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Limited Liability Company Articles of Organization

(Chapter 7-16-6 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended)

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The name of the limited liability company is: LK Meyer LLC

ARTICLE II

The street address (post office boxes are not acceptable) of the limited liability company's registered agent in Rhode Island is:

No. and Street: 650 GEORGE WASHINGTON HWY.

STE. 201

City or Town: LINCOLN State: RI Zip: 02865

The name of the resident agent at such address is: ALEXANDER J. RAHEB, ESQ.

ARTICLE III

Under the terms of these Articles of Organization and any written operating agreement made or intended to be made, the limited liability company is intended to be treated for purposes of federal income taxation as: Check one box only

а	partnership	a corporation	Χ	disregarded	as ar	entity	separate	from i	ts me	∍mbe

ARTICLE IV

The address of its principal office of the limited liability company if it is determined at the time of organization:

No. and Street: 97 JOHNSON STREET

City or Town: PROVIDENCE State: RI Zip: 02905 Country: USA

ARTICLE V

The limited liability company has the purpose of engaging in any lawful business, unless a more limited purpose is set forth in Article VI of these Articles of Organization.

The period of its duration is: X Perpetual

ARTICLE VI

Additional provisions, if any, not inconsistent with law, which members elect to have set forth in these Articles of Organization, including, but not limited to, any limitation of the purposes or any other provision which may be included in an operating agreement:

1. A MANAGER OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SHALL NOT BE PERSONALLY LIABLE

TO THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY OR TO ITS MEMBERS FOR MONETARY DAMAGES

FOR

BREACH OF ANY DUTY PROVIDED FOR IN SECTION 17 OF THE RHODE ISLAND LIMITED

<u>LIABILITY ACT, AS MAY HEREAFTER BE AMENDED (THE "ACT"), EXCEPT FOR (I)</u> LIABILITY

FOR BREACH OF THE MANAGER'S DUTY OF LOYALTY TO THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY OR

 $\underline{\text{ITS MEMBERS, (II) LIABILITY FOR ACTS OR OMISSIONS NOT IN GOOD FAITH OR} \\ \text{WHICH}$

INVOLVE INTENTIONAL MISCONDUCT OR A KNOWING VIOLATION OF LAW, (III) LIABILITY

IMPOSED PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 32 OF THE ACT, OR (IV) LIABILITY

FOR ANY TRANSACTION FROM WHICH THE MANAGER DERIVED AN IMPROPER PERSONAL

BENEFIT,

UNLESS SAID TRANSACTION WAS WITH THE INFORMED CONSENT OF THE MEMBERS OR

A

MAJORITY OF THE DISINTERESTED MANAGERS.

2. (A) THE MEMBERS OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY MAY INCLUDE PROVISIONS

IN THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY'S OPERATING AGREEMENT, OR THE MANAGERS

MAY

<u>AUTHORIZE AGREEMENTS TO BE ENTERED INTO WITH EACH MEMBER, MANAGER, AGENT OR</u>

EMPLOYEE, PAST OR PRESENT, OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (AN "INDEMNIFIED

PERSON"), FOR THE PURPOSE OF INDEMNIFYING AN INDEMNIFIED PERSON IN THE MANNER AND

TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY THE ACT.

(B) IN ADDITION TO THE AUTHORITY CONFERRED UPON THE

MEMBERS AND

MANAGERS OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY BY THE FOREGOING PARAGRAPH (A), THE

MEMBERS OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY MAY INCLUDE PROVISIONS IN THE OPERATING

AGREEMENT, OR THE MANAGERS MAY AUTHORIZE AGREEMENTS TO BE ENTERED INTO

WITH EACH

INDEMNIFIED PERSON, FOR THE PURPOSE OF INDEMNIFYING SUCH PERSON IN THE MANNER AND

TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED HEREIN:

(I) THE OPERATING AGREEMENT PROVISIONS OR AGREEMENTS

AUTHORIZED HEREBY

MAY PROVIDE THAT THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SHALL, SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS

OF THIS ARTICLE SIXTH II(B), PAY, ON BEHALF OF AN INDEMNIFIED PERSON

ANY LOSS OR

EXPENSES ARISING FROM ANY CLAIM OR CLAIMS WHICH ARE MADE AGAINST THE **INDEMNIFIED**

PERSON (WHETHER INDIVIDUALLY OR JOINTLY WITH OTHER INDEMNIFIED PERSONS)

BY REASON

OF ANY COVERED ACT OF THE INDEMNIFIED PERSON.

(II) FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS ARTICLE SIXTH 2(B), WHEN USED **HEREIN**

(1) "MANAGER(S)" MEANS ANY OR ALL OF THE MANAGERS OF THE LIMITED

LIABILITY COMPANY OR THOSE ONE OR MORE MEMBERS OR OTHER PERSONS WHO ARE

EXERCISING ANY POWERS NORMALLY VESTED IN THE MANAGERS'

(2) "LOSS" MEANS ANY AMOUNT WHICH AN INDEMNIFIED PERSON IS LEGALLY

OBLIGATED TO PAY FOR ANY CLAIM FOR COVERED ACTS AND SHALL INCLUDE, WITHOUT BEING

LIMITED TO, DAMAGES, SETTLEMENTS, FINES, PENALTIES OR, WITH RESPECT TO **EMPLOYEE**

BENEFIT PLANS, EXCISE TAXES;

(3) "EXPENSES" MEANS ANY EXPENSES INCURRED IN CONNECTION WITH THE

DEFENSE AGAINST ANY CLAIM FOR COVERED ACTS, INCLUDING, WITHOUT BEING LIMITED TO,

LEGAL, ACCOUNTING OR INVESTIGATIVE FEES AND EXPENSES OR BONDS **NECESSARY**

TO PURSUE

AN APPEAL OF AN ADVERSE JUDGMENT; AND

(4) "COVERED ACT" MEANS ANY ACT OR OMISSION BY THE INDEMNIFIED PERSON IN

THE INDEMNIFIED PERSON'S OFFICIAL CAPACITY WITH THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY AND

WHILE SERVING AS SUCH OR WHILE SERVING AT THE REQUEST OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY

COMPANY AS A MEMBER OF THE GOVERNING BODY, MANAGER, OFFICER, **EMPLOYEE**

OR AGENT OF

ANOTHER LIMITED COMPANY, CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP, JOINT VENTURE, TRUST, OTHER

ENTITY OR ENTERPRISE, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO ANY ENTITIES AND **ENTERPRISES**

WHICH ARE SUBSIDIARIES OR AFFILIATES OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, OR

EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLAN.

(III) THE OPERATING AGREEMENT PROVISIONS OR AGREEMENTS AUTHORIZED HEREBY

MAY COVER LOSS OR EXPENSES ARISING FROM ANY CLAIMS MADE AGAINST A

RETIRED

INDEMNIFIED PERSON, THE ESTATE, HEIRS OR LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE OF A DECEASED

INDEMNIFIED PERSON OR THE LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE OF AN INCOMPETENT, INSOLVENT OR

BANKRUPT INDEMNIFIED PERSON, WHERE THE INDEMNIFIED PERSON WAS AN INDEMNIFIED

PERSON AT THE TIME THE COVERED ACT UPON WHICH SUCH CLAIMS ARE BASED OCCURRED.

(IV) ANY OPERATING AGREEMENT PROVISIONS OR AGREEMENTS

AUTHORIZED HEREBY

MAY PROVIDE FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF EXPENSES TO AN INDEMNIFIED PERSON PRIOR TO THE

FINAL DISPOSITION OF ANY ACTION, SUIT OR PROCEEDING, OR ANY APPEAL THEREFROM,

INVOLVING SUCH INDEMNIFIED PERSON AND BASED ON THE ALLEGED

COMMISSION

BY SUCH

INDEMNIFIED PERSON OF A COVERED ACT, SUBJECT TO AN UNDERTAKING BY OR ON

BEHALF OF

SUCH INDEMNIFIED PERSON TO REPAY THE SAME TO THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY OF THE

COVERED ACT INVOLVES A CLAIM FOR WHICH INDEMNIFICATION IS NOT PERMITTED

UNDER

CLAUSE (V), BELOW, AND THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF SUCH ACTION, SUIT, PROCEEDING OR

APPEAL RESULTS IN AN ADJUDICATION ADVERSE TO SUCH INDEMNIFIED PERSON.

(V) THE OPERATING AGREEMENT PROVISIONS OR AGREEMENTS

AUTHORIZED HEREBY

MAY NOT INDEMNIFY AN INDEMNIFIED PERSON FROM AND AGAINST ANY LOSS, AND

THE

LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SHALL NOT REIMBURSE FOR ANY EXPENSES, IN CONNECTION

WITH ANY CLAIM OR CLAIMS MADE AGAINST AN INDEMNIFIED PERSON WHICH THE LIMITED

<u>LIABILITY COMPANY HAS DETERMINED TO HAVE RESULTED FROM: (1) ANY BREACH</u> OF THE

INDEMNIFIED PERSON'S DUTY OF LOYALTY TO THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY OR ITS

MEMBERS; (2) ACTS OR OMISSIONS NOT IN GOOD FAITH OR WHICH INVOLVE INTENTIONAL

MISCONDUCT OR KNOWING VIOLATION OF LAW; (3) ACTION CONTRAVENING SECTION

17 OF THE

ACT; OR (4) A TRANSACTION FROM WHICH THE PERSON SEEKING INDEMNIFICATION

DERIVED

AN IMPROPER PERSONAL BENEFIT, UNLESS SAID TRANSACTION WAS WITH THE INFORMED

CONSENT OF THE MEMBERS OR A MAJORITY OF THE DISINTERESTED MANAGERS. **ARTICLE VII** The limited liabilty company is to be managed by its X Members or (check one) Managers (If managed by Members, go to ARTICLE VIII) The name and address of each manager (If LLC is managed by Members, DO NOT complete this section): Title **Individual Name Address** First, Middle, Last, Suffix Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country **ARTICLE VIII** The date these Articles of Organization are to become effective, not prior to, nor more than 30 days after the filing of these Articles of Organization. Later Effective Date: This electronic signature of the individual or individuals signing this instrument constitutes the affirmation or acknowledgement of the signatory, under penalties of perjury, that this instrument is that individual's act and deed or the act and deed of the company, and that the facts stated herein are true, as of the date of the electronic filing, in compliance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 7-16. Signed this 20 Day of May, 2015 at 4:01:15 PM by the Authorized Person. ALEXANDER J. RAHEB, ESQ. **Address of Authorized Signer:** 650 GEORGE WASHINGTON HWY. STE. 201 Form No. 400

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