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## ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF DG LAND & TIMBER, LLC

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF PROBATE OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA:

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a limited liability company (the "Company") pursuant to the provisions of the Alabama Limited Liability Company Act as codified in Alabama Code § 10-12-1, et seq. (the "Act") hereby certifies as follows:

1. NAME OF COMPANY. The name of the Company is:

## "DG LAND & TIMBER, LLC"

- 2. <u>COMPANY OPERATING AGREEMENT</u>. The affairs and business of the Company and the relations of its members are regulated and established under and subject to the terms and conditions of the Operating Agreement of the Company (the "Operating Agreement") executed by the initial member, as the same may be amended from time to time in accordance with its terms. The Operating Agreement is hereby incorporated by reference as a part of these Articles of Organization. A copy of the Operating Agreement is maintained at the Company's principal office.
- 3. <u>PERIOD OF DURATION</u>. The period of duration of the Company shall be perpetual, provided that the Company shall be dissolved and its affairs shall be wound up upon the occurrence of any event of dissolution specified in § 10-12-37 of the Act.
- 4. <u>COMPANY PURPOSES</u>. The Company has been organized for the purpose of managing capital and real estate for the Member and specifically for the purposes set out in the Operating Agreement. The Company may also transact any other lawful business for which a limited liability company may be formed under the Act, but nothing contained herein shall be construed as authorizing the Company to carry on the business of banking or insurance or to act as a trust company, securities broker, securities dealer or investment advisor.
- 5. <u>INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT</u>. The location and mailing address of the initial registered office of the Company are:

2841 Berkley Drive Birmingham, AL 35242

The name of the Company's initial registered agent at such address is Dorothy Gartrell.

6. <u>INITIAL MEMBER</u>. The name and mailing address of the initial Member of the Company are:

NAME

<u>ADDRESS</u>

DOROTHY GARTRELL

2841 Berkley Drive Birmingham, AL 35242

- 7. <u>ADDITIONAL MEMBERS</u>. Any new members shall be admitted to the Company only in accordance with the terms set forth in the Operating Agreement.
- 8. <u>CONTINUATION OF BUSINESS AFTER CESSATION OF MEMBERSHIP</u>. The cessation of membership of one or more members will not result in dissolution of the Company unless there are no remaining members of the Company.
- 9. MANAGEMENT OF THE COMPANY. The Company is to be manager managed. The name and mailing address of the manager are:

DOROTHY GARTRELL 2841 Berkley Drive Birmingham, AL 35242

10. <u>NAME AND ADDRESS OF ORGANIZER</u>. The name and address of the organizer of the Company are Nancy C. Hughes, Hughes & Scalise, PC, 600 Luckie Drive, Suite 405, Birmingham, Alabama 35223.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, acting as the organizer of the Company, has executed these Articles of Organization as of this 2 day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2007.

Nancy C. Hughes