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## STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

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### **BUSINESS CORPORATION**

## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

(To Be Filed In Duplicate Original)

The undersigned acting as incorporator(s) of a corporation under Chapter 71.1 of the General Laws, 1956, as amended, adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

1.	The name of the corporation is <b>M and M Seafood, Inc.</b>
	(This is a close corporation pursuant to § 7-1.1-51 of the General Laws, 1956, as amended.) (Strike if inapplicable.)
2.	The period of its duration is (if perpetual, so state)  Perpetual
3.	The specific purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized are:
	To engage in the business of owning, operating and maintaining a business for wholesale
	and retail sales of seafood products and other products incidental thereto. Generally to
	carry on any other business which can be advantageously carried on in conjunction with and
	incidental to the matters aforesaid. To carry on any business permitted by the laws of
	the State of Rhode Island by a corporation organized under General Laws sec. 7-1.1-51.
4.	The aggregate number of shares which the corporation shall have authority to issue is:
	(a) If only one class: Total number of shares 10,000 (If the authorized shares are to consist of one class only the par value of such shares or a statement that all of such shares are to be without par value.):
	Without par value
	(b) If more than one class: Total number of shares (State (A) the number of shares of each class thereof that are to have a par value and the par value of each share of each such class, and/or (B) the number of such shares that are to be without par value, and (C) a statement of all or any of the designations and the powers, preferences and rights, including voting rights, and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof, which are permitted by the provisions of Chapter 7-1.1 of the General Laws, 1956, as amended, in respect of any class or classes of stock of the corporation and the fixing of which by the articles of association is desired, and an express grant of such authority as it may then be desired to grant to the board of directors to fix by vote or votes any thereof that may be desired but which shall not be fixed by the articles.):
5.	Provisions, if any, dealing with the preemptive right of shareholders pursuant to § 7-1.1-24 of the General Laws, 1956, as amended:  None.  FER 0 9 2004
For	n No. 100

# ARTICLE 6 OF THE ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION FOR M AND M SEAFOOD, INC.

#### 6A. LIMITATIONS ON SALE OR TRANSFER OF STOCK

Any stockholder, including the heirs, assigns, executors, or administrators of deceased stockholder, desiring to sell or transfer the stock owned by him or them, shall first offer it to the corporation through the Board of Directors, in the manner following:-

He shall notify the director of his desire to sell or transfer by notice in writing, which notice shall contain the price at which he is willing to sell or transfer and the name of one arbitrator. The directors shall within thirty days thereafter either accept the offer, or by notice to him in writing name a second arbitrator, and these two shall name a third. It shall then be the duty of the arbitrator to ascertain the value of the stock, and if any arbitrator shall neglect or refuse to appear at any meeting appointed by the arbitrators, a majority may act in the absence of such arbitrator.

After the acceptance of the offer, of the report of the arbitrator as to the value of the stock, the directors shall have thirty days within which to purchase the stock at such valuation, but if at the expiration of thirty days, the corporation shall not have exercised the right so to purchase, the owner of the stock shall be at liberty to dispose of the stock in any manner he may see fit.

No shares of stock shall be sold or transferred on the books of the corporation until these provisions have been complied with, but the Board of Directors may in any particular instance waive the requirement. The stock to be issued in the I.R.C. of 1954 as amended and shall be issued pursuant to a plan under and in conformance with the terms thereto.

#### 6B. LIMITATION OF LIABILITY OF DIRECTORS

No director of this Corporation shall be personally liable to the Corporation or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a director notwithstanding any provision of law imposing such liability; provided, however, that this Article shall not eliminate or limit any liability of a director (i) for any breach of such director's duty of loyalty to the Corporation or its stockholders; (ii) for acts or omissions not in good faith or which involve intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law, (iii) under the Rhode Island Business Corporation Law, or (iv) with respect to any transaction from which such director derives an improper personal benefit.

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## 6C. TRANSACTIONS WITH INTERESTED PERSONS

- 1. Unless entered into in bad faith, no contract or transaction by this Corporation shall be void, voidable or in any way affected by reason of the fact that it is with an Interested Person.
- 2. For the purposes of this Article, "Interested Person" means any person or organization in any way interested in this Corporation whether as an officer, director, stockholder, employee or otherwise, and any other entity in which any such person or organization of this Corporation is in any way interested.
- 3. Unless such contract or transaction was entered into in bad faith, no Interested Person, because of such interest, shall be liable to this Corporation or to any other person or organization for any loss or expense incurred by reason of such contract or transaction or hall be accountable for any gain or profit realized from such contract or transaction.
- 4. The provisions of this Article shall be operative notwithstanding the fact that the presence of an Interested Person was necessary to constitute a quorum at a meeting of directors or stockholders of this Corporation at which such contract or transaction was authorized or that the vote of an Interested Person was necessary for the authorization of such contract or transaction.

## 6D. STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS

Meetings of stockholders of this Corporation may be held anywhere in the United States.

## 6E. AMENDMENT OF BY-LAWS

The By-Laws may provide that the Board of Directors as well as the stockholders may make, amend or repeal the By-Laws of this Corporation, except with respect to any provision thereof which by law, by these Articles or by the By-Laws requires action by the stockholders.

## 6F. ACTING AS PARTNER

This Corporation may be a partner in any business enterprise which it would have power to conduct by itself.