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TO
DECLARATION OF
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AND OF
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COVENANTS AND BY-LAWS
FOR
BUCKTOWN IRONWERKS
CONDOMINIUMS

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EXHIBIT ATTACHED

THIS FIRST AMENDMENT TO DECLARATION OF CONDOMINIUM OWNERSHIP AND OF EASEMENTS, RESTRICTIONS, COVENANTS AND BY-LAWS FOR BUCKTOWN IRONWERKS CONDOMINIUMS, made and entered into by the Trustee (as hereinafter defined) as of May 35, 1999.

WITNESSETH: THAT

WHEREAS, as of March 3, 1999 a Declaration of Condominium Ownership and of Easements, Restrictions, Covenants and Ey-Laws for Bucktown Ironwerks Condominiums (hereinafter referred to as "Declaration") v/as made and declared by Chicago Title Land Trust Company, as Trustee under a Trust Agreement dated January 26, 1998 and known as Trust Number 1105345 (hereinafter referred to as "Trustee") (hereinafter referred to as "Developer") for the parcel of real estate described as:

PARCEL 1: LOT 62 (EXCEPT THE WEST 14.09 FEET THERFOF) ALL OF LOT 63 AND THE WEST 28 1/2 FEET OF LOT 64 IN ISHAM'S RESUBDIVISION OF PARTS OF BLOCKS 3, 4 AND 5 IN ISHAM'S SUBDIVISION OF THE NORTH 1/2 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 LYING SOUTHWEST OF MILWAUKEE AVENUE, OF SECTION 31, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 14, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

PARCEL 2: LOT 61 AND THE WEST 14.09 FEET OF LOT 62 IN ISHAM'S RESUBDIVISION OF PARTS OF BLOCKS 3, 4 AND 5 IN ISHAM'S SUBDIVISION OF THE NORTH 1/2 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 LYING SOUTHWEST OF MILWAUKEE AVENUE, OF SECTION 31, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 14, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

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WHEREAS, the Declaration was filed for record with the Recorder of Deeds of Cook County on March 4, 1999 as Document number 99212032;

WHEREAS, the Trustee reserved onto itself the right from time to time to amend the

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Declaration and the Plat (as defined in the Declaration);

WHEREAS, the Trustee does hereby exercise their right to so amend the Declaration and the Plat;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Trustee, pursuant to rights granted to it under the Declaration and for the purposes above set forth,

DECLARE AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. That Pages 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Plat, attached to the Declaration, are hereby amended by the substitution therefore of Amended Pages 2, 3, 4 and 5 in their place and stead. Such Amended Pages 2, 3, 4 and 5 are attached hereto and made a part hereof.
- 2. That the "By-Laws of Bucktown Ironwerks Condominium Association" originally intended to be, but mistakenly not, attached to the Declaration as Exhibit "C", is hereby amended by the addition of Amended Fahibit C. Such Exhibit C is attached hereto and made a part hereof.
- 3. This Amendment to Declaration is executed by Chicago Title Land Trust Company ("Chicago Title"), as Trustee and afore aid, in the exercise of the power and authority conferred upon and vested in it as such Trustee (and Chicago Title hereby warrants that it possesses full power and authority to execute this instrument). It is expressly understood and agreed by every person, firm or corporation hereafter claiming any interest under this Amendment to Declaration that Chicago Title, as Trustee as aforesaid, and not personally, has joined in the execution of this Amendment to Declaration for the sole purpose of subjecting the title holding interest and the trust estate under said Trust Number 1105345 to the terms of this Amendment to Declaration; that any and all obligations, duties, covenants, indemnities and agreements of every nature herein set forth by Chicago Title, as Trustee as aforesaid, to be kept or performed, are intended to be kept, performed and discharged by the beneficiary under said Trust Nurvoer 1105345 or its successors, and not by Chicago Title personally, and further, that no duty shall rest upon Chicago Title either personally or as such Trustee, to sequester trust assets, rentals, avails, or proceeds of any kind, or otherwise to see to the fulfillment or discharge of any obligation, express or implied, arising under the terms of this Amendment to Declaration, except where said Trustee is acting pursuant to direction as provided by the terms of said Trust Number 1105345 after the Trustee has been supplied with funds required for the purpose. In the event of conflict between the terms of this paragraph and of the remainder of this Amendment to Declaration on any questions of apparent hability or obligation resting upon said Trustee, the exculpatory provision hereof shall be controlling.

OWNER:

CHICAGO TITLE LAND TRUST COMPANY, a corporation of Illinois, not individually but solely as Trustee under Trust Agreement dated

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CONSENT OF MORTGAGEE

CoVest Banc, National Association, holder of a Mortgage on the Property dated as of February 16, 1998, and recorded March 4, 1998, as Document No.98169223 hereby consents to the execution and recording of the within First Amendment to Declaration of Condominium Ownership and agrees that said Mortgage is subject thereto and to the provisions of the Condominium Property Act of the State of Illinois.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF,	has caused this Consent
of Mortgagee to be signed by its duly authorized officers or	
on this 13th day of May, 1999	<u>.</u>
By: M. A. Spe	
Its: SENIOR GICE PRESIDENT	
ATTEST:	
By: Kathlun M. Tury	
Its: ASSISTANT VICE PICESIDENT	
STATE OF ILLINOIS }	
COUNTY OF COOK } SS.	
I, and Elizabeth Schreide, a Notary Public in and	for the County and State
aforesaid, do hereby certify that Michael Sules, as S	
of Covert Bare and Kathleen M. Perry	thereof, personally
known to me to be the same person(s) whose name(s) is (are) su	
instrument as such SAUP and AUP	, respectively, appeared
before me this day in person and acknowledged that they signed and de	
as their own free and voluntary act, and as the free and volunt Mortgagee, for the uses and purposes therein set forth; and said	
also then and there acknowledge the s/he, as custodian of the corpo	
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My Commission Expires 08/25/99 &	

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BY-LAWS OF

BUCKTOWN IRONWERKS CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE I

General Provisions

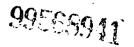
The Association is responsible for the overall administration of the Property through its duly elected Poard. Whether or not incorporated, the Association shall have the powers and responsibilities specified in the General Not-For-Profit Corporation Act of 1986 of the State of Almois which are not inconsistent with the Act or the Condominium Instruments. The Association shall have and exercise all powers necessary or convenient to effect any or all of the purposes for which the Association is organized and to do every other act not inconsistent with law which may be appropriate to promote and attain the purposes set forth in the Act or the Condominium Instruments.

ARTICLE II

Members

Section 1. <u>Classes of Members, Membership, and Termination Thereof</u>. The Association shall have one class of members. The designation of such class and the qualifications of the members of such class shall be as follows:

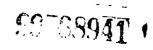
Each Unit Owner shall be a member of the Association, which membership shall terminate upon the sale or other disposition of such member's Unit, at which time the new Unit Owner shall automatically become a member of the Association. Such termination shall not relieve or release any such former Unit Owner from any liability or obligation incurred under or in any way connected with the condominium or the Association, during the period of such ownership and membership in the Association. Furthermore, such termination shall not impair any rights or remedies which the Board or others may have against such former Unit Owner arising from, or in any way connected with, such ownership and membership and the covenants and obligations incident thereto. No certificates of stock or other certificates evidencing membership shall be issued by the Association.



Section 2. Votes and Voting Rights.

- (a) Until the date of the first annual meeting of the members, as provided in Article III, Section 1 hereof, no member of the Association shall have the right to elect the Board of Managers, all such members of the Board shall be appointed and shall hold office as provided in Article IV, Section 2 of these ByLaws.
- (b) Commencing with the date of the said first annual meeting of the members, the total number of votes of all members shall be 100. Each member shall be entitled to the number of votes equal to his percentage ownership interest in the Common Elements (as defined in the Declaration) at the time any matter is submitted to a vote of the members.
- (c) It a Unit is owned by more than one person, the voting rights with respect to such Unit shall not be divided, but shall be exercised as if the Unit owner consisted of only one person in accordance with the proxy or other designation made by the persons constituting such Unit Owner. Any proxy must be executed in writing by the Unit Owner or his duly authorized attorney in fact, must bear the date of execution, and shall be invalid after 11 months from the date of its execution. It cally one of the multiple owners of a Unit is present at a meeting he is entitled to cast all the votes allocated to that Unit. If more than one of the multiple owners are present, and it any one of the multiple owners cast the votes allocated to that Unit without protest being made promptly to the person presiding over the meeting by any of the other owners of the Unit there is deemed to be majority agreement.
- (d) Any specified percentage of the members, whether majority or otherwise, for purposes of voting or for any other purpose, wherever provided in these By-Laws, shall mean such percentage of the total number of votes beginabove set forth. Such percentage shall be computed in the same manner as is a specified percentage of the Unit Owners of the Condominium as provided in the Declaration, provided, however, that when 30% or fewer of the Units, by number, possess over 50% in the aggregate of the votes as provided herein, any percentage vote of the members specified berein or in the Declaration shall require the specified percentage by number of Units rather than by percentage of interest in the Common Elements allocated to Units that would otherwise be applicable.
- Section 3. <u>Transfer of Membership</u>. Membership in this Association is not transferable or assignable, except as provided in Article II, Section 1 hereof.
- Section 4. <u>Installment Contracts</u>. Anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding, in the event of a sale of a Unit, the purchaser of such Unit from a seller other than the Developer pursuant to an installment contract for purchase shall, during such times as he or she resides in the Unit, be counted toward a quorum for purpose of election of

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members of the Board at any meeting of the Unit Owners called for the purposes of electing members of the Board, shall have the right to vote for the election of members of the Board and to be elected to and serve on the Board unless the seller expressly retains in writing any or all of such rights. In no event may the seller and purchaser both be counted toward a quorum, be permitted to vote for a particular office or be elected and serve on the Board. Satisfactory evidence of the installment contract shall be made available to the Association or its agents. "Installment Contract" shall have the same meaning as set forth in Section 1 (e) of "An Act Relating to Installment Contracts to Sell Dwelling Structures", approved August 11, 1967, as amended.

ARTICLE III

Meetings of Members

Section 1. Animal Meeting. The first annual meeting of the members shall be held on such date as is fixed by the Developer, which date shall in no event be later than the earlier of (a) three years from the date the Declaration is recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Cook County, Illinois, (b) sixty (60) days from the date when 75% of the Units have been conveyed by the Trustee, or (c) such earlier time as selected by the Developer. Thereafter, an annual meeting of the members for the purpose of electing Board members and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting shall be held on the second Tuesday in December each year or such other date as is selected by the Board, provided, however that no such meeting need be held less than one year after the first annual meeting or the members. If the election of members of the Board shall not be held on the day designated herein for any annual meeting, or at any adjournment thereof, the Board shall cause the election to be held at a special meeting of the members called as soon thereafter as conveniency may be.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, in the event the Developer elects to addon additional units to the condominium, then within sixty (60) days after 75% of the new add-on Units have been conveyed by the Developer or Trustee, the Association shall have a meeting to elect new Directors as further provided herein.

