$ ] take an oath.

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Notary Public State of Florida at Large My Commission Expires: 10/28/01

Approved by the Department of Banking and Finance this SH day of November, 1999.

Tallahassee, Florida

Robert F. Milligan

Comptroller of the State of Florida and Head of the Department of Banking and Finance

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