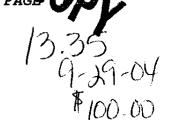


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## The First State



I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF MERGER OF "BANK ONE CORPORATION", FILED IN THIS OFFICE ON THE THIRTIETH DAY OF JUNE, A.D. 2004, AT 12:41 O'CLOCK P.M.

AND I DO MEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATE OF MERGER IS THE FIRST DAY OF JULY, A.D. 2004, AT 12:01 C CLOCK A.M. of County



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State of Delaware

CERTIFICATE OF MERGER OF

BANK ONE CORPORATION

WITH AND INTO

J.P. MORGAN CHASE & CO.

**UNDER SECTION 251 OF THE** 

GENERAL CORPORATION LAW

OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

Droporty. Pursuant to Section 251(c) of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, J.P. Morgan Chase & Co., a Delaware corporation ("JPMorgan Chase"), hereby certifies the following information relating to the merger of Bank One Corporation, a Delaware corporation ("Bank One"), with and into JPMorgan Chase (the "Merger"):

The names of the constituent corporations in the Merger (the FIRST: "Constituent Corporations") and their states of incorporation are as follows:

<u>Name</u>

J.P. Morgan Chase & Co.

Delayare

Bank One Corporation

Delaware

The Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as columnary 14, 2004 SECOND: (the "Merger Agreement"), between JPMorgan Chase and Bank One, setting forth the terms and conditions of the Merger, has been approved, adopted, certified, executed and acknowledged by each of the Constituent Corporations in accordance with the provisions of Section 251 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

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THIRD: The name of the surviving corporation in the Merger is J.P. Morgan Chase & Co. (the "Surviving Corporation").

FOURTH: The certificate of incorporation of JPMorgan Chase shall be the certificate of incorporation of the Surviving Corporation, except that the first paragraph of Article FOURTH is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

The total number of shares of all classes of capital stock which the Corporation shall have authority to issue is NINE BILLION TWO PUNDRED MILLION, of which TWO HUNDRED MILLION shares shall be shares of preferred stock of the par value of \$1 per share (hereinature called "Preferred Stock") and NINE BILLION shares shall be shares of common stock of the par value of \$1 per share (hereinafter called "Common Stock").

FIFTH: The executed Merger Agreement is on file at the office of the Surviving Corporation located at 270 Park Avenue, New York, New York 10017.

SIXTH: A copy of the Merger Agreement will be furnished by the Surviving Corporation, on request and without cost, to any stockholder of either of the Constituent Corporations.

SEVENTH: This Certificate of Merger, and the Merger provided for herein, shall become effective at 12:01 a.m. on July 1, 2004.



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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Merger has been executed on this 30th day of June, 2004.

J.P. MORGAN CHASE & CO.

By: /s/ Anthony J. Horan

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