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FLORIDA PROFIT CORPORATION OR P.A.

I.P.S. of Florida, Inc.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

LP.S. OF THE SOUTHEAST, INC.

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is I.P.S. OF THE SOUTHEAST, INC.

ARTICLES II Duration

The corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE III Purpose

The purpose of this corporation is to engage in consulting services and in the transaction of any and all business permitted under the laws of the United States and the State of Florida.

ARTICLE IV Capital Stock

The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any time is 500 shares of common stock, each having a par value of \$1.00.

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ARTICLE V Principal Office and Registered Agent

The initial principal office of the corporation and mailing address is 2256-A First Avenue, Fernandina Beach, Florida 32034. The mailing address of the registered agent is 311 Centre Street, Suite 204, Fernandina Beach, Florida 32034. The name of the initial registered agent at such address is Robert L. Peters.

ARTICLE VI Director

The corporation shall have one director initially, whose name and street address is as follows: John Lee, 2256-A First Avenue, Fernandina Beach, Florida 32034.

ARTICLE VII Subscriber

The names and addresses of the incorporator of this corporation is as follows: Robert L. Peters, 311 Centre Street, Suite 204, Fernandina Beach, Florida 32034.

ARTICLE VIII Officers

This corporation shall have the following officers: President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer, and such other officers as may be appointed by the Board of Directors or established by the By-Laws from time to time.

ARTICLE IX Miscellaneous

- A. This corporation shall have the following powers: All powers as are now and as are hereafter conferred upon it by law. This corporation shall continue to have all powers which the law now confers upon it, even though the law conferring such power or powers is later amended or repealed. This provision shall be construed to give this corporation the broadest and most comprehensive powers permitted by law.
- **B.** This corporation shall establish plans such as, but not limited to, pension and/or profit sharing, wage continuation, group terms, medical care and accident and health.

- C. Ownership of stock in this corporation shall not be required to make any person eligible to hold office or to become a director or officer in this corporation.
- D. Any subscriber or stockholder present at any meeting either in person or by proxy, and any director present in person or by proxy, and any director present in person at any meeting of the Board of Directors shall be conclusively deemed to have received proper notice of such meeting unless he shall make objection at such meeting of any defect or insufficiency of notice.
- E. The Board of Directors is hereby specifically authorized to make provisions for reasonable compensation to its members for their services as directors, and to fix the basis and condition upon which such compensation shall be paid. Any director of the corporation may also serve the corporation in any capacity and receive compensation therefore in any form.
- F. Unless otherwise provided in the By-Laws, stockholders shall have a preemptive right to purchase their pro rata share of new stock.
- G. Unless otherwise provided in the By-Laws comulative voting shall not be permitted.
- H. No contract or other transaction between this corporation and any other corporation shall be affected by the fact that any director or officer of this corporation is interested in or is a director or officer of such other corporation.
- I. Any director of this corporation, individually or jointly, may be a party to, or may be interested in, any contract or transaction of this corporation or in which this corporation is interested.

ARTICLE X Amendment

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 stockholders, and approved at a stockholders' meeting by a majority of the stockholders entitled to vote thereon, unless the directors and stockholders sign a written statement manifesting their intention that a certain amendment of these Articles of Incorporation may be amended in any other manner permitted by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the incorporator of this corporation, executed these Articles of Incorporation and certified to the truth of the facts herein stated, this 2nd day of April, 2001.

Robert Peters

STATE OF FLORIDA }
COUNTY OF NASSAU }

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, this day personally appeared before me Robert Peters who is known to me and known to me to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and acknowledged before me that he executed the same for the purposes therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State named above, this 2nd day of April, 2001.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

ACCEPTANCE OF DESIGNATION

STATE OF FLORIDA	}
COUNTY OF NASSAU	}

Robert L. Peters, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says the following: I hereby acknowledge and agree to be the initial registered agent of I.P.S. of the Southeast, Inc. My mailing address and address for service of process is 311 Centre Street, Suite 204, Fernandina Beach, Florida 32034.

Robert Peters

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STATE OF FLORIDA }
COUNTY OF NASSAU }

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by Robert L. Peters, who is personally known to me and who did take an oath and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to and before me that he executed the same for the purposes therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State named above, this 2nd day of April, 2001.

Notaty Public

My Commission Expires

MY COMMISSION & CC 880056 EXPIRES: October 17, 2003 Bonded Thru Nobery Public Underwitten

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