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RE: Charles F. Decker, P.A.

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please find enclosed two original copies of the executed Articles of Incorporation for the above-referenced corporation. Please endorse your approval of the Articles on the duplicate original provided herein, and return same in the self-addressed stamped envelope enclosed for your convenience.

Additionally, I have enclosed our firm check in the amount of \$122.50 to cover the Registered Agent fee, the filing fee and the fee for a certified copy of the Articles.

If you find any problems with the enclosed documents or require additional information, please contact the undersigned by telephone rather than returning any documents.

Sincerely,

Lori Hedstrom

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April 30, 2001

CHARLES F. DECKER, ESQ. 10209 B GULF BOULEVARD TREASURE ISLAND, FL 33706

SUBJECT: CHARLES F. DECKER, P.A.

Ref. Number: W01000009701

We have received your document for CHARLES F. DECKER, P.A.. However, the document has not been filed and is being returned for the following:

The specific nature of business of the professional association must be stated in the document.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 487-6973.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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CHARLES F. DECKER, P.A.

The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of this corporation is CHARLES F. DECKER, P.A.

ARTICLE II. DURATION

The corporation shall exist perpetually, commencing on the date of the filing of these Articles.

ARTICLE III. PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

The principal place of business for this corporation will be 10209B Gulf Boulevard, Treasure Island, Florida 33706.

ARTICLE IV. PURPOSE

This corporation is organized for the purpose of engaging in a law practice.

ARTICLE V. <u>CAPITAL STOCK</u>

This corporation is authorized to issue Ten (10) common shares of One Dollar (\$1.00) par value stock.

ARTICLE VI. REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The name of the initial Registered Agent of this corporation and the street address of the initial Registered Office are as follows: Lori Hedstrom, 10209B Gulf Boulevard, Treasure Island, Florida 33706.

ARTICLE VII. INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have one (1) director initially. The number of directors may be either increased or decreased from time to time as provided in the Bylaws, but shall never be less than one (1). The name and address of the initial director of this corporation are:

Charles F. Decker 10209B Gulf Boulevard Treasure Island, Florida 33706

ARTICLE VIII. INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the person signing these Articles of Incorporation is: Charles F. Decker, 10209B Gulf Boulevard, Treasure Island, Florida 33706.

ARTICLE IX. <u>INDEMNIFICATION</u>

This corporation shall indemnify any officer, or any former officer, to the full extent permitted by law.

ARTICLE X. AMENDMENT

This corporation reserves the right of amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

ARTICLE XI. BYLAWS

The initial Bylaws shall be adopted by the Board of Directors. The power to alter, amend, or repeal the Bylaws or adopt new Bylaws is vested in the Board of Directors, subject to repeal or change by action of the Shareholders.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned executes these Articles of Incorporation on this

__ day of April, 2001.

Sign:

Charles F. Decker, Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PINELLAS

Before me, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgments in Pinellas County, Florida, personally appeared Charles F. Decker, personally known to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and she acknowledged before me that she executed such instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on this **49** day of April, 2001.

LOR! HEDGTROM

MY COMMISSION # CC 638342

EXPIRES: October 22, 2001

Bonded Thru Notary Public Underwriters

NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Number: CC 688342 My Commission Expires: 10/22/01

ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

I HEREBY AGREE as Registered Agent, to accept service of process for the above-named corporation, and to comply with the applicable provisions of Florida law relative to office hours and the posting of Registered Agent names.

Sign:

Lori Hedstrom, Registered Agent

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