Section 2. Special Meetings. Special meetings of the members may be called by the Board, the President, or not less than 20% of the members. All matters to be considered at special meetings of the members called by not less than 20% of the members shall first be submitted in writing to the Board not less than ten (10) Bys prior to the date of the special meeting of the members called to consider such matters.

Section 3. Place and Time of Meeting. All meetings of the members shall take place at 7:30 p.m., in some section of the Property designated by the person or persons calling the meeting, or at such other reasonable place or time designated by the Board or the person or persons calling the meeting.

Section 4. Notice of Meetings. Written or printed notice stating the purpose.

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place, day and hour of an meeting of members shall be mailed or delivered to each member entitled to vote at such meeting, not less than ten (10) nor more than thirty (30) days before the date of such meeting, by or at the direction of the President or the Secretary, or the officer or persons calling the meeting, provided that notice of the first annual meeting of the members shall be mailed or delivered not less than twenty-one (21) nor more than thirty (30) days before the date of such meeting. The notice of a meeting shall be deemed mailed when deposited in the United States mail addressed to the member at his address as it appears on the records of the Association, with proper postage thereon prepaid.

Section 5. Quorum. The members present at a meeting in person or by proxy, holding 20% of the votes which may be cast at any meeting, shall constitute a quorum at such meeting. If a quorum is not present at the commencement of any meeting of members, the meeting shall be adjourned and may only be called again in accordance with the provisions of these By-Laws.

Section 6. Proxies. At any meeting of members, a meinber entitled to vote may either in person or by proxy executed inwriting by the member or by his duly authorized attorney-in-fact. No proxy s'all be valid after eleven months from the date of its execution.

Section 7. Manner of Acting. Except as set forth below and except as otherwise required by the Declaration or the Act, my action to be taken at any meeting go the members at which a quorum is present shall be upon the affirmative vote of more than 50% of the members represented at such meeting. The following matter shall require the affirmative vote of not less than 66-2/3% of all the combers at a meeting duly called for that purpose:

- (a) Merger or consolidation of the Association;
- Sale, lease, exchange, mortgage, pledge or other disposition of all, or **(b)** substantially all, of the property and assets of the Association; or
- The purchase and sale of land or Units on behalf of the Unit Owners. (c)

ARTICLE IV

Board

Section 1. In General. The affairs of the Association shall be managed by its Board of Managers, which shall act as the Board of Managers of the Condominium as provided in the Act and the Declaration.

Section 2. Number, Tenure and Qualifications. The number of members of the

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Board shall initially be three. Until the date of the first annual meeting of the members as hereinabove provided, members of the Board shall be the directors named in the Articles of Incorporation of the Association, if the Association is incorporated; otherwise, the members of the Board shall be as appointed by the Developer. Such members of the Board shall hold office until the first annual meeting of the members. Commencing with the date of the first annual meeting of the members, the number of members of the Board shall be three and shall be elected solely by, from and among, the members for a term of one year and until their respective successors shall have been elected and qualified, except as provided herein. All members of the Board shall be elected at large. The Board elected at such first annual meeting shall be the initial Board of Managers as provided in the Act. Each member of the Board shall hold office without compensation. In the event that a member of the Association is a corporation, partnership, trust or other legal entity other than a natural person or persons, then any shareholder, officer or director of such corporation, pariner of such partnership, beneficiary or individual trustee of such trust, or manager of such other legal entity, may be eligible to serve as a member of the Board. Notwithstanding the 200ve, only one person from each Unit may be a member of the Board. A member of the Board may succeed himself in office.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, in the event the Developer elects to add-on additional units to the condominion, then within sixty (60) days after 75% of the new add-on Units have been conveyed by the Developer or Trustee, the term of office for the previously elected Directors shall terminate and a new Board shall be elected by the Association as provided herein.

Section 3. <u>Election</u>. At each annual meeting of the members, the members shall be entitled to vote on a cumulative basis and the candidates receiving the highest number of votes with respect to the number of offices to be filled shall be deemed to be elected. A candidate for election to the Board or such candidate's representative shall have the right to be present at the counting of the ballots at such election.

Section 4. <u>Regular Meetings</u>. A regular annual meeting of the Board shall be held immediately after, and at the same place as, the annual meeting of members. The Board shall, by regulations which the Board may, from time to time adopt, provided that the and place for the holding of additional regular meetings of the Board, provided that the Board shall meet at least four times per year.

Section 5. <u>Special Meetings</u>. Special meetings of the Board may be called by or at the request of the President or any two members of the Board. The person or persons permitted to call special meetings of the Board may fix the time and place for holding any special meeting of the Board called by them.

Section 6. <u>Notice</u>. Written notice of any special meeting of the Board shall be mailed or delivered to all members of the Association and all members of the Board not calling the meetingat least 48 hours prior to date of such special meeting. Written notice

of regular meetings of the Board shall be mailed or delivered to all members of the Association at least 48 hours prior to the date of such meeting. All such notices shall be deemed to be mailed when deposited in the United States mail addressed to each member at his address as it appears on the records of the Association, with proper postage thereon prepaid. The business to be transacted at, or the purpose of any regular or special meeting of the Board, shall be specified in the notice. Notices of aregular meeting of 'the Board need not be served on members of the Board. However, copies of said notices of meetings of the Board shall be posted in entrance ways or other conspicuous places in the condominium designated by the Board at least 48 hours prior to the meeting.

