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Whereas,

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF APPLE MORTGAGE, INC.

INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS HAVE BEEN FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE AS PROVIDED BY THE BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT OF ILLINOIS, IN FORCE JULY 1, A.D. 1984.

DEPT-01 RECORDING \$25.50
176866 TRAN 5265 03/10/94 10137100
19843 REC *-94-220081
COOK COUNTY RECORDER

Now Therefore, I, George H. Ryan, Secretary of State of the State of Illinois, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby issue this certificate and attach hereto a copy of the Application of the aforesaid corporation.

In Testimony Whereof, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Illinois, at the City of Springfield, this 24TH day of FEBRUARY A.D. 19 94 and of the Independence of the United States the two hundred and 18TH

George H Ryan
SECRETARY OF STATE

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(Rev. Jan. 1991)

George H. Ryan
Secretary of State
Department of Business Services
Springfield, IL 62756
Telephone (217) 782-6961

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GEORGE H. RYAN
SECRETARY OF STATE

SUBMIT IN DUPLICATE!

This space for use by
Secretary of State

Date 2-24-94
Franchise Tax \$ 25.00
Filing Fee \$ 75.00
Approved: [Signature] 100.00

Payment must be made by certified check, cashier's check, Illinois attorney's check, Illinois C.P.A.'s check or money order, payable to "Secretary of State."

1. CORPORATE NAME: APPLE MORTGAGE, INC.

(The corporate name must contain the word "corporation", "company," "incorporated," "limited" or an abbreviation thereof.)

2. Initial Registered Agent: JOEL GOETHEL

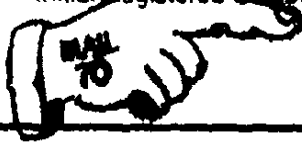
First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name
<u>JOEL</u>		<u>GOETHEL</u>

Initial Registered Office: 8434 CHRISTIANA

Number	Street	State
<u>8434</u>	<u>CHRISTIANA</u>	<u>ILLINOIS</u>

SKOKIE 60076 COOK

City	Zip Code	County
<u>SKOKIE</u>	<u>60076</u>	<u>COOK</u>



3. Purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized:
(If not sufficient space to cover this point, add one or more sheets of this size.)

ANY AND ALL PURPOSES FOR WHICH A CORPORATION MAY BE LAWFULLY ORGANIZED UNDER THE ILLINOIS BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT.

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4. Paragraph 1: Authorized Shares, Issued Shares and Consideration Received:

Class	Par Value per Share	Number of Shares Authorized	Number of Shares Proposed to be Issued	Consideration to be Received Therefor
<u>Common</u>	<u>\$ NONE</u>	<u>10,000</u>	<u>3000</u>	<u>\$ 1000.00</u>

TOTAL \$ 1000.00

Paragraph 2: The preferences, qualifications, limitations, restrictions and special or relative rights in respect of the shares of each class are:

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5. **OPTIONAL:** (a) Number of directors constituting the initial board of directors of the corporation: _____
 (b) Names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as directors until the first annual meeting of shareholders or until their successors are elected and qualify:

Name	Residential Address

6. **OPTIONAL:** (a) It is estimated that the value of all property to be owned by the corporation for the following year wherever located will be: \$ _____
 (b) It is estimated that the value of the property to be located within the State of Illinois during the following year will be: \$ _____
 (c) It is estimated that the gross amount of business that will be transacted by the corporation during the following year will be: \$ _____
 (d) It is estimated that the gross amount of business that will be transacted from places of business in the State of Illinois during the following year will be: \$ _____

7. **OPTIONAL: OTHER PROVISIONS**

Attach a separate sheet of this size for any other provision to be included in the Articles of Incorporation, e.g., authorizing preemptive rights, denying cumulative voting, regulating internal affairs, voting majority requirements, fixing a duration other than perpetual, etc.

8. **NAME(S) & ADDRESS(ES) OF INCORPORATOR(S)**

The undersigned incorporator(s) hereby declare(s) under penalties of perjury, that the statements made in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation are true.

Dated FEBRUARY 17, 1994

Signature and Name	Address
1. <u>Joel Guthelf</u> Signature <u>JOEL GUTHELF</u> (Type or Print Name)	1. <u>8438</u> <u>CHRISTIANA</u> Street <u>SKOKIE</u> <u>ILLINOIS</u> <u>60076</u> City/Town State Zip Code
2. _____ Signature (Type or Print Name)	2. _____ Street City/Town State Zip Code
3. _____ Signature (Type or Print Name)	3. _____ Street City/Town State Zip Code

(Signatures must be in ink on original document. Carbon copy, photocopy or rubber stamp signatures may only be used on conformed copies.)

NOTE: If a corporation acts as incorporator, the name of the corporation and the state of incorporation shall be shown and the execution shall be by its President or Vice President and verified by him, and attested by its Secretary or Assistant Secretary.

FEE SCHEDULE

- The initial franchise tax is assessed at the rate of 15/100 of 1 percent (\$1.50 per \$1,000) on the paid-in capital represented in this state, with a minimum of \$25 and a maximum of \$1,000,000.
- The filing fee is \$75.
- The minimum total due (franchise tax + filing fee) is \$100.
(Applies when the Consideration to be Received as set forth in Item 4 does not exceed \$16,667)
- The Department of Business Services in Springfield will provide assistance in calculating the total fees if necessary.

Illinois Secretary of State Springfield, IL 62758
Department of Business Services Telephone (217) 782-6981

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