Keri Rayborn - (Requestor's Name) 235 East Virginia Street Tallahassee, FL 32301 (City, State, Zip) (Pl OFFICE USE ONLY CORPORATION NAME(S) & DOCUMENT NUMBER(S) (if known): 1. Pillar Insurance agency; Inc. (Corporation Name) (Document #) (Corporation Name) (Document #) 3. (Corporation Name) (Document #) (Corporation Name) (Document #) Certified Copy Walk in Pick up time Will wait Certificate of Status Mail out Photocopy NEW FILINGS AMENDMENTS. Please call Heri at 524-2394. Profit Amendment NonProfit Resignation of R.A., Officer/Director Limited Liability Change of Registered Agent Domestication Dissolution/Withdrawal Merger COTHER FILINGS REGISTRATION/ QUALIFICATION Annual Report Foreign Fictitious Name Limited Partnership Name Reservation Reinstatement K, Rolfe 5 1998

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### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

# PILLAR INSURANCE AGENCY, INC.



The undersigned incorporators to these Articles of Incorporation, being natural persons over the age of 18 years, competent to contract, and citizens of the United States of America, hereby form a corporate insurance agency under the laws of the State of Florida.

## ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this corporate insurance agency shall be Pillar Insurance Agency, hereinafter called the Agency and the principal place of business for this corporate insurance agency shall be 1301 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. W., Suite 310, Bradenton, FI 34205.

### ARTICLE II - NATURE OF BUSINESS

The general nature of business to be engaged in and transacted by this agency will be the sale and service of property and casualty insurance as defined in the Florida Insurance Code.

In addition to the foregoing, this corporation shall have the right to exercise all of the general and additional powers authorized to corporations of the character here involved, under the general provisions of the State of Florida, including any amendments thereof.

## ARTICLE III – CAPITAL STOCK

The number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to issue is 100 shares having a par value of \$10.00 per share. All shares will be wholly owned by Bay Area Insurance Services, Inc. a Florida Corporation located at 1401 8<sup>th</sup> Ave. West, Bradenton, Florida, 34205.

#### ARTICLE IV – TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation will have perpetual existence unless terminated by law or unless dissolved by its stockholder and Board of Directors.

### ARTICLE V - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The initial registered office of this corporation will be 1301 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue West, Suite 310, Bradenton, Florida 34205 and the initial registered agent at this office will be David C. Cruikshank, who upon accepting this designation agrees to comply with the provisions of the State of Florida statutes, as may be amended, with respect to keeping this office open to receive service of process from the Insurance Commissioner or his designee as required.

#### ARTICLE VI – DIRECTORS

This corporation will have four (4) Directors initially, all of whom are over 18 years of age, and are citizens of the United States, whose initial terms of office shall be for one (1) year, they are:

JOHN A. WEICHEL 4401 Riverview Blvd. Bradenton, FL 34209

DAVID C. CRUIKSHANK 4716 18<sup>th</sup> Ave. W. Bradenton, FL 34209

KENNETH S. HAMBY 7304 Alderwood Dr. Sarasota, FL 34243

RALPH D. GREEN 143 94<sup>th</sup> Ave. #1 Treasure Island, FL 33706

The Directors, pursuant to the authorization of the By-Laws of this corporation, shall elect and designate officers necessary to carry on and conduct the business of the corporation

which shall include a President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer and such other officers, managers and agents as may be required. The offices of Treasurer and Secretary may be combined and held by one person.

### ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATORS

The names and residence street addresses of the incorporators, all of whom are over the age of 18 and all of whom are citizens of the United States, are:

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The incorporators have hereto set their hands and seals this 23 day of February, 1998.

Signature

Signature

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Personally appears before me, John A. Weichel David C. Crurkshank who acknowledged executing the above Articles of Incorporation. Official Seal

ELIZABETH N. STONE

Notary Public, State of Florida

My comm. expires Nov. 19, 1998

Comm. No. CC413335

Bended thru Service insurance Company