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SEE ATTACHED

- Individual(s) Association General Partnership Limited Partnership Corporation-State Other NORTH CAROLINA

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment Merger Security Agreement Change of Name Other

Execution Date: JULY 30, 2002

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: SEE ATTACHED

Internal Address:

Street Address: 1501 GIROD STREET NEW ORLEANS, State: LA Zip: 70113

- Individual(s) citizenship Association General Partnership Limited Partnership NORTH CAROLINA Corporation-State Other

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached: Yes No (Designations must be a separate document from assignment) Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes No

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s) SEE ATTACHED

B. Trademark Registration No.(s) SEE ATTACHED

Additional number(s) attached Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: ANIL V. GEORGE LEGAL DEPT. Internal Address: NBA PROPERTIES, INC.

Street Address: 645 5TH AVENUE

City: NEW YORK State: NY Zip: 10022

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved:

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7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$ 1140.

- Enclosed Authorized to be charged to deposit account

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ANIL V. GEORGE Name of Person Signing

Anil V. George Signature

Date 8/26/02

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CONVEYING PARTIES:

Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership, a North Carolina limited partnership, composed of the general partner, Shinn Enterprises Incorporated, a North Carolina corporation

RECEIVING PARTIES:

New Orleans Hornets NBA Limited Partnership, a North Carolina limited partnership, composed of the general partners, Shinn Enterprises Incorporated, a North Carolina corporation, and Big Play Entertainment, LLC, a Georgia limited liability company.

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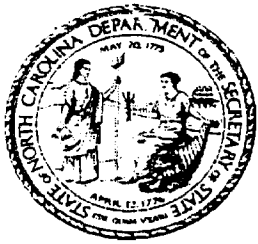
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NORTH CAROLINA

Department of The Secretary of State

To all whom these presents shall come, Greetings:

I, **ELAINE F. MARSHALL**, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify the following and hereto attached to be a true copy of

AMENDMENT TO CERTIFICATE OF DOMESTIC LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

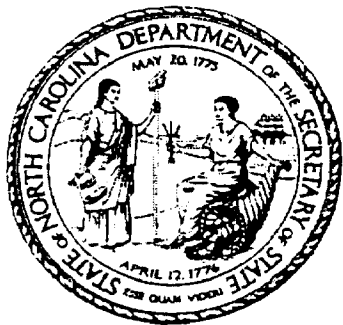
OF

CHARLOTTE HORNETS NBA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

WHICH CHANGED ITS NAME TO

NEW ORLEANS HORNETS NBA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

the original of which was filed in this office on the 30th day of July, 2002.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at the City of Raleigh, this 30th day of July, 2002

Elaine F. Marshall

Secretary of State

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Amendment to Certificate of Domestic Limited Partnership

A. Return Acknowledgement to: **Craig A. Wagner, Esq.**
Name: **Wagner, Johnston & Rosenthal, P.C.**
Mailing Address: **3340 Peachtree Road, N.E., Suite 1200**
City/State/Zip: **Atlanta, Georgia 30326**

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attached:

B. Name of limited partnership (must contain words "limited partnership"): Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	
C. Date of original filing with Secretary of State: December 22, 1995 File number originally assigned by Secretary of State: 0951271	
E. Change or amend as follows (complete all applicable sections)	
1. Name of limited partnership changed to: New Orleans Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	
2. Name of registered agent changed to: E. Lynwood Mallard	
3. Address of registered office changed to: Street/Number: 3500 One First Union Center City: Charlotte NC Zip: 28202 County: Mecklenberg 301 South College Street	
4. Address of office where records are kept changed to: Street/Number: 3500 One First Union Center City: Charlotte NC Zip: 28202 County: Mecklenberg 301 South College Street	
5. Address of following general partner(s) changed to:	
6. Following general partner(s) added:	
Name	Shinn Enterprises Incorporated
Street/Number	1501 Girod Street
City/State/Zip	New Orleans, LA 70112
County	Orleans
Change Date	July 1, 2002
Name	Big Play Entertainment, LLC
Street/Number	1501 Girod Street
City/State/Zip	New Orleans, LA 70113
County	Orleans
Add Date	7/1/2002
7. Following general partners withdrawn:	
Name	
Street/Number	
City/State/Zip	
County	
Withdrawal Date	
8. <input type="checkbox"/> CONTINUATION OF BUSINESS. After an event of withdrawal, the limited partnership intends to continue business pursuant to N.C. Gen. Statute §59-801.	
9. Dissolution date changed to:	
10. Other information:	
F. The signatures of the following general partners constitute affirmations under the penalties of perjury that the facts herein are true. Type or print the name of EACH general partner who signs this document	
1. If the general partner is an individual, complete this section. Date	
a. Name	Signature
b. Name	Signature
c. Name	Signature
2. If the general partner is a corporation or other entity, complete this section. Date	
a. Name of corporation or other entity Shinn Enterprises Incorporated	Name of officer signing George I. Shinn
Title of officer signing President	Signature <i>George I. Shinn</i> 7/22/02
b. Name of corporation or other entity Big Play Entertainment LLC	Name of officer signing Raymond A. Wooldridge
Title of officer signing President	Signature <i>Raymond A. Wooldridge</i> 7/22/02
c. Name of corporation or other entity	Name of officer signing
Title of officer signing	Signature

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(Revised January 2000)
CORPORATIONS DIVISION P. O. BOX 29622

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HORNETS FOR CHANGE OF NAME RECORDAL

Mark: CHARLOTTE HORNETS									
ID	Country	Classes	Reg. Owner	App. #	App. Dt	Reg. #	Reg. Dt	Allow. Dt	ITU
3491	United States	25	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	73/671252	7/10/87	1650195	7/9/91		No
3492	United States	41	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	73/682397	9/3/87	1658538	9/24/91		No

Mark: CHARLOTTE HORNETS and Design									
ID	Country	Classes	Reg. Owner	App. #	App. Dt	Reg. #	Reg. Dt	Allow. Dt	ITU
4353	United States	16, 25, 28, 41	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	74/367316	3/12/93	1,895,046	5/23/95		No
26040	United States	9	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	75/571908	10/16/98	2353316	5/30/00		No
28798	United States	38	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	76/147501	10/4/00	2565142	4/30/02		No
28799	United States	42	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	76/147500	10/4/00	2566949	5/7/02		Yes
28850	United States	35	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	76/147502	10/4/00	2569593	5/14/02		Yes

Mark: HONEYBEEES									
ID	Country	Classes	Reg. Owner	App. #	App. Dt	Reg. #	Reg. Dt	Allow. Dt	ITU
3080	United States	41	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	74/194750	8/12/91	1747479	1/19/93		No
7267	United States	25	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	74/352857	1/27/93	1901247	6/20/95		No

Mark: HONEYBEEES (Stylized Letters)									
ID	Country	Classes	Reg. Owner	App. #	App. Dt	Reg. #	Reg. Dt	Allow. Dt	ITU
3951	United States	41	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	74/222185	11/18/91	1748950	1/26/93		No

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1528	United States	41	Charlotte Hornets NBA	73-682396	9/3/87	1649730	7/2/91	No
			Limited Partnership					

Mark: HORNETS HARD BALL

ID	Country	Classes	Reg. Owner	App. #	App. Dt	Reg. #	Reg. Dt	Allow. Dt	ITU
23635	United States	41	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	75/226353	1/13/97	2,183,499	8/25/98		No

Mark: Hornets Road Uniform Design

ID	Country	Classes	Reg. Owner	App. #	App. Dt	Reg. #	Reg. Dt	Allow. Dt	ITU
12032	United States	41	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	74/683485	6/2/95	2,017,093	11/19/96		No

Mark: HORNETS SECONDARY 2002-2003 LOGO

ID	Country	Classes	Reg. Owner	App. #	App. Dt	Reg. #	Reg. Dt	Allow. Dt	ITU
30465	United States	9	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149728	8/1/02				Yes
30466	United States	16	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149724	8/1/02				Yes
30467	United States	18	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149739	8/1/02				Yes
30468	United States	25	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149717	8/1/02				Yes
30469	United States	28	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149736	8/1/02				Yes
30470	United States	35	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149745	8/1/02				Yes
30471	United States	38	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149760	8/1/02				Yes
30472	United States	41	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149711	8/1/02				Yes
30473	United States	42	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149816	8/31/02				Yes

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Mark: Hornets Secondary Road Uniform									
ID	Country	Classes	Reg. Owner	App. #	App. Dt	Reg. #	Reg. Dt	Allow. Dt	ITU
12033	United States	41	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	74/683480	6/2/95	2078370	7/15/97		No

Mark: Hugo the Hornet									
ID	Country	Classes	Reg. Owner	App. #	App. Dt	Reg. #	Reg. Dt	Allow. Dt	ITU
1527	United States	25, 41	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	73-784708	3/6/89	1642863	4/30/91		No

Mark: NEW ORLEANS HORNETS									
ID	Country	Classes	Reg. Owner	App. #	App. Dt	Reg. #	Reg. Dt	Allow. Dt	ITU
30165	United States	9	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/104900	1/25/02				Yes
30166	United States	16	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/104905	1/25/02				Yes
30167	United States	18	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/104914	1/25/02				Yes
30168	United States	25	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/104897	1/25/02				No
30169	United States	28	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/104918	1/25/02				Yes
30171	United States	35	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/104923	1/25/02				Yes
30173	United States	38	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/104925	1/25/02				Yes
30174	United States	41	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/104890	1/25/02				Yes
30175	United States	42	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/104929	1/25/02				Yes

Mark: NEW ORLEANS HORNETS 2002-2003 AND DESIGN									
ID	Country	Classes	Reg. Owner	App. #	App. Dt	Reg. #	Reg. Dt	Allow. Dt	ITU
30453	United States	18	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149455	7/31/02				Yes

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30457	United States	25	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149459	7/31/02				Yes
30434	United States	9	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149420	7/31/02				Yes
30435	United States	16	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149449	7/31/02				Yes
30459	United States	28	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149463	7/31/02				Yes
30460	United States	35	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149468	7/31/02				Yes
30461	United States	38	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149473	7/31/02				Yes
30463	United States	41	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149476	7/31/02				Yes
30464	United States	42	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/149479	7/31/02				Yes
30474	United States	14	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	78/151016	8/5/02				Yes

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1530	United States	16	Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	73-822252	8/28/89	1588861	3/27/90		No

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30240	United States	41	THE HIVE Charlotte Hornets NBA Limited Partnership	74/479364	1/18/94	1932580	11/7/95		No