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**VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS**

Secretary of State  
State of Florida  
Division of Corporations  
409 East Gaines Street  
Tallahassee, Florida 32301

Re: Articles of Incorporation for Blackstone Investigations, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find one original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation for Blackstone Investigations, Inc. for filing with the Secretary of State. Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$70.00 for the filing fee. Upon filing of the articles, please return a file stamped copy to our office in the return Federal Express envelope provided.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you should need anything further, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

*Rachel Schwerdtfeger*  
Rachel Schwerdtfeger

- Encls.: 1. Original and 1 copy of Articles of Incorporation  
2. Check for \$70.00  
3. Return Federal Express envelope

cc: William G. Schmidt, Jr. (w/copy of Articles)

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

BLACKSTONE INVESTIGATIONS, INC.

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ARTICLE I-NAME

The name of this Corporation is Blackstone Investigations, Inc.

ARTICLE II-INITIAL PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The street address of the initial principal office of this Corporation is 14444 Beach Blvd., Ste. 18-236, Jacksonville, Florida 32250.

ARTICLE III-DURATION

This Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE IV-PURPOSE

This Corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any or all lawful business.

ARTICLE V-CAPITAL STOCK

This Corporation is authorized to issue One Thousand (1,000) shares, all of which shall be of the par value of One Dollar (\$1.00) per share.

ARTICLE VI-INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of this Corporation is 200 East Forsyth Street, Jacksonville, Florida 32202, and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is Curtis S. Fallgatter.

ARTICLE VII-INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

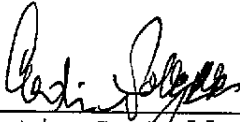
The number of Directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of this Corporation shall be one (1), and the name and address of the person to serve as Director is:

William G. Schmidt, Jr., P/VP/S/T 14444 Beach Blvd., Ste. 18-236  
Jacksonville, Florida 32250

ARTICLE VIII-INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator is Curtis S. Fallgatter, 200 East Forsyth Street, Jacksonville, Florida 32202.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 21st day of March, 2000.

  
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Curtis S. Fallgatter, Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA )

COUNTY OF DUVAL )

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2000 by Curtis S. Fallgatter. He is personally known to me.

*Rachel D. Schwerdtfeger*

Notary Public for the State of Florida at Large

My Commission Expires

Commission Number:

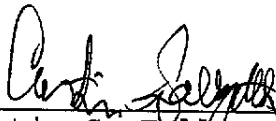


**RACHEL D. SCHWERDTFEGER**  
COMMISSION # CC 672703  
EXPIRES AUG 17, 2001  
BONDED THRU  
ATLANTIC BONDING CO., INC.

**CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING  
REGISTERED AGENT AND REGISTERED OFFICE**

In compliance with Sections 48.091 and 607.0501, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

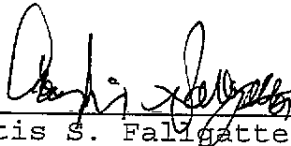
That Blackstone Investigations, Inc., desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal place of business in Jacksonville, State of Florida, has named Curtis S. Fallgatter, located at 200 East Forsyth Street, Jacksonville, Florida 32202, as its agent to accept service of process within Florida.



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Curtis S. Fallgatter, Incorporator  
Date: 3/21/00

**ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT**

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, Curtis S. Fallgatter hereby agrees to act in this capacity, and to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of its duties.



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Curtis S. Fallgatter  
Date: 3/21/00

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