

ADOPTING THE ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

(D) IF THE SECRETARY OF STATE FINDS THAT THE REQUIREMENTS OF SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION HAVE BEEN SATISFIED, THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL ENDORSE THE ARTICLES "APPROVED" AND ISSUE A CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL ATTACHED TO THE ENDORSED ARTICLES AND A CERTIFICATE OF ORGANIZATION TO THE AUTHORITY.

(E) UPON ISSUANCE OF THE CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL, THE ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION AS FILED ARE EFFECTIVE AND ARE CONCLUSIVELY CONSIDERED TO HAVE BEEN LAWFULLY AND PROPERLY ADOPTED.

(F) IN ANY SUIT, ACTION, OR PROCEEDING INVOLVING THE VALIDITY OR ENFORCEMENT OF OR RELATING TO ANY CONTRACT OF THE AUTHORITY, THE AUTHORITY SHALL BE CONCLUSIVELY DEEMED TO HAVE BECOME ESTABLISHED AND AUTHORIZED TO TRANSACT BUSINESS AND EXERCISE ITS POWERS UPON ISSUANCE BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF A CERTIFICATE OF ORGANIZATION. A COPY OF SUCH CERTIFICATE OF ORGANIZATION SHALL BE ADMISSIBLE IN EVIDENCE IN ANY SUIT, ACTION, OR PROCEEDING.

1-204.

(A) ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION MAY BE ADOPTED FOR AUTHORITIES GOVERNED BY TITLES 2 THROUGH 9 OF THIS ARTICLE, BUT SUCH ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION SHALL NOT BE INCONSISTENT WITH THIS ARTICLE.

(B) THE ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION FOR SUCH AUTHORITIES THAT WERE ACTIVATED BEFORE JULY 1, 1990 SHALL BE ADOPTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 1-202 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

1-205.

(A) THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL RECORD AND MAINTAIN ALL ENDORSED ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION AND AMENDMENTS IN RECORDS KEPT FOR THAT PURPOSE.

(B) UPON REQUEST, THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL ISSUE CERTIFIED COPIES OF THE ENDORSED ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION AND AMENDMENTS, WHICH SHALL BE ADMISSIBLE IN EVIDENCE IN ANY SUIT, ACTION, OR PROCEEDING.

1-206.

(A) A LOCAL GOVERNMENT MAY NOT AMEND THE ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION TO CHANGE THE NUMBER OF COMMISSIONERS OR THE LENGTH OF TERMS OF COMMISSIONERS AS PROVIDED FOR IN THE INITIAL ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION.