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INTERNATIONAL ACCREDITATION REGISTRY, INC. 550 NW LEJEUNE ROAD MIAMI, FL 33126

SUBJECT: INTERNATIONAL ACCREDITATION REGISTRY, INC.

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AMENDMENT AND RESTATEMENT OF THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF INTERNATIONAL ACCREDITATION REGISTRY, INC.

(A Florida Corporation Not-For-Profit)

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation shall be: International Accreditation Registry, Inc.

ARTICLE II ENABLING LAW

. This corporation is organized pursuant to the Florida Nor-For-Profit Act, Chapter 817 of the Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE III

The corporation shall have a perpetual existence.

ARTICLE IV PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be 550 NW LaJeune Road, Miami, Florida 33126.

ARTICLE V PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is to promote and ensure the comparency of personnel engaged in conformity assessment and standardization related activities, consistent with 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 (the "Code").

ARTICLE VI BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors. The Board of Directors of the corporation shall be elected as stated in the Bylaws.

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ARTICLE VII DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

President

Vice President

Treasurer

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Deputy Executive Director

Deputy Executive Director

Directors and Officers of the corporation are the following: The ""

> Ray Shook c/o American Welding Society 550 N. W. LeJeune Road Milami, Fi 33126

Jeff R. Hufsey c/o American Welding Society 550 N. W. LeJeune Road

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Frank Tarata c/o American Welding Society 550 N. W. LeJeune Road Miami, FI 33126

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Marisoi Valenzuela Secretary International Accreditation Registry. Executive Director 550 N. W. Lojeune Road

ARTICLE VIII REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the registered office is 550 NW LeJeune Road, Miami, Florida 33126, and the registered agent at that address is Marisol Valenzuela.

ARTICLEIX TAX-EXEMPT STATUS

The corporation shall organized and operated under section 501(c)(6) of the Code. No part of the net earning of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article III. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from Federal Income Tax under Section 501(c)(6) of the Code.

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ARTICLE X

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liebilities of the corporation, all assets shall be transferred to the American Welding Society, Inc., an organization exempt under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Code.

ARTICLE XI AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES AND BYLAWS

. These Articles of incorporation and the Bylaws of the corporation may be amended by the IAR Board of Directors. Any additions or amendments to the Bylaws constituting any financial impact are subject to the approval of the AWS Board of Directors.

ARTICLE XII

ADOPTION OF AMENDMENTS AND RESTATED ARTICLES

The emendments herein and the restatement of these Articles of Incorporation were presented to and approved by the Board of Directors of the corporation on the seventh day of August 2003. The corporation has no members.

The undersigned has subscribed his name this third day of September 2003,

Signstring

KAY W SHOOK, President

Printed Name

Date

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF DADE

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me on September 3, 2003, by Ray Shook of International Accreditation Registry, Inc. who is personally known to

me,

(Print or stamp name)

Notary Public

Serial Number (if any)

Commission Expiration Date

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Registered Agent Consent

I hereby accept the appointment as Registered Agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties. I agree, as Registered Agent, to accept service of process for the above stated corporation. I am familiar with and accept the obligations of a Registered Agent as provided for in the Florida Statutes.

Marisol Valenzuela Registered Agent