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NAME: THE BURNS GROUP, INC.

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XX ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

PLEASE RETURN THE FOLLOWING AS PROOF OF FILING:

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CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

CONTACT PERSON: Christine Lillich

EXAMINER'S INITIALS:

CONSENT TO USE NAME



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I, John M. Burns qualified the entity The Burns Group, Inc. on March 11, 1996 as a foreign corporation to be qualified and authorized to transact business in Florida under document number F9600001253.

I am proceeding to form a Florida corporation which will have the name The Burns Group, Inc. and I hereby consent to the use of the name for this entity.

OHN M. BURNS

Date

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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THE BURNS GROUP, INC.

I, the undersigned, in order to form a corporation under and pursuant to the provisions of the Law of Florida for the purposes set forth below, hereby subscribed to these Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation shall be THE BURNS GROUP, INC.

ARTICLE II

The purposes and general nature of the business to be conducted and transacted by the corporation shall be as follows:

- A. To provide medical services to the general public of the State of Florida.
- B. To do and transact any and all business as permitted under the laws of the State of Florida and the United States of America.
- C. To draw, make, accept, endorse, discount, execute and issue promissory notes, bills of exchange, or other negotiable instruments, including bonds, debentures, or other obligations of this corporation, whether secured by mortgage pledge, or otherwise, or unsecured, for money borrowed, or in payment of property purchased or acquired, or for other lawful objects.
- D. To guarantee, purchase, hold, sell, assign, transfer, mortgage, pledge or otherwise dispose of the shares of capital

stock, or any bonds, securities, or other evidences of indebtedness, created by any corporation and while owner of such stock or evidences of indebtedness, to exercise all of the rights, powers and privileges of ownership, including the right to vote according to the rights of said instruments and agreements.

E. To purchase, hold, sell and transfer shares of its own capital stock; subject, however, to such limitations as may be provided by law; and provided further, that shares of its own capital stock owned by the corporation shall not be voted upon directly or indirectly nor counted as outstanding for the purpose of any stockholder's quorum or vote.

Without limiting any of the purposes, powers and objects of this corporation, it is expressly declared and provided that this corporation shall have power in carrying on its own business, or for the purpose of accomplishment of any of the purposes or attainment of the objects hereinabove specified, to make and perform contracts of any kind and description and to do any and all other acts and things, and to exercise any and all powers, and to engage in any business, either as principal, agent or broker, conferred by the Laws of Florida upon corporations, and which a partnership or natural person could do and exercise, and which now or hereafter may be authorized by law.

ARTICLE III

The number of shares of stock that this corporation is

authorized to have outstanding at any time is TEN THOUSAND (10,000) shares of common stock at ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) par value.

ARTICLE IV

The amount of capital with which this corporation shall begin business shall be \$500.00.

ARTICLE V

The existence of this corporation shall be perpetual, commencing upon the filing of these Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE VI

The initial principal office of this corporation shall be located at 2537 N.E. 8th Street, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33304.

ARTICLE VII

The Board of Directors of this corporation shall consist of not less than one (1) and not more than six (6) members.

ARTICLE VIII

The names and addresses of the first Board of Directors, who shall, subject to these Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, and the Laws of Florida, hold office for the first year of the corporation's existence, and until their successors shall have been elected and qualified, or until their earlier resignation, removal or death, are as follows:

NAME

___<u>ADDRESS</u>

JOHN M. BURNS

2537 N.E. 8th Street Fort Lauderdale, FL 33304

ARTICLE IX

The registered agent and the registered office for this corporation will be:

AGENT

OFFICE

JEFFREY S. WACHS, ESQ.

1177 S.E. 3rd Avenue Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316

ARTICLE X

The names and addresses of each subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation are as follows:

NAME

<u>ADDRESS</u>

JOHN M. BURNS

2537 N.E. 8th Street Fort Lauderdale, FL 33304

ARTICLE XI

The officers of the corporation until the first meeting of the corporation's Board of Directors, or until successors are elected, shall be:

<u>NAME</u>

OFFICE

JOHN M. BURNS

President, Secretary and Treasurer

ARTICLE XII

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law. Every amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors, proposed by them to the shareholders and approved at a shareholders' meeting by at least a majority of the shares entitled to vote, unless all of the directors and all of the shareholders sign a written statement manifesting their intention that a certain amendment to these Articles of Incorporation be made.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND CONSENT OF REGISTERED AGENT

Having been made initial Registered Agent to accept service of process of the corporation at the initial registered office designated in these Articles of Incorporation, I hereby accept such status and consent to act in this capacity and agree to comply with all the requirements of law pertaining thereto.

PERED AGENT

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto made, subscribed and acknowledged these Articles of Incorporation.

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witness my hand and seal this 28th day of Florary,

Notary Public, State of Florida Print Name: Lisa D. Belenson My Commission Expires: 8/10/02 Commission No. CC765902

