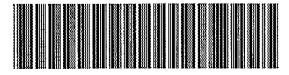
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George H. Russel Jr. 4973 Bacopa Ln S #505 St. Petersburg, Florida 33715

December 17, 2002

State of Florida
Division of Corporations
409 East Gaines Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Attn: Beth Register

Dear Beth:

Enclosed please find the Articles of Incorporation and our Check for \$78.75 which includes the cost of a Certificate of Status for:

RusselFinancial.com, Inc.

As a Certified Financial Planner™ with over twenty-one years in the securities industry, it is important that my new company's name clearly reflects its business purpose. Additionally, I own the website <u>russelfinancial.com</u> and spell my name with only one "L".

Russel Financial, Inc. will engage in the securities industry, insurance, retirement planning and other activities common to Certified Financial Planners.

The effective date for the corporation should be January 01, 2003 as described in section, <u>ARTICLE X EFFECTIVE DATE</u> in the enclosed Articles of Incorporation. I hope this clears up any confusion and again would appreciate your immediate attention.

Sincerely yours,

George H. Russel Jr.

Certified Financial Planner™

Enclosure



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Jim Smith Secretary of State

December 12, 2002

GEORGE H RUSSEL 4973 BOCOPA LN S #505 ST PETERSBURG, FL 33715

SUBJECT: RUSSEL FINANCIAL, INC.

Ref. Number: W02000034866

We have received your document for RUSSEL FINANCIAL, INC., however, upon receipt of your document no check was enclosed. Please send a check or money order payable to the Department of State for \$78.75.

We regret that we were unable to contact you by phone. Please return the corrected document with a letter providing us with an address and telephone number where you can be reached during working hours.

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity.

Please select a new name and make the correction in all appropriate places. One or more major words may be added to make the name distinguishable from the one presently on file.

Adding "of Florida" or "Florida" to the end of a name is not acceptable.

An effective date <u>may</u> be added to the Articles of Incorporation <u>if a 2003 date is needed</u>, otherwise the date of receipt will be the file date. <u>A separate article must be added to the Articles of Incorporation for the effective date.</u>

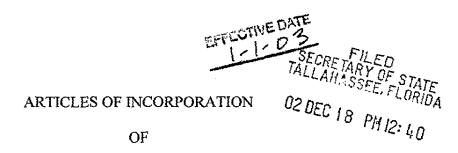
Please remove your drivers license number from your articles. Anything that is filed in this office can be viewed on the internet.

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) 245-6919.

Beth Register Corporate Specialist Supervisor New Filings Section

Letter Number: 102A00065804



RusselFinancial.com, Inc.

The undersigned subscribers to these articles of incorporation, each a natural person competent to contract, hereby associate themselves together to form a corporation for profit under the Laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

RusselFinancial.com, Inc.

ARTICLE II NATURE OF BUSINESS

The general character of nature of the business to be transacted by this corporation is:

- (a) To acquire by purchase, lease, or otherwise, lands and interests in lands, and to own, hold, improve, develop, and manage any real estate so acquired, and to erect, or cause to be erected on any lands owned, held, or occupied by the corporation, buildings or other structures, public or private, with their appurtenances, and to manage, operate, lease, rent, rebuild, enlarge, alter, or improve any buildings or other structures, now or hereafter erected on any lands owned or held by the corporation. To buy, sell, mortgage, exchange, lease, hold for investment or otherwise, use and operate, real estate of all kinds, improved or unimproved, and any right or interest therein.
- (b) To engage in retail, wholesale and manufacturing business in any and all fields and to do all things necessary to engage in any type of business generally.
- (c) To acquire, by purchase, lease, manufacture, or otherwise any personal property deemed necessary or useful in the equipment, furnishings, improvement, development or management of any property, real or personal, at any time owned, held, or occupied by the corporation, and to invest, trade and deal in any personal property deemed beneficial to the corporation, and to lease, rent, encumber or dispose of any personal property at any time owned or held by the corporation.
- (d) To contract debts and borrow money, issue and sell or pledge bonds, debentures, notes and other evidences of indebtedness, and execute such mortgages, transfers of corporate property or other instruments to secure the payment of corporate indebtedness as required.

- (e) To purchase the corporate assets of any other corporation and engage in the same or other character of business, including repurchase of its own shares.
- (f) To guarantee, endorse, purchase, hold, sell, transfer, mortgage, pledge or otherwise acquire or dispose of the shares of the capital stock of, or any bonds, securities, or other evidences of indebtedness created by any other corporation of the State of Florida or any other state government, and while owner of such stock to exercise all rights, powers and privileges of ownership, including the right to vote such stock.
- (g) To enter into, make, perform, and carry out contracts and agreements of every kind, for any lawful purpose, without limit as to amount, with any person, firm, association, or corporation, and to transact any further and other business necessarily connected with the purposes of this corporation, or calculated to facilitate the same, including purchase of its own shares.
- (h) To carry on any or all of its operations and businesses and to promote its objects within the State of Florida or else-where, without restriction as to place or amount, and to have, use, exercise and enjoy all of the general powers of like corporations.
 - (i) To engage in any and all lawful businesses, trades, occupations and professions.
- (j) To do any or all of the things herein set forth to the same extent as natural persons might or could do, and in any part of the world as principals, agents, contractors, or otherwise, alone or in company with others, and to do and perform all such other things and acts as may be necessary, profitable, or expedient in carrying on any of the business or acts above named.

The intention is that none of the objects and powers as hereinabove set forth, except where otherwise specified in this Article, shall be in anywise limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other objects, powers or clauses of this Article or any other Articles, but that the objects and powers specified in each of the clauses in this Article shall be regarded as independent objects and powers.

ARTICLE III CAPITAL STOCK

The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any time is:

1,000 Common Stock, Par Value \$1.00

Authorized capital stock may be paid for in cash, services, or property, at a just value to be fixed by the Board of Directors of this Corporation at any regular or special meeting.

ARTICLE IV INITIAL CAPITAL

The amount of capital with which this corporation shall begin business