Section 7. Quorum. A majority of the members of the Board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any meeting of the Board. If less than a majority of the members of the Board are present at the commencement of said meeting, the meeting small be adjourned and may only be called again in accordance with the provisions of these Sy-Laws.

Section 8 Manner of Acting. The act of a majority of the members of the Board present at a meeting at whice a quorum is present at the commencement of the meeting shall be the act of the Board, except where otherwise provided by law or in the Condominium Instruments.

Section 9. Vacancies. Any vacancy occurring in the Board by reason of death, removal or resignation of a member of the Board shall be filled by a two-thirds vote of the remaining members of the Board. A member elected to fill a vacancy shall be elected until the next annual meeting of the members of the Association; provided that if a petition signed by members of the Association holding 20% of he votes in the Association requesting a meeting of the members to fill the vacanty for the balance of the unexpired term of his predecessor, the term of the member so elected by the Board shall terminate 30 days after the filing of the petition and a meeting of the members for the purpose of filling such vacancy for such unexpired term shall be called no later than 30 days following the filing of such petition. Members of the Board, including those appointed by the Developer, may resign at any time by written resignation belivered or mailed to any officer of the Association, which resignation shall be effective upon receipt of said If as the result of the death, removal or resignation of a member of the Board, no member of the Board remains in office, a special meeting of members of the Association may be called to fill all vacancies for the unexpired terms of the members of the Board.

Section 10. <u>Removal</u>. From and after the date of the first annual meeting of the members, any member of the Board may be removed from office by the affirmative vote of 66-2/3% of all the members of the Association at a special meeting called for such purpose.

Section 11. Adoption of Rules and Regulations. All rules and regulations, or

amendments thereto, shall be adopted by the Board after a meeting of the members called for the specific purpose of discussing the proposed rules and regulations, notice of which contains the full text of the proposed rules and regulations, which rules and regulations conform to the requirements of Section 18(b) of the Act and the Declaration and these By-Laws. No quorum, is required at such meeting of the members. No rules or regulations may impair any rights guaranteed by the First Amendment to the Constitution of the United States or Section 4 of Article I of the Illinois Constitution. Such rules and regulations shall be effective sixty (60) days after their adoption, provided that the members may veto the rules or regulation at a special meeting of the members called for such purpose, and held before the effective date of the rule or regulation, by a vote of 66-2/3% of all the members of the Association.

Section 12. Open Meetings. All meetings of the Board, whether regular or special, shall be open to the members of the Association except for meetings:

- (a) To discuss litigation when an action against or on behalf of the Association has been filed and is pending in a court or administrative tribunal, or when the Board finds that such an action is probable or imminent;
- (b) To consider information regarding appointment, employment or dismissal of an employee; or
- (c) To discuss violations of rules and regulations of the Association or a Unit Owner's unpaid share of Common Expenses

Any vote on the above matters shall be taken at a meeting or portion thereof open to any member. Any member may record the proceedings at meetings required to be open by the Act or these ByLaws by tape, film, or other means, subject to reasonable rules and regulations prescribed by the Board to govern the right to reake such recordings.

ARTICLE V

Officers

Section 1. Officers. The officers of the Association shall be a President, one or more Vice-Presidents (the number thereof to be determined by the Board), a Treasurer and a Secretary. The Board shall elect from amongst its members a President who shall preside over both its meeting and those of the Voting Members, and who shall be the chief executive officer of the Board and the Association and who shall be designated to mail and receive all notices and execute all amendments hereto as provided herein and in the Act, a Secretary who shall keep the minutes of all meetings of the Board and the Voting Members and who shall, in general, perform all the duties incident to the office of the Secretary, and a Treasurer to keep the financial records and books of account, and such additional officers at the Board shall see fit to elect from amongst the members of



the Board.

Section 2. Election and Term of Office. The officers of the Association shall be elected annually by the Board at the regular annual meeting of the Board, from among the members of the Board, except in the event as provided in Article V Section 2. If the election of officers shall not be held at such meeting, such election shall be held as soon thereafter as conveniently may be possible. The term of office for each officer shall be until the next succeeding annual meeting of the Board, and until his successor shall be duly elected or appointed and qualified pursuant hereto. Vacancies in any office shall be filled by the Board by a majority vote of the remaining members thereof at a special meeting of the Board. Any director elected to fill a vacancy shall hold office for a term equal to the mexpired term of the officer he succeeds. Any officer may be removed for cause at any time by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the total membership of the Board at a special meeting hereof. Any officer may succeed himself.

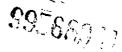
ARTICLE VI

Powers and Duties of the Association and Board

Section 1. General Duties, Powers, Etc. of the Board. The Board shall exercise for the Association all powers, duties and authority vested in the Association by the Act and the Condominium Instruments, including but not limited to the following:

- (a) Operation, care, upkeep, main enance, replacement, and improvement of the Common Elements.
 - (b) Preparation, adoption and distribution of the annual budget for the Property.
 - (c) Levying of assessments.
 - (d) Collection of assessments from Unit owners.
- (e) Employment and dismissal of the personnel necessary or advisable for the maintenance and operation of the Common Elements.
 - (f) Obtaining adequate and appropriate kinds of insurance.
- (g) Owning, conveying, encumbering, leasing, and otherwise dealing with Units conveyed to or purchased by it.
- (h) Adoption and amendment of rules and regulations covering the details of the operation and use of the Property, except as provided herein.
 - (i) Keeping of detailed, accurate records of the receipts and expenditures

affecting the use and operation of the Property.



