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# FLORIDA PROFIT CORPORATION OR P.A.

PROTEA PROPERTIES, INC.

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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## PROTEA PROPERTIES, INC.

THE UNDERSIGNED sole incorporator, being a natural person competent to contract and desiring to form a corporation under Title XXXV, Chapter 607, of the Revised Florida Statutes, herewith submits the following information:

- 1. The name of the corporation is PROTEA PROPERTIES, INC.
- The duration of the corporation shall be perpetual.
- 3. The general purpose or purposes for which this corporation is being formed are to include the transaction of any or all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under this chapter.
- 4. The aggregate number of shares which the corporation shall have authority to issue is 1,000 common shares with no par value.
- The principal address and mailing address of the corporation will be :1581 Gulf Blvd., Unit 102, Clearwater Beach, FL 33767
- 6. Its registered office in the State of Florida is to be located at: 1581

  Guif Blvd., Unit 102, Clearwater Beach, FL, 33767 and its registered agent at such address is: Carl Leisegang
- 7. The name and address of the sole incorporator is: Flora L. Murillo c/o
  BlumbergExcelsior Corporate Service, Inc. 62 White Street, New York, NY
  10013.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, as sole incorporator of this corporation has

executed these Articles of Incorporation.

Dated: December 12, 2000

Flora L. Murillo

Sole Incorporator

BlumbergExcelsior Corporate Services, Inc. 62 White Street New York, NY 10013 212-431-5000

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#### ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT

#### AS

## REGISTERED AGENT

I, the undersigned, do hereby accept appointment as Registered Agent for PROTEA PROPERTIES, INC., the within named corporation.

Dated: December 12, 2000

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