an executive employee or employees to replace the deceased executive employee or employees; provided, however, that the salary and/or bonus of any succeeding executive employee or employees shall not exceed the salary and/or bonus payable to the existing executive employees under this Article.

## ARTICLE VI

These amended Articles of Incorporation supersede and take the place of the heretofore existing Articles of BROOKLINE and all amendments thereto.

## ARTICLE VII

## Miscellaneous Provisions

FIRST: On the effective date of this Agreement, the Surviving Corporation shall, without other transfer, succeed to and possess all and singular the rights, capacity, privileges, powers and franchises of SOUTHERN and BROOKLINE and all property, real and personal, and all debts, obligations and liabilities due to either SOUTHERN and/or BROOKLINE on whatever account as well as all other things in action or belonging to each of the said corporations, shall be vested in the Surviving Corporation; and all property, rights, privileges, powers and franchises and all and every other interest, shall be thereafter as effectually the property of the Surviving Corporation as they were of SOUTHERN and BROOKLINE and the title to any real estate vested by deed or otherwise in