- (j) Having access to each Unit, from time to time, as may be necessary for the maintenance, repair or replacement of any Common Elements therein or accessible therefrom, or for making emergency repairs therein, necessary to prevent damage to the Common Elements or to another Unit or Units.
- (k) Paying real property taxes, special assessments, any other special taxes or charges of the State of Illinois or of any political subdivision thereof, or other lawful taxing or assessing body, which are authorized by law to be assessed and levied upon the real property of the condominium.
- (I) Imposing charges for late payments of a Unit Owner's assessments, or any other expenses 'avfully agreed upon, and after notice and an opportunity to be heard, levy reasonable fines for violation of the Declaration, By-Laws, and rules and regulations of the Association.
- (m) Assigning its right to future income, including the right to receive assessments.
- (n) Recording the granting of an easement for the laying of cable television cable where authorized by the Unit owners under the provisions of Section 4.03 (b) of the Declaration.
- (0) Borrowing money at such rates of interest as it may determine; to issue its notes, bonds and other obligations to evidence such borrowing; and to secure any of its obligations bymaking a mortgage or giving a security interest in all or any of its property or income, provided if such mortgage or security interest encumbers all or substantially all of the assets of the Association, the approval of the members shall first be obtained pursuant to Article III, Section 7, of these ByLaws.

In the performance of their duties, the officers and members of the Board, whether appointed by the Developer or elected by the members, shall exercise the care required of a fiduciary of the members.

- Section 2. Specific Powers and Duties. Anything herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding, the Association shall have the power:
- (a) To engage the services of a manager or managing agent, who may be any person, firm or corporation, upon such terms and compensation as the Association deems fit, and to remove such manager or managing agent at any time, provided any agreement with such manager or managing agent shall extend for not more than three years and must be terminable by either party to such agreement without cause and without payment of a termination fee, unon ninety (90)days or less prior written notice.

- (b) To engage the services of any persons (including, but not limited to, accountants and attorneys deemed necessary by the Association at such compensation as is deemed reasonable by the Association, in the operation, repair, maintenance and management of the Property, or in connection with any duty, responsibility or right of the Association and to remove, at any time, any such personnel.
- (c) To establish or maintain one or more bank accounts, or functionally similar accounts such as money market fund accounts, for the deposit of 'any funds paid to, or received by, the Association.
- (d) To invest any funds of the Association in certificates of deposits, money market funds, or comparable investments.
- (e) Upon authorization of a two-thirds vote of the members of the Board or by affirmative vote of not less than a majority of the Unit Owners at a meeting duly called for such purpose, the Poard acting on behalf of all Unit Owners shall have the power to seek relief from or in connection with the assessment or levy of any real property taxes, special assessments or charges of the State of Illinois or any political subdivision thereof or of any lawful taxing or assessing body, and to charge and collect all expenses incurred in connection therewith as Common Expenses.

Nothing herein shall be construed to give the Association authority to conduct an active business for profit on behalf of all the Urit Owners or any of them.

- Section 3. <u>Authorized Expenditures</u>. The Association shall acquire and make arrangements for, and pay for out of the Maintenance Fund, in addition to the manager, managing agent or other personnel above provided for, the following:
- (a) Water, waste removal, heating, electricity, telephone and other necessary utility service for the Common Elements and such services to the Units as are not separately metered or charged to the Owners thereof.
- (b) Such insurance, as the Association is required or permitted to obtain as provided in the Declaration.
- (c) Landscaping, gardening, snow removal, painting, cleaning, tuckpointing, maintenance, decorating, repair and replacement of the Common Elements (but not including the Limited Common Elements not visible from the exterior of the Building which the Unit Owners enjoying the use thereof shall paint, clean, decorate, maintain and repair) and such furnishings and equipment for the Common Elements as the Association shall determine are necessary and proper, and the Association shall have the exclusive right and duty to acquire the same for the Common Elements. Anything in the foregoing to the contrary notwithstanding, the Association shall be responsible for the repair and replacement of all exterior doors provided that where the need for repair or replacement

is due to the act or omission of a unit Owner, guest, occupant, family member or pet, the Association shall charge the Unit Owner for the cost of such repair or replacement.

- (d) Any other materials, supplies, furniture, labor, services maintenance, repairs, structural alterations, or assessments which the Association deems necessary or proper for the maintenance and operation of the Property or for the enforcement of any restrictions or provisions contained herein.
- (e) Any amount necessary to discharge any mechanic's lien or other encumbrance levied against the Property or any part thereof which may in the opinion of the Association constitute a lien against the Property or against the Common Elements, rather than merely against the interest therein of particular Unit Owners. Where one of more Unit Owners are responsible for the existence of such lien, they shall be jointly and severally liable for the cost of discharging it and any costs incurred by the Association by reason of said tien or liens including but not limited to, any interest, late charges, reasonable attorneys' fees, costs of collections and the amount of any unpaid fine shall be specially assessed to said Unit Owners and shall, until paid by such Unit Owners, constitute a lien on the interest of such Unit Owners in the Property, which lien may be perfected and foreclosed in the manner provided in Section 9 of the Act with respect to liens for failure to pay a share of the Common Expenses.
- which a Unit Owner is obligated to maintain or repair under the terms hereof, if such maintenance or repair is necessary, in the discretion of the Association, to protect the Common Elements, or any other portion of the Property, and the owner of said Unit has failed or refused to perform said maintenance or repair within a reasonable time after written notice of the necessity of said maintenance or repair is delivered by the Association to said Unit Owner; provided that the Association shall levy a special assessment against such Unit for the cost of any maintenance or repair and the amount of such special assessment shall constitute a lien on the interest of such Unit Owner in the Property, which lien may be perfected and foreclosed in the manner provided in Section 9 of the Act with respect to liens for failure to pay a share of the Common Expenses.

