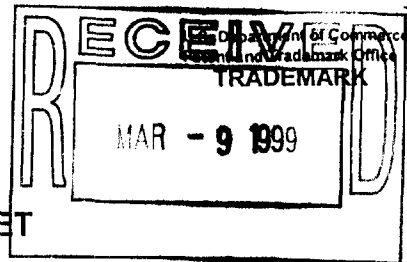


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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. Charges to deposit account are authorized, as indicated herein.

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CERTIFICATE OF MERGER OR CONSOLIDATION-LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

DSCB:15-8958 (Rev 95)

In compliance with the requirements of 15 Pa.C.S. § 8958 (relating to certificate of merger or consolidation), the undersigned limited liability company(s), desiring to effect a merger or consolidation, hereby state that:

1. The **name** of the limited liability company surviving the merger or consolidation is: **SIMKAR LLC**

2. (Check and complete one of the following):

The surviving limited liability company is a domestic limited liability company and the (a) **address** of its current registered office in this Commonwealth or (b) **name** of its commercial registered office provider and the county of venue is (the Department is hereby authorized to correct the following information to conform to the records of the Department):

(a) 700 Ramona Avenue Philadelphia PA 19120 Philadelphia
Number and Street City State Zip County

(b) c/o: _____
Name of Commercial Registered Office Provider County

For a limited liability company represented by a commercial registered office provider, the county in (b) shall be deemed the county in which the limited liability company is located for venue and official publication purposes.

_____ The surviving limited liability company is a qualified foreign limited liability company formed under the laws of _____ and the (a) **address** of its current registered office in this Commonwealth or (b) **name** of its commercial registered office provider and the county of venue is (the Department is hereby authorized to correct the following information to conform to the records of the Department):

(a) _____
Number and Street City State Zip County

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Name of Commercial Registered Office Provider County

For a limited liability company represented by a commercial registered office provider, the county in (b) shall be deemed the county in which the limited liability company is located for venue and official publication purposes.

_____ The surviving limited liability company is a nonqualified foreign limited liability company formed under the laws of _____ and the **address** of its principal office under the laws of such domiciliary jurisdiction is:

3. The **name** and the **address** of its current registered office in this Commonwealth or **name** of its commercial registered office provider and the county of venue of each other domestic limited liability company and qualified foreign limited liability company or other entity which is a party to the plan of merger or consolidation are as follows:

Name of Limited Liability Company or other Entity Address of Registered Office or Name of Commercial Registered Office Provider County
Simkar Corporation c/o United Corporate Services, Inc. Dauphin

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4. (Check, and if appropriate complete, one of the following):

X The plan of merger or consolidation shall be effective upon filing this Certificate of Merger or Consolidation in the Department of State.

The plan of merger or consolidation shall be effective on: _____ at _____
Date Hour

5. The manner in which the plan of merger or consolidation was adopted by each domestic limited liability company is as follows:

Name of Limited Liability Company	Manner of Adoption
SIMKAR LLC	Adopted by the members and managers pursuant to 15 Pa.C.S. §8957(g).

6. (Strike out this paragraph if no foreign limited liability company is a party to the merger or consolidation): The plan was authorized, adopted or approved, as the case may be, by the foreign limited liability company or corporation party to the plan in accordance with the laws of the jurisdiction in which it is organized.

7. (Check, and if appropriate complete, one of the following):

X The plan of merger or consolidation is set forth in full in Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Pursuant to 15 Pa.C.S. § 8958(b) (relating to omission of certain provisions of plan of merger or consolidation) the provisions, if any, of the plan of merger or consolidation that amend or constitute the operative Certificate of Organization of the surviving limited liability company as in effect subsequent to the effective date of the plan are set forth in full in Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof. The full text of the plan of merger or consolidation is on file at the principal place of business of the surviving limited liability company, the address of which is:

Number and Street	City	State	Zip

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the undersigned limited liability company and corporation has caused this Certificate of Merger or Consolidation to be signed by a duly authorized member or manager or officer thereof this 30th day of December

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SIMKAR LLC

(Name of Limited Liability Company)

BY: [Signature]
(Signature)

TITLE: Executive Vice President

SIMKAR CORPORATION

(Name of Corporation)

BY: [Signature]
(Signature)

TITLE: Executive Vice President

AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

OF

SIMKAR CORPORATION
(a Delaware corporation)

WITH AND INTO

SIMKAR LLC
(a Pennsylvania limited liability company)

This **AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER** (the "Agreement") is entered into this 30th day of December, 1998, by and between **SIMKAR CORPORATION**, a Delaware corporation ("Simkar Corp."), and **SIMKAR LLC**, a Pennsylvania limited liability company ("Simkar LLC; and together with Simkar Corp., sometimes referred to herein as the "Constituent Entities").

W I T N E S S E T H :

WHEREAS, Simkar Corp. is a corporation duly incorporated, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the State of Delaware; and

WHEREAS, Simkar LLC is a limited liability company duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; and

WHEREAS, the stockholders and the board of directors of Simkar Corp. have determined that it is in the best interests of Simkar Corp. that Simkar Corp. change its form of business to that of a Pennsylvania limited liability company and thereafter continue its business as a Pennsylvania limited liability company; and

WHEREAS, the stockholders and the board of directors of Simkar Corp. and the sole member and the board of managers of Simkar LLC deem it advisable that, to effectuate such change to, and continuation as, a Pennsylvania limited liability company, Simkar Corp. merge with and into Simkar LLC, with Simkar LLC as the surviving entity (the "Merger"), in accordance with the applicable laws of the State of Delaware and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and upon the terms and subject to the conditions hereinafter set forth;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants, agreements and provisions herein contained, the parties hereto agree as follows:

ARTICLE I
THE MERGER

1.1 **Merger of Simkar Corp. with and into Simkar LLC.** In accordance with the provisions of this Agreement and the applicable laws of the State of Delaware and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, at the Effective Time (as defined in Section 1.4 hereof) Simkar Corp. shall be merged with and into Simkar LLC, which shall be the surviving entity (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "Surviving Entity"). After the Effective Time, Simkar LLC shall continue its existence as a Pennsylvania limited liability company and shall continue to conduct its business under the name of Simkar LLC. At the Effective Time, the separate existence of Simkar Corp. shall cease.

1.2 **Effect of the Merger.**

(a) At the Effective Time, Simkar LLC shall possess all of the property, real, personal and mixed, and all of the rights, privileges, immunities, powers and franchises, of a public as well as a private nature, and shall be subject to all the liabilities, debts and obligations, restrictions, disabilities and duties, of a surviving limited liability company as set forth more fully in Section 8959 of the Pennsylvania Limited Liability Company Law ("PLLCL") and in Section 259 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware ("DGCL").

(b) From and after the Effective Time and until further amended in accordance with the applicable laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the Certificate of Organization of Simkar LLC as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time shall continue to be the Certificate of Organization of the Surviving Entity as the entity surviving the Merger.

(c) From and after the Effective Time and until altered, amended or repealed in accordance with applicable law and in accordance with its terms, the Operating Agreement of Simkar LLC as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time shall continue to be the Operating Agreement of the Surviving Entity as the entity surviving the Merger.

1.3 **Additional Actions.** If, at any time after the Effective Time, Simkar LLC shall consider or be advised that any further assignments or assurances in law or any other acts are necessary or desirable (a) to vest, perfect or confirm, of record or otherwise, in Simkar LLC, title to and possession of any property or right of Simkar Corp. acquired or to be acquired by reason of, in connection with, or as a result of the Merger, or (b) otherwise to carry out the purposes of this Agreement, Simkar Corp., its directors and officers shall be deemed to have granted to Simkar LLC an irrevocable power of attorney to execute and deliver all such proper deeds, assignments and assurances in law and to do all acts necessary or proper to vest, perfect or confirm title to and possession of such property or rights in Simkar LLC and otherwise to carry out

the purposes of this Agreement; and the managers and officers of Simkar LLC are fully authorized in the name of Simkar Corp. or otherwise to take any and all such action.

1.4 Delivery and Filing of Certificate of Merger; Effective Time of Merger.

Subject to the provisions of this Agreement, the Constituent Entities will cause a Certificate of Merger to be filed with the Secretaries of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of Delaware, as provided in Section 8958 of the PLLCL and Section 264 of the DGCL. The Merger shall be effective upon the filing of the Certificates of Merger (the "Effective Time").

ARTICLE II

MANNER OF CONVERTING EQUITY INTERESTS

2.1 Conversion.

(a) At the Effective Time, each share of common stock of Simkar Corp. issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time shall, by virtue of the Merger and without any action on the part of the Constituent Entities or any stockholder or member thereof, automatically be converted into one common unit of Simkar LLC.

(b) At the Effective Time, each share of preferred stock of Simkar Corp. issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time shall, by virtue of the Merger and without any action on the part of the Constituent Entities or any stockholder or member thereof, automatically be converted into one preferred unit of Simkar LLC.

(c) At the Effective Time, all ownership interest in Simkar LLC owned by Simkar Corp. prior to the Effective Time shall, by virtue of the Merger and without any action on the part of the Constituent Entities or any stockholder or member thereof, automatically be terminated.

(d) All options outstanding under the Simkar Corp. 1997 Stock Option Plan (the "Option Plan") shall remain outstanding as options of Simkar LLC subject to adjustments by the board of managers of Simkar LLC pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Option Plan.

ARTICLE III

AMENDMENT AND TERMINATION

3.1 Amendment. This Agreement may be amended by the Constituent Entities, to the fullest extent permitted by law, by an amendment duly executed by the parties hereto at any time prior to the Effective Time.

3.2 Termination. At any time prior to the Effective Time, this Agreement may be terminated and the Merger abandoned by agreement of the Constituent Entities. If terminated as provided in this Section 3.2, this Agreement shall forthwith become wholly void and of no further force or effect.

**ARTICLE IV
MISCELLANEOUS**

4.1 Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original, but all of which together shall constitute one agreement.

4.2 Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed in all respects, including, but not limited to, validity, interpretation, effect and performance, by the internal laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, without regard to conflicts of laws principles.

4.3 Headings. The headings contained in this Agreement are for reference purposes only and shall not affect in any way its meaning or interpretation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties executed this Agreement as of the day and year first above written.

SIMKAR CORPORATION

By: William J. Eagle
Name:
Title: Pres & CEO

SIMKAR LLC

By: Simkar Corporation,
its sole member

By: William J. Eagle
Name:
Title: Pres & CEO