# State of Idaho

Office of the Secretary of State

### **AMENDED CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY**

OF

### SAGEMARK CONSULTING, INC.

File Number C 102749

I, PETE T. CENARRUSA, Secretary of the State, hereby certify that an Application for Amended Certificate of Authority, has been received in this office and is found to conform to law.

ACCORDINGLY and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I issue this Amended Certificate of Authority to reflect the name change from SAGEMARK CONSULTING, INC. to LINCOLN FINANCIAL DISTRIBUTORS, INC. and attach hereto a duplicate of the application for such amended certificate.

Dated: December 11, 2000



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By Kerri Krosch



# APPLICATION FOR AMENDED FILED/EFFECTIVE CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY DEC | | 37 PM | 00

| VA T       | (Instructions on back of application)                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                          | SECOND OF THE                                |
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| Pui<br>cer | ecretary of State of the State of Idaho:<br>suant to Section 30-1-1504, <b>Idaho Code,</b> the undersigned Corporation<br>ficate of authority to transact business in the State of Idaho and for the<br>ement. Complete only applicable items. | hereby applie                            | s for an amended                             |
| 1. A       | Certificate of Authority was issued to the corporation by your office on                                                                                                                                                                       | July 15                                  | 19 <u>, <sup>93</sup></u> ,                  |
| aı         | horizing it to transact business in the State of Idaho under the name o                                                                                                                                                                        | f <u>sagemark</u> c                      | CONSULTING, INC.                             |
| 2. Its     | corporate name has been changed to LINCOLN FINANCIAL DISTRIB                                                                                                                                                                                   | UTORS, INC.                              |                                              |
| —<br>3. Th | e name which it shall use hereafter in the State of Idaho is LINCOLN F                                                                                                                                                                         | INANCIAL DIS                             | TRIBUTORS, INC.                              |
| 4. It      | as changed its jurisdiction of incorporation, without a change of corpor                                                                                                                                                                       | ate identity to:                         | NA.                                          |
|            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                          |                                              |
|            | (a / .).                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                          |                                              |
| Da         | By LINCOLN FINANCIAL DISTRIBUTOR (Corpo                                                                                                                                                                                                        | ration Name)                             |                                              |
|            | Its David Michael Kittredge, Vice P (specify capacity of signer)                                                                                                                                                                               |                                          |                                              |
|            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                          |                                              |
|            | Customer                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Acct #:                                  |                                              |
|            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Secretary o<br>12/12/2<br>CK: 112914 CT: | State use only<br>2000 09:00                 |
|            | sVAAC.pm6 Revised 7/8/                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | 1 9 30.80 =<br>1 9 20.86 =               | 38.98 AMEND CERT # 3<br>28.88 EXPEDITE C # 4 |

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#### Office of the Secretary of the State of Connecticut

I, the Connecticut Secretary of the State, and keeper of the seal thereof, DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that

## CG EQUITY SALES COMPANY

a STOCK corporation under the Connecticut General Statutes was filed in this office on August 3, 1967. The following comprises a list of amendments changing its name as filed in this office as of the date of this certificate:

### AMENDMENTS CHANGING THE NAME TO

CIGNA SECURITIES, INC.

File Date: July 21, 1982

CIGNA FINANCIAL ADVISORS, INC.

File Date: September 28, 1993

SAGEMARK CONSULTING, INC.

File Date: May 20, 1998 File Date: May 20, 1998 File Time: 03:00 PM Effective Date: June 1, 1998 Effective Time: 04:30 PM

LINCOLN FINANCIAL DISTRIBUTORS, INC.
File Date: December 4, 2000 File Time: 12:34 PM
Effective Date: December 4, 2000 Effective Time: 12:34 PM

Insofar as the records of this office reveal, the corporation is in existence.

Secretary of the State

Date Issued: December 7, 2000