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Via Federal Express

Secretary of State Division of Corporations 409 East Gaines Street Tallahassee, Florida 32301

Re: Florida Home Medical Equipment, Inc.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed are two (2) executed copies of Articles of Incorporation of Florida Home Medical Equipment, Inc., along with a check in the amount of \$78.75. Please return the certified copy in the enclosed Federal Express envelope to the undersigned.

If there are any questions, please call.

Very truly yours,

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Brent D. Klein

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

OF

FLORIDA HOME MEDICAL EQUIPMENT, INC.

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I

<u>NAME</u>

The name of the corporation is FLORIDA HOME MEDICAL EQUIPMENT, INC. and its address is 2720 West 78 Street, Hialeah, Florida 33016.

ARTICLE II

DURATION

The duration of the corporation is perpetual.

ARTICLE III

PURPOSE

The general purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

- (1) To transact any lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the Florida Business Corporation Act.
- (2) To do such other things as are incidental to the foregoing or necessary or desirable in order to accomplish the foregoing.

ARTICLE IV

AUTHORIZED SHARES

The aggregate number of shares which the corporation is authorized to issue is 5000 shares, with a par value of \$1.00 per share.

ARTICLE V

REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 2720 West 78 Street, Hialeah, Florida 33016 and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is Salvador Castaner.

ARTICLE VI

DIRECTORS

The number of directors constituting the board of directors of the corporation shall be determined in accordance with the By-Laws, but shall not be less than one. The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors is one (1). The name and address of the person who is to serve as the member of the initial board of directors are:

Salvador Castaner 2720 West 78 Street Hialeah, Florida 33016

ARTICLE VII

INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator are:

Salvador Castaner 2720 West 78 Street Hialeah, Florida 33016

ARTICLE VIII

INDEMNIFICATION

The corporation shall indemnify each director, officer and shareholder of the corporation against any and all liability and expenses incurred by him in connection with or arising out of any action, suit or proceeding in which he may be involved, by reason of his being or having been an officer, director or shareholder of the corporation to the full extent permitted by the laws of the State of Florida.

Executed by the undersigned on the $\frac{79^{24}}{\text{day of November}}$, 2001.

Salvador Castaner

Acknowledgment of Appointment by Registered Agent

Having been named the registered agent for the above corporation at the place designated in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, I hereby accept the same and agree to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provisions of Florida law relative to keeping the registered office open.

Salvador Castaner Registered Agent

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