## State of Chade Island and Providence Plantations BUSINESS CORPORATION

## ORIGINAL ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

The undersigned acting as incorporator(s) of a corporation under Chapter 7-1.1 of the General Laws, 1956, as amended, adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

for such corporation:
FIRST. The name of the corporation is ROUSSELLE ENTERPRISES, INC.
(A close corporation pursuant to §7-1.1-51 of the General Laws, 1956, as amended) (strike if inapplicable)
Second. The period of its duration is (if perpetual, so state)perpetual
THIRD. The purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized are:
To carry on the business of purchasing and selling, both wholesale and retail liquids for beverage purposes including, but not limited to all soft drinks, beer, ale, whiskey, wine, liquers, cordials and any other alcoholic drinks and necessary mixes and to acquire by purchasing or otherwise, and to market, sell, distribut and generally deal in any and all alcoholic beverages subject to restrictions and conditions as may be imposed by law.

The corporation shall have power: (See §7-1.1-4 of the General Laws, 1956, as amended.)

- (a) To have perpetual succession by its corporate name unless a limited period of duration is stated in its articles of incorporation.
  - (b) To sue and be sued, complain and defend, in its corporate name.
- (c) To have a corporate seal which may be altered at pleasure, and to use the same by causing it, or a facsimile thereof, to be impressed or affixed or in any other manner reproduced.
- (d) To purchase, take, receive, lease, or otherwise acquire, own, hold, improve, use and otherwise deal in and with, real or personal property, or any interest therein, wherever situated.
- (e) To sell, convey, mortgage, pledge, lease, exchange, transfer and otherwise dispose of all or any part of its property and assets.
  - (f) To lend money and to use its credit to assist its employees.
- (g) To purchase, take, receive, subscribe for, or otherwise acquire, own, hold, vote, use, employ, sell, mortgage, lend, pledge or otherwise dispose of, and otherwise use and deal in and with, shares or other interests in, or obligations of, other domestic or foreign corporations, associations, partnerships or individuals, or direct or indirect obligations of the United States or of any other government, state, territory, governmental district or municipality or of any instrumentality thereof.
- (h) To make contracts and guarantees and incur liabilities, borrow money at such rates of interest as the corporation may determine, issue its notes, bonds, and other obligations, and secure any of its obligations by mortgage or pledge of all or any of its property, franchises, and income.
- (i) To lend money for its corporate purposes, invest and reinvest its funds, and take and hold real and personal property as security for the payment of funds so loaned or invested.
- (j) To conduct its business, carry on its operations, and have offices and exercise the powers granted by this chapter, within or without this state.
  - (k) To elect or appoint officers and agents of the corporation, and define their duties and fix their compensation.
- (l) To make and alter by-laws, not inconsistent with its articles of incorporation or with the laws of this state, for the administration and regulation of the affairs of the corporation.
  - (m) To make donations for the public welfare or for charitable, scientific or educational purposes.
- (n) To transact any lawful business which the board of directors shall find will be in aid of governmental authority.
- (o) To pay pensions and establish pension plans, pension trusts, profit-sharing plans, stock option plans and other incentive plans for any or all of its directors, officers and employees.
- (p) To provide insurance for its benefit on the life of any of its directors, officers, or employees, or on the life of any stockholder for the purpose of acquiring at his death shares of its stock owned by such stockholder.
  - (q) To be a promoter, partner, member, associate, or manager of any partnership, enterprise or venture.
  - (r) To have and exercise all powers necessary or convenient to effect its purposes.

COVER)

FOURTH. The aggregate number of shares which the corporation shall have authority to issue is:

(a) If only one class: Total number of shares and all 00

(If the authorized shares are to consist of one class only, state 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 title 7 of the General Laws 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.)

FIFTH. Provisions (if any) dealing with the preemptive right of shareholders pursuant to \$7-1.1-24 of the General Laws, 1956, as amended:

Sixth. Provisions (if any) for the regulation of the internal affairs of the corporation:

1551 Centreville Road, West Warw	registered office of the corporation is ick. RI 02893 (add Zip Code)
G. John Gazerro, Jr.	
Екснтн. The number of directors cons	stituting the initial board of directors of the
	names and addresses of the persons who are tall meeting of shareholders or until their :
(If this is a close corporation pursuant to §7-1.1-51 and address(es) of the officers of the corporation.)	of the General Laws, 1956, as amended, state the name(s)
Name	Address
G. John Gazerro, Jr.	1551 Centroveille Rd., W.Warwick,
·	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
NINTH. The name and address of ea	ch incorporator is:
Name	Address
G. John Gazerro, Jr.	1551 Centroville Rd., W. Warwick,
	•
Tenth. Date when corporate existen filing of these articles of incorporation):	ce to begin (not more than 30 days after
April 15, 1985	
Dated April 16. , 19 8	5 1 Vollegrung

	STATE OF RHODE ISLAND COUNTY OF KENT	In the Town	} ofW	est warwick
	in said county this	day	of April	, A.D. 19 <u>35</u>
	then personally appear	ed before me	G. John Gazer	ro, Jr.
·				
	each and all known to instrument, and they se their free act and deed	verally acknowledged	to be the parties elsaid instrument b	executing the foregoing y them subscribed to be
		··· ·· · · (	Lance E M	La Susen Pulle
:				
;   10 	04\12\82 PAII: 0256601 CHEK CHEK			

4097

) } { 16854

Law Offices
Gazerro & Richardson
1551 Centreville Road
West Warwick, Rhade Island 02893
Telephone (401)821-3300

G. John Gazerro, Jr. Walter F. Richardson, 111

April 11, 1985

Paul E. Brodeur of counsel

Office of Secretary of State 270 Westminster Street Providence, Rhode Island 02903

ATTENTION: Corporation Division

Gentlemen:

Please be advised that I am the incorporator of ROUSSELLE REALTY, INC.

Immediately after incorporation of ROUSSELLE REALTY, INC. I wish to incorporate a separate corporate entity using the name ROUSSELLE ENTERPRISES, INC.

In my capacity as incorporator of ROUSSELLE REALTY, INC. I hereby grant permission for incorporation and permission for use of the name ROUSSELLE ENTERPRISES, INC.

G. John Gazerro, Jr.

GJG:lem