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RE: C & R Associates Inc.

Dear Corporations:

Please file the enclosed Articles of Incorporation (and duplicate) for the above referenced corporation in the State of Florida. A check in the amount of \$70 to cover the necessary filing fees. Wol ,22639

Please return the filed document to my attention at:

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If you have any questions or problems, please feel free to contact me. Thank you very much.

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SUBJECT: C & R ASSOCIATES INC.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

C & R Associates Inc. of Tampa

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the corporation shall be: C & R Associates Inc. of Tampa

The principal place of business of this corporation shall be:

416 S. E. 15 Street, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316.

ARTICLE II - NATURE OF BUSINESS

This corporation may engage in or transact any or all lawful activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States, the State of Florida, or any other state, country, territory or nation.

ARTICLE III - CAPITAL STOCK

The aggregate number of shares of stock and its par value that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is:

Fifteen Hundred (1,500) shares at No Par Value.

ARTICLE IV - INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND ADDRESS

The name and address of the initial registered agent is:

CorpAmerica, Inc. 416 S. E. 15 Street Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316

ARTICLE V - INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the incorporator to this corporation are:

Renee' T. Gileau LexisNexis Document Solutions Inc. 30 Old Rudnick Lane Dover, Delaware 19901

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of

Incorporation this 4th day of October, 2001.

Signature of Incorporator

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

Pursuant to the provisions of section 607.0501, Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered office/registered agent, in the state of Florida.

- 1. The name of the corporation is: C & R Associates Inc. of Tampa
- 2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

CorpAmerica, Inc. 416 S.E. 15 Street Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316

HAVING BEEN NAMED AS REGISTERED AGENT AND TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY ACCEPT THE APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT AND AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY. I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATING TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF MY DUTIES, AND I AM FAMILIAR WITH AND ACCEPT THE OBLIGATIONS OF MY POSITION AS REGISTERED AGENT.

By:

Renge' T. Gileau, Assistant Secretary

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SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA