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SECRETARIO OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

October 29, 2001

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Secretary of State Div. of Corporations Attn.: New Filings 409 E. Gaines Street Tallahassee, FL 32399

Re: Medical Billing Institute, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Please file the enclosed Articles of Incorporation and send me a certificate of registration for the above client. Please send me a certified copy of the Articles of Incorporation along with the certificate of registration. My client's check in the sum of \$78.75 is enclosed. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Richard T. Catalano

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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

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MEDICAL BILLING INSTITUTE, INC. SECRETARIA FOR STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

The undersigned incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation hereby forms a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida as follows:

#### ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the corporation is Medical Billing Institute, Inc.

#### ARTICLE II - TERM OF EXISTENCE

The date when corporate existence shall commence shall be the date of the filing of these Articles of Incorporation by the Office of the Secretary of State of the State of Florida and the corporation shall have perpetual existence thereafter.

#### ARTICLE III - PURPOSES

This corporation is organized for the purpose of operating a school.

#### ARTICLE IV - CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation is authorized to issue one hundred (100) shares of one dollar (\$1.00) par value common stock which shall all be of one class of Common shares.

#### ARTICLE V – PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS

Every shareholder, upon the sale for cash of any new stock or authorized but unissued stock of this corporation of the same kind, class or series as that which he or she already holds, shall have the right to purchase his or her pro-rata share (as nearly as may be done without issuance of fractional shares) at the price at which it is offered to others.

#### ARTICLE VI - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the PRINCIPAL OFFICE of this corporation is at 5999 Central Avenue, Suite 103, St. Petersburg, Florida, 33710, and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address is Richard T. Catalano.

#### ARTICLE VII - MANAGEMENT OF CORPORATION BY SHAREHOLDERS

All corporate powers shall be exercised by or under the authority of and the business and affairs of this corporation shall be managed under the direction of the shareholders of this corporation.

### ARTICLE VIII - INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the incorporator signing these Articles of Incorporation is John Travlos, 5999 Central Avenue, Suite 300, St. Petersburg, Florida 33710.

# ARTICLE IX - INDEMNIFICATION

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

# ARTICLE X - AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

This corporation reserves the right to 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.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 25<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2001.

John Travlos

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me

this 25th day of October, 2001,

by John Travlos who is personally known to me.

Notary Public-State of Florida
My Commission Expires:

Richard T. Catalano
MY COMMISSION # CC697292 EXPIRES
November 18, 2001
BONDED THRU TROY FAIN INSURANCE, INC.

## CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA

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SECRETARY STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

Pursuant to Florida Statute 48.091, Medical Billing Institute, Inc., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, hereby designates Richard T. Catalano, Esq., 5999 Central Avenue, Suite 103, St. Petersburg, Florida, 33710, as its registered agent to accept service of process within the State of Florida.

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Medical Billing Institute, Inc.

#### ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named Registered Agent and designated to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation, at the place designated herein, I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties.

Richard T. Catalano, Esq.