All expenses, charges and costs of the maintenance, repair or replacement of the Common Elements, and any other expenses, charges or costs which the Association may incur or expend pursuant hereto, shall be approved by the Association, and a written memorandum thereof prepared and signed by the treasurer. There shall be no structural alterations, capital additions to, or capital improvements on, the Common Elements (other than for purposes of repairing, replacing and restoring portions of the Common Elements) requiring an expenditure in excess of Five Thousand Dollar (\$5,000.00) without the prior approval of 66-2/3 percent of the Unit Owners.

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Section 4. Annual Budget.

- (a) Each year on or before November 1st, the Board shall estimate the annual budget of Common Expenses (the "Annual Budget") including: the total amount required for the cost of wages, materials, insurance, services and supplies which will be required during then ensuing calendar year for the rendering of all services, together with a reasonable amount considered by the Association to be necessary for a reserve for contingencies and replacements, all anticipated assessments and income and each Unit Owner's proposed Common Expense assessment, together with an indication of which portions of the Annual Budget are intended for capital expenditures or repairs or payment of real estate taxes. The Board shall deliver a copy of the proposed Annual Budget to each Unit Owner at least thirty (30) days prior to the adoption thereof. The Association shall give Unit Owners notice as provided in Section 4, Article III of the By-Laws of the meeting of the Board at which the Board proposes to adopt the Annual Budget, or at which any increase or establishment of any assessment, regular or special, is proposed to be adopted.
- (b) If an adopted Armual Budget requires assessment against Unit Owners in any year exceeding 115% of the assessments for the preceding year, the Board, upon written petition by Unit Owners representing 20% of the votes of the Association may, within 14 days of the Board action, petition and require the Board to call a meeting of the Unit owners within 30 days of the date of filing of the petition to consider the budget. Unless a majority of the votes of the Unit Owners are cast at the meeting to reject the budget, it is ratified, whether or not a quorum is present. In determining whether assessments exceed 115% of similar assessments in the preceding year, any authorized provisions for reasonable reserves for repair or replacement of the condominium property, and budgeted expenses by the Association which are not anticipated to be incurred on a regular or annual basis, shall be excluded from the computation.
- (c) The Annual Budget shall be assessed to the Unit owners according to each Unit Owner's percentage of ownership in the Common Elements. Each Unit Owner shall be obligated to pay to the Association, or as it may direct, the portion of the Annual Budget assessed to such owner in equal monthly installments (subject to acceleration as hereinafter provided on or before January 1st of the ensuing year, and the 1st of each and every month of said year.
- (d) The failure or delay of the Association to prepare or serve the Annual Budget on the Unit Owners shall not constitute a waiver or release in any manner of the Unit Owner's obligation to pay the maintenance and other costs and necessary Reserves, as herein provided, whenever the same shall be determined, and in the absence of any annual or adjusted budget, the Unit Owners shall continue to pay the monthly assessment charges at the then existing monthly rate established for the previous period until the monthly assessment payment which is due more than ten (10) days after such new Annual Budget shall have been mailed.

- (e) Anything herein or in the Declaration to the contrary notwithstanding, the Board may charge to fewer than all Unit Owners such portion of the insurance premium for insurance the Association is required or permitted to obtain which reflects increased charges for coverage on the Units owned by such Unit Owners, on such reasonable basis as the Board shall determine. Such charge shall be considered a common expense with respect to the Units owned by such Unit Owners for all purposes herein and under the Declaration.
- (f) All funds collected hereunder shall be held and expended solely for the purposes designated herein, and (except for such special assessments as may be levied hereunder against less than all the Unit Owners and for such special adjustments as may be required to reflect delinquent or prepaid assessments) shall be deemed to be held for the benefit, use and account of all the Unit owners in their relative percentages of ownership interest in the Common Elements.

Section 5. Accounting.

- (a) On or before the 1st day of April of each calendar year, the Association shall supply to all Unit Owners at itemized accounting of the common Expenses for the preceding calendar year actually incurred and paid together with an indication of which portions of the Annual Budget were for capital expenditures or repairs or payment of real estate taxes and with a tabulation of the amounts collected pursuant to the budget or assessment, and showing the net excess or deficit of income over expenditures plus Reserves. Any amount accumulated in excess of the amount required for actual expenses and Reserves shall be credited Common Elements to the next monthly installments due from Unit Owners under the current year's Annual Budget, until exhausted, and any net shortage shall be added, according to each Unit Owners's percentage of ownership of the Common Elements, to the installments due in the succeeding six months after rendering of the accounting.
- (b) The Association shall allow any First Mortgagee to examine the books and records of the Association during reasonable business hours and to receive, on request, annual reports and other financial data prepared by the Association or at its direction.
- Section 6. Reserves. The Association may build up and maintain a reasonable Reserve for operations, contingencies and replacement. To establish such Keserve, the Developer shall collect from each Unit Owner upon conveyance by the Trustee of a Unit to such Unit Owner, an amount equal to one sixth of the Annual Budget as initially established by the Developer for the first year following the first annual meeting of the members and assuming that the entire Additional Parcel has been added-on and allocable to such Unit, and shall remit such amount to the Association. Extraordinary expenditures not originally included in the Annual Budget which may become necessary during the year shall be charged first against such Reserve. In addition, the Association or the Board shall have the right to segregate all or any portion of the Reserve for any specific replacement or contingency upon such conditions as the Association or the Board deems

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Section 7. Special Assessments. If said Annual Budget proves inadequate for any reason, including nonpayment of any Unit Owner's assessment, or any non-recurring Common Expense or any Common Expense not set forth in the Annual Budget as adopted, the Board may at any time levy a further assessment, which shall be assessed to the Unit Owners according to each Unit Owner's percentage of ownership in the Common Elements, and which may be payable in one lump sum or such installments as the Board may determine. The Board shall serve notice of such further assessment on all Unit Owners (as provided in Section 4, Article III of the By-Laws) by a statement in writing giving the amount and reasons therefor, and such further assessment shall become effective and shall be payable at such time or times as determined by the Board, provided, however, that in the event such further assessment with respect to any Unit exceeds the greater of five (5) times such Unit's most recent monthly installment of Common Expenses or \$300 (2) such further assessment for all Units shall not be effective until approved by 66-2/3% of the Unit Owners at a meeting of Unit Owners duly called for such purpose. All Unit Owners shall be obligated to pay the further assessment.

Section 8. Default in Payment.

- If a Unit Owner is in default in the monthly payment of the aforesaid charges or assessments for thirty (30) days, the Association may assess a service charge of up to 4% of the balance of the aforesail charges and assessments for each month, or part thereof, that said balance, or any part thereof remains unpaid in addition to any remedies or liens provided by law, if a Unit Owner is in default in the monthly payment of the aforesaid charges or assessments for sixty (60) days, all other monthly payments of charges and assessments due for the calendar year in which such default occurs shall accelerate and become immediately due and payable. The Association may bring suit for and on behalf of itself and as representative of all Unit Cyners, to enforce collection thereof or to foreclose the lien therefor as provided by law; and there shall be added to the amount due, the costs of said suit, together with legal interest and reasonable attorneys fees to be fixed by the Court. In addition, the Association may also take possession of such defaulting Unit Owner's interest in the Property and maintain an action for possession of the Unit in the manner provided by law. No Unit Owner way waive or otherwise escape liability for the assessments provided for herein by non-use of the Common Elements or abandonment of his Unit.
- (b) Each such assessment, together with interest, court costs, late charges and reasonable attorneys' fees and costs of collections or the amount of any unpaid fine shall also be the personal obligation of the person who was the Unit Owner at the time the assessment fell due. The personal obligation for delinquent assessments shall not pass to successors in title or interest unless assumed by them, or required by applicable law.

Section 9. Unit Owner Accounts. Upon ten (10) days' notice to the Association,

and the payment of a reasonable fee fixed by the Association not to exceed Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00), any Unit Owner shall be furnished a statement of his account setting forth the amount of any unpaid assessments or other charges due and owning from such Unit Owner.

Section 10. Rules and Regulations. The Association may, pursuant to the provisions of Section 11 of Article IV and Section 1 (h) of Article VI of these By-Laws, from time to time, adopt or amend such rules and regulations governing the operation, maintenance, beautification and use of the Common Elements and the Units, not inconsistent with the terms of the Declaration, as it sees fit, and the Unit Owners shall conform to and abide by, such rules and regulations. Written notice of such rules and regulations shall be delivered to all Unit Owners and occupants. A violation of such rules or regulations shall be deemed a violation of the terms of the Declaration.

ARTICLE VII

Contracts, Checks, Deposits and Funds

Section 1. <u>Contracts</u>. The Board may authorize any officer or officers, agent or agents of the Association, in addition to the officers so authorized by these By-Laws, to enter into any contract or execute and deliver any instrument in the name of and on behalf of the Association and such authority may be general or confined to specific instances.

Section 2. Checks, Drafts, Etc. All checks, drafts or other orders for the payment of money, notes or other evidences of indebtedness issued in the name of the Association, shall be signed by such officer or officers, agent or agents of the Association and in such. manner as shall from time to time be determined by resolution of the Board. In the absence of such determination by the Board, such instruments shall be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by he President of the Association.

Section 3. <u>Deposits</u>. All funds of the Association shall be deposited from time to time to the credit of the Association in such banks, trust companies or other depositories as the Board may elect.

Section 4. Gifts. The Board may accept on behalf of the Association any contribution, gift, bequest or devise for the general purposes or for any special purpose of the Association.

ARTICLE VIII

Books and Records

Section 1. Maintainin Books and Records. The Association shall keep correct and complete books and records of account and shall also keep minutes of the proceedings of

its members, the Board and committees having any authority of the Board.

- Section 2. <u>Availability for Examination</u>. The Association shall maintain the following records of the Association, and make such records available for examination and copying at convenient hours of weekdays by the Unit Owners or their mortgagees and their duly authorized agents or attorneys:
- (a) Copies of the Recorded Declaration, By-Laws, other Condominium Instruments and any amendments, Articles of Incorporation of the Association, if incorporated, annual reports, if incorporated, and any rules and regulations adopted by the Association or the Board. Prior to the organization of the Association, the Developer shall maintain and make available the records set forth in this subsection (a) for examination and copying.
- (b) Detailed accurate records in chronological order of the receipts and expenditures affecting the Common Elements, specifying and itemizing the maintenance and repair expenses of the Common Elements and any other expenses incurred, and copies of all contracts, leases or ether agreements entered into by the Association.
- (c) The minutes of ail meetings of the Association and the Board. The Association shall maintain these minutes for a period of not less than seven years.
 - (d) A record giving the names and addresses of the members entitled to Vote.
- (e) Ballots for all elections to the Board and for any other matters voted on by the Unit Owners. The Association shall maintain these ballots for a period of not less than one year.
- (f) Such other records of the Association as are available for inspection by members of a not-for-profit corporation pursuant to Section 25 of the General Not-For-Profit Corporation Act, approved July 19, 1943, as amended.

A reasonable fee covering the direct out-of-pocket cost of providing such information and copying may be charged by the Association or the Board for the cost of providing such information and copying.

ARTICLE IX

Fiscal Year

The fiscal year of the Association begin on the first day of January and end on the last day of December.

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ARTICLE X

Seal

If the Association is incorporated, the Board shall provide a corporate seal which shall be in the form of a circle and shall have inscribed thereon the name of the Association and the words "Corporate Seal, Illinois."

ARTICLE XI

Waiver of Notice

Whenever any notice whatever is required to be given under the provisions of the Condominium Property Act of Illinois, the General Not-For-Profit Corporation Act of Illinois or under the provisions of the articles of incorporation or By-Laws of the Association, or the Declaration, a waiver thereof (subject to all the provisions of such instruments) in writing signed by the person or persons entitled to such notice, whether before or after the time stated therein, shall be deemed equivalent to the giving of such notice.

ARTICLE XII

Amendments to Py-Laws

These By-Laws may be altered, amended or repealed and new ByLaws may be adopted upon the affirmative vote of 66-2/3% of all of the members at a regular meeting or at any special meeting called for such purpose, by Recording an instrument in writing setting forth such alteration, amendment or repeal, which is signed and acknowledged by the President or Vice President and the Secretary or Assistant Secretary of the Association and which contains an affidavit by an officer of the Board certifying that the necessary affirmative vote of the members of the Association has been obtained.

ARTICLE XIII

Indemnification

The Association shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless any person who was or is a party, or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative (other than action by or in the right of the Association) by reason of the fact that he is or was a member of the Board or officer of the Association, against expenses (including attorneys' fees), judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred

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by him in connection with such action, suit or proceeding if he acted in good faith and in a manner he reasonably believed to be in, or not opposed to the best interests of the Association, and, with respect to any criminal action orproceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe his conduct was unlawful. The termination of any action, suit or proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, conviction, or upon a plea of nolo contenders or its equivalent, shall not, of itself, crate a presumption that the person did not act in good faith and in a manner which he reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Association, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had reasonable cause to believe that his conduct was unlawful.

The Association may indemnify, defend and hold harmless any person who was or is a party, or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action or suit by or in the right of the Association to procure a judgment in its favor by reason of the fact that no is or was a member of the Board or an officer of the Association against expenses (including attorneys, fees) actually and reasonably incurred by him in connection with the defense or settlement of such action or suit, if he acted in good faith and in a manner he reasonably believed to be in, or not opposed to, the best interests of the Association and except that no indemnification shall be made in respect of any claim, issue or matter as to which such person shall have been adjudged to be liable for negligence or misconduct in the performance of his duty to the Association, unless, and only to the extent that the court in which such action or suit was brought shall determine upon application that, despite the adjudication of liability, but in view of all the circumstances of the case, such person is fairly and reasonably entitled to indemnity for such expenses as the court shall deem proper.

To the extent that a member of the Board of officer of the Association has been successful, on the merits or otherwise, in the defense of any action, suit or proceeding referred to in the foregoing two paragraphs, or in defense of any claim, issue or matter therein, he shall be indemnified against expenses (including extorneys' fees) actually and reasonably incurred by him in connection therewith.

Any indemnification under the first two paragraphs of this Article shall be made by the Association only as authorized in the specific case, upon a determination that indemnification of the member of the board or officer of the Association is proper in the circumstances because he has met the applicable standard of conduct set for the in the first two paragraphs of this Article. Such determination shall be made (1) by he Loard by a majority vote of a quorum consisting of members of the Board who were not parties to such action, suit or proceeding, or (2) if such a quorum is not obtainable, or, even if obtainable, if a quorum of disinterested directors so direct, by independent legal counsel in a written opinion, or (3) by a majority of the members of the Association.

Expenses incurred in defending a civil or criminal action, suit or proceeding may be paid by the Association in advance of the final disposition of such action, suit or proceeding, as authorized by the Board in the specific case, upon receipt of an undertaking by or on

behalf of the members of the Board or the officer of the Association to repay such amount, unless it shall ultimately be determined that he is entitled to be indemnified by the Association as authorized in this Article.

The sums necessary to discharge the obligations of the Association under this Article shall be common expenses.

The indemnification provided by this Article shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which those seeking indemnification may be entitled under any statute, agreement, vote of members of the Association or disinterested members of the Board, or otherwise, both as to action in his official capacity and as to action in other capacity while holding such office, and shall continue as to a person who has ceased to be a member of the Board or an officer of the Association.

ARTICLE XIV

Construction

- (a) Nothing hereinatore contained shall in any be construed as altering, amending or modifying the Declaration. Said Declaration and these By-Laws shall always be construed to further the harmonious, beneficial, cooperative and proper use and conduct of the property. If there is any inconsistency or conflict between these By-Laws and the aforesaid Declaration, the provisions of the Declaration shall control.
- (b) All words and terms used herein which are also used in the Declaration shall have the same meaning as provided for such words and terms in the Declaration.
- (c) In the event the Association is incorporated, the words, "Board of Directors" and "Director" shall be substituted for the words "Board" and "Member of the Board," respectively, wherever they appear herein.