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409 East Gaines Street
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Re: Litigation Seminars, Inc.

Ladies and/or Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find an original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation for Litigation Seminars, Inc. Also enclosed is our firm check in the amount of \$70.00, for the filing of said Articles with your office. Please return an acknowledgment copy of the filed articles, to my attention at the above address.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Very truly yours,

Melinda J. Lagasse

Melinda J. Lagasse, CLA
for Robert G. Lyons
For the Firm

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
LITIGATION SEMINARS, INC.

ARTICLE 1. - NAME

The name of the corporation is LITIGATION SEMINARS, INC.

ARTICLE 2. - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal office of the corporation shall initially be at 2033 Main Street, Suite 600, Sarasota, Florida 34237. The corporation may change its principal office from time to time as permitted by law.

ARTICLE 3. - MAILING ADDRESS

The initial mailing address of the corporation shall be c/o Melinda J. Lagasse, 2033 Main Street, Suite 600, Sarasota, FL 34237. The corporation may change its mailing address from time to time as permitted by law.

ARTICLE 4. - PURPOSE

This corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any and all lawful business.

ARTICLE 5. - SHARES

This corporation is authorized to issue 1,000 shares of voting common stock with a par value of \$1.00 per share.

ARTICLE 6. - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 2033 Main Street, Suite 600, Sarasota, Florida 34237, and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address is Melinda J. Lagasse.

ARTICLE 7. - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have two (2) directors initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the Bylaws, but shall never be less than one. The names and addresses of the initial directors of this corporation is:

EMANUEL TANAY
1930 Harbourside Drive
Longboat Key, Florida 34228

SANDRA TANAY
1930 Harbourside Drive
Longboat Key, Florida 34228

ARTICLE 8. - INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

MELINDA J. LAGASSE
2033 Main Street, Suite 600
Sarasota, Florida 34237

ARTICLE 9. - CUMULATIVE VOTING

All shareholders are entitled to cumulate their votes for directors.

ARTICLE 10. - INDEMNIFICATION

All officers and directors shall be indemnified by the corporation to the fullest extent permitted by law against all expenses and liabilities, including attorneys' fees reasonably incurred in connection with any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding or settlement thereof in which they may become involved as a party or otherwise by reason of holding such office. The corporation may purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of all officers and directors against any liability asserted

against them or incurred by them in their capacity as officers and directors or arising out of their status as such.

ARTICLE 11. - AMENDMENT

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in the Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment to them, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

The undersigned Incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation on the 12th day of July, 1999.

Melinda J. Lagasse
MELINDA J. LAGASSE

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF SARASOTA

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 12th day of July, 1999 by MELINDA J. LAGASSE is personally known to me or who has produced N/A as identification and who did take an oath.



SHARON D FIRLOTTE
My Commission CC565501
Expires Jul. 24, 2000

Sharon D. Firlotte

Signature of Notary

Sharon D. Firlotte

Name of Notary (typed or printed)

Notary Public, State of Florida
Serial Number CC565501

My Commission Expires:

ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT
AS REGISTERED AGENT FOR
LITIGATION SEMINARS, INC.

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, at the place designated in the corporation's Articles of Incorporation, the undersigned hereby acknowledges and accepts the appointment and agrees to act in this capacity, and it further agrees to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of its duties.

Date: July, 12th, 1999.


MELINDA J. LAGASSE
Registered Agent

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