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September 27, 2000

Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32301 SECRETARY OF STATE DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS

Re: Articles of Incorporation for National Fireproofing Contractors Association, Inc.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

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Enclosed are the Articles of Incorporation for a not for profit corporation to be incorporated as National Fireproofing Contractors Association, Inc. Additionally, enclosed is my check in the amount of \$122.50, representing the following:

Filing Fees: \$35.00

Designation of Registered Agent: 35.00

Certified Copy of Articles: 52.50

Total - \$122.50

If you have any questions, or comments, please contact me. Thank you for your time and cooperation.

Best regards,

J. Marshall Fry

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October 16, 2000

Claretha Golden
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P.O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32301

SECRETARY OF STATE DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS

00 OCT 18 AM 10: 18

Re: Articles of Incorporation for National Fireproofing Contractors Association, Inc. Reference No. W00000024007

Dear Ms. Golden:

Pursuant to your letter of October 3, 2000 (copy enclosed), enclosed are the original and one copy of the revised Articles of Incorporation. If everything is in order, please accept the Articles for filing, and forward me your acknowledgment and a certified copy of the Articles.

Please contact me if you have any questions or comments. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Best regards,

J. Marshall Fry

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

October 3, 2000

J. MARSHALL FRY, ESQUIRE 1051 NOKOMIS STREET CLEARWATER, FL 33755

SUBJECT: NATIONAL FIREPROOFING CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION, INC. Ref. Number: W00000024007

We have received your document for NATIONAL FIREPROOFING CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION, INC.. However, the document has not been filed and is being returned for the following:

The purpose contained in your articles of incorporation should be more specific. Please correct your articles to reflect the specific purpose for which the corporation is being organized.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 487-6973.

Claretha Golden Document Specialist

Letter Number: 900A00052438

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

FILED SECRETARY OF STATE DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS

OF

·00 OCT 18 AM 10: 18

NATIONAL FIREPROOFING CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION, INC.

The undersigned subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation hereby form a Corporation not for profit under the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the Corporation shall be:

NATIONAL FIREPROOFING CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION, INC.

ARTICLE II - ADDRESS

The corporate/principal address of the corporation shall be:

1380 – 15th Street West Riviera Beach, Florida 33404

ARTICLE III - DURATION

This Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE IV - PURPOSES

The primary purposes for which this Corporation is organized are to promote and advance the goals and purposes of the fireproofing application and contracting industry; to do everything necessary and proper for the accomplishment of said goals and purposes; and do any and all legal acts as permitted under the laws of the United States and Florida which are not inconsistent with said goals and purposes.

ARTICLE V - NAME AND ADDRESS OF INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT

The name and address of its initial Registered Agent is:

NAME

ADDRESS

Robert DeSilva

1380 – 15th Street West

Riviera Beach, FL 33404

ARTICLE VI - ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The directors of the Corporation shall be elected as set forth in the By-Laws of the Corporation.

ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATORS

The name and address of the person signing these Articles of Incorporation are:

NAME

ADDRESS

Robert DeSilva

1380 – 15th Street West Riviera Beach, FL 33404

ARTICLE VIII - DATE OF COMMENCEMENT

The date of commencement of corporation existence to commence upon the filing of the Articles herein by the Department of State.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the undersigned subscribers have executed these Articles of Incorporation this ## day of October, 2000.

Robert DeSilva, Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PALM BEACH

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgements in the State and County set forth above, personally appeared ROBERT DeSILVA, who is personally known to me, and who did take an oath, and acknowledged to me that he executed these Articles of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, in the State and County aforesaid, this ______ day of October, 2000.

Notary Public

State of Florida at Large

My Commission Expires:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Certificate designating place of business or domicile for the Service of Process within this State, Naming Agent upon whom Process may be served.

The following is submitted, in compliance with Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes:

NATIONAL FIREPROOFING CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION, INC., a corporation not for profit organized (or organizing) under the laws of the State of Florida with its principal office at 1380 – 15th Street West, Riviera Beach Palm Beach County, FL 33404, has named ROBERT DeSILVA, of 1380 – 15th Street West, Riviera Beach, Palm Beach County, FL 33404, as its agent to accept service of process within the State.

ACCEPTANCE:

I agree as Registered Agent to accept Service of Process; to keep the office at the designated address open during prescribed hours; and to post my name (and that of any other officers of said corporation authorized to accept service of process at the above Florida designated address) in some conspicuous place in the office as required by law.

Registered Agent ROBERT DeSILVA

AFFIDAVIT:

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PALM BEACH

Before me personally appeared ROBERT DeSILVA, being personally known to me, and who did take an oath, deposes and says that he executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes expressed therein.

SWORN TO and subscribed before me this 19th day of October, 2000.

Notary Public

State of Florida at Large

My Commission Expires NE PAULDO