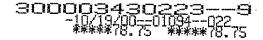
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155 East Blue Heron Blvd. Suite 400 Riviera Beach, FL 33404 (561)882-9893 (561)882-9895 fax

October 16, 2000



Department of State Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

RE: The Business and Professional Association of Riviera Beach, Inc.

Dear Sir/Madame:

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the articles of incorporation and an check for :

\$78.75 -filing fee & certificate of status.

A stamped addressed envelope for return of conformed copy.

If you have any questions, please call our office at the above listed number.

ery truly yours,

Samuel A. Thomas

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

#### FOR

## THE BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION OF RIVIERA BEACH, INC.

(A Not for Profit Corporation)



#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

#### ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be THE BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION OF RIVIERA BEACH, INC.

#### ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

155 E. Blue Heron Boulevard, Suite 402 Riviera Beach, FL 33404

## ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is to promote, maintain and create a favorable climate in the City of Riviera Beach for new and existing businesses; to promote business to business interactions between businesses within the City; to support the City and assist in promoting the best interest of the City through out the county, state, nation and internationally; and to do all other things permitted by law for Business and Professional Associations.

## ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed shall be as provided in the By-Laws.

## ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS/OFFICERS

The names and addresses of the initial directors and officers of the corporation shall be as follows:

- 1. Samuel A. Thomas, President 155 E. Blue Heron Blvd., Ste. 400 Riviera Beach, FL 33404
- Louis A. Gaeta, Vice President
   3555 Northlake Blvd.
   Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33403
- 3. Edward Rodgers, Secretary 1170 Bimini Lane Riviera Beach, FL 33404
- Philip D. Lewis, Treasurer
   W. 20<sup>th</sup> Street
   Riviera Beach, FL 33404

## ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is:

Samuel A. Thomas, President 155 E. Blue Heron Blvd., Ste. 400 Riviera Beach, FL 33404

### ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The <u>names and addresses</u> of the Incorporators are:

Samuel A. Thomas 155 E. Blue Heron Blvd., Ste. 400 Riviera Beach, FL 33404

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of	of process for the above stated corporation at the place
designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accep	ot the appointment as registered agent and agre to act in
this capacity.	
Januel A Shomas	10-16-00
Signature/Registered Agent	Date
Danuel A Shomas	10-16-00
Signature/Incorporator	Date