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February 29, 2000

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

RE: FIRST TRUST CAPITAL, INC

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is my check in the amount of \$122.50 representing filing fees and the cost of certified copy of Articles of Incorporation together with the original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation.

Very truly yours,

Todd Leoni

Enclosures

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

The undersigned incorporator, for the purposes of forming a corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation shall be:

FIRST TRUST CAPITAL, INC

PRINCIPAL OFFICE

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

P.O. BOX 381703 MIAMI, FL 33238

SHARES

The number of shares of stock this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is:

100 (One Hundred)

INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

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

TODD LEONI

11900 Biscayne Blvd ste 105

MIAMI, FL 33181

ARTICLE V

The effective date is:

The name and address of the incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation is:

TODD LEONI P.O. BOX 381703 MIAMI, FL 33238

Signature/Incorporator

Date

(An additional article must be added if an effective date is requested)

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provision of all statues relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Signature/Registered Agent