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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
PARALEGAL ASSOCIATION OF FLORIDA, INC.  
(A Corporation Not-for-Profit)

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The undersigned natural person of legal age, acting as incorporator for the purpose of creating a corporation not-for-profit under the laws of the State of Florida, as provided in Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, does hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I.

NAME

The name of the corporation shall be PARALEGAL ASSOCIATION OF FLORIDA, INC.

ARTICLE II.

ADDRESS

The street address and the mailing address of the corporation are 6737 Mango Avenue South, St. Petersburg, FL 33701.

ARTICLE III.

DURATION/EFFECTIVE DATE

The corporation shall have perpetual existence commencing April 17, 2000.

ARTICLE IV.

PURPOSES

The corporation is organized exclusively as an association having a common business interest and the promotion of the common interest within the meaning of Section 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), and its principal purpose shall be to promote the paralegal profession and to educate the public as to the role of the paralegal in the legal profession.

ARTICLE V.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Control of the affairs of the corporation shall initially be vested in the Board of Directors consisting of not less than three (3) Directors, who shall be elected on an annual basis as provided

in the Bylaws, but the term of office of any member of the Board of Directors may be for a period of more than one (1) year as provided in the Bylaws. The number of Directors may be, as provided in the Bylaws, increased or decreased, but shall never be less than three (3) Directors. The Board of Directors shall be elected by the members at their annual meeting. Vacancies on the Board of Directors shall be filled by a majority vote of the remaining members of the Board, whether or not then a quorum. Any member of the Board of Directors elected by the Board of Directors to fill a vacancy shall hold office until the next annual meeting of the Board of Directors. Each member of the Board of Directors need not be a member of the corporation as a condition precedent to election or appointment to the Board except as otherwise provided in the Bylaws. The Board of Directors may be organized into one (1) or more separate categories of Directors as provided in the Bylaws.

ARTICLE VI.  
REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The registered office of the corporation shall be 6737 Mango Avenue South, St. Petersburg, FL 33707 and the Registered Agent shall be Louise E. Thomas. The registered office and registered agent provided for herein may be changed from time to time in the manner provided by law.

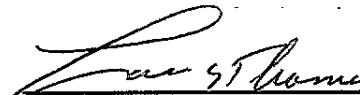
ARTICLE VII.  
AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended by the Board of Directors and such amendments may be proposed and adopted in the manner provided in the Bylaws.

ARTICLE VIII.  
INCORPORATOR

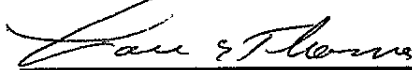
The name and address of the person signing these Articles of Incorporation are Louise E. Thomas, 6737 Mango Avenue South, St. Petersburg, Florida 33707.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation as of the 26<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2000.

  
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Louise E. Thomas

ACCEPTANCE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Pursuant to §617.0501, Florida Statutes, I agree to act as registered agent for the above corporation and will comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties. I am familiar with and accept the obligations of §617.0503, Florida Statutes.



Louise E. Thomas  
Registered Agent

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