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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

Office of the Clerk

February 28, 2013

REGISTERED AGENT SOLUTIONS INC 7288 HANOVER GREEN MECHANICSVILLE, VA 23111

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- RE: UNITED BENEFITS, LLC
- ID: T052718 6
- DCN: 13-02-04-0243

Dear Customer:

This receipt acknowledges payment of \$100.00 to cover the fee for filing an application for a certificate of registration to transact business in Virginia with this office.

The effective date of the registration is February 28, 2013.

If you have any questions, please call (804) 371-9733 or toll-free in Virginia, (866) 722-2551.

Sincerely,

Joel H. Peck Clerk of the Commission

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#### COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AT RICHMOND, FEBRUARY 28, 2013

The State Corporation Commission has found the accompanying application for a certificate of registration to transact business in Virginia submitted on behalf of

## UNITED BENEFITS, LLC

to comply with the requirements of law, and confirms payment of all required fees. Therefore, it is ORDERED that this

# CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN VIRGINIA

be issued and admitted to record with the application in the Office of the Clerk of the Commission, effective February 28, 2013.

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

By

James C. Dimitri Commissioner

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Beth Chapman Secretary of State P. O. Box 5616 Montgomery, AL 36103-5616

# STATE OF ALABAMA

# I, Beth Chapman, Secretary of State of Alabama, having custody of the Great and Principal Seal of said State, do hereby certify that

as appears on file and of record in this office, the pages hereto attached, contain a true, accurate, and literal copy of the Articles of Formation filed on behalf of United Benefits, LLC, as received and filed in the Office of the Secretary of State on 10/12/2010.



In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State, at the Capitol, in the city of Montgomery, on this day.

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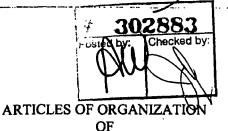
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Pursuant to the Provisions of Sections 10-12-1, et seq. of the Code of Alabama (1975), the undersigned hereby adopt the following Limited Liability Company Articles of Organization.

UNITED BENEFITS, LLC

#### ARTICLE 1 Name

The name of the limited liability company is UNITED BENEFITS, LLC (the "Company").

## ARTICLE 2

#### **Duration**

The Company shall have a perpetual duration from the date of organization, unless it is dissolved and its affairs wound up prior to that date in accordance with the Alabama Limited Liability Company Act (the "Act").

#### ARTICLE 3 Purposes

The purposes for which the Company is formed are:

(1) The primary business of the Company shall be to sell insurance and to engage in any and all activities related or incidental to the foregoing and to conduct any other business which shall be legal for a limited liability company to conduct under the laws of the State of Alabama.

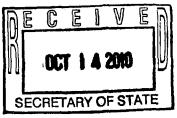
(2) To render to others, and to engage in the business of rendering to others, consulting, advisory, administrative, industrial engineering, accounting, bookkeeping and other services of every nature, kind and character, which it may legally render;

(3) To engage in any industrial, manufacturing, mining, mercantile, trading, agricultural, service, or other lawful business of any kind or character whatsoever;

(4) To act as agent, representative, or receiver of any person, firm, corporation, or governmental entity or instrumentality in respect to any lawful undertaking or transaction;

(5) To purchase, take, receive, lease or otherwise acquire, own, hold, improve, use and otherwise deal in or with, real or personal property, or any interest therein, wherever situated, and to sell, convey, mortgage, pledge, lease, exchange, transfer and otherwise dispose of real or personal property, or any interest therein;

(6) 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,



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shares or other interests in, or obligations of, corporations, limited liability companies, associations, partnerships, individuals, or direct or indirect obligations of governmental entities or of any instrumentality thereof;

(7) To lend money, invest and reinvest its funds and take and hold real and personal property as security for the payment of funds so loaned or invested; and

(8) To engage in any other lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized pursuant to the Act.

#### **ARTICLE 4**

#### Registered Office; Registered Agent

The location and street address of the initial registered office of the Company shall be 419 East Tennessee Street, Florence, Alabama 35630, and its registered agent at such address shall be Matthew A. Whitten.

#### ARTICLE 5

#### Initial Members

The names and mailing addresses of the initial members are:

Matthew A. Whitten 419 East Tennessee Street Florence, AL 35630

Charlotte Burton 419 East Tennessee Street Florence, AL 35630

#### ARTICLE 6 Admission of Additional Members

Upon the unanimous written consent of the members, the members of the Company may permit the admission of additional members and the terms and conditions of their admission shall be as set forth in the Company's Operating Agreement.

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#### ARTICLE 7 Continuation of Business

The Company may be reconstituted and the business of the Company may be continued following an event of dissociation which terminates the membership of a member of the Company if (i) there is at least one remaining member or a new member is admitted, and (ii) the business of the Company is continued by the written consent of all of the remaining members within ninety (90) days after the occurrence of the event of dissociation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, these Articles have been subscribed as of the  $30^{15}$  day of September, 2010 by the undersigned members, who affirm that the statements made herein are true under the penalties of perjury.

Matthew A. Whitten, Member

Charlotte Burton, Member

Document Prepared by: Carol L. Eckl, Esq. PITTS & ECKL, PC PO Drawer 918 Florence, AL 35631 (256) 718-3600 ceckl@pelaw.net

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# STATE OF ALABAMA LAUDERDALE COUNTY

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I, Deway D. Mitchell, Judge of Probate in and for the State	and County aforesaid	do hereby certify that the foregoing
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Given under my hand and official seal of office, this	day of	Oct. 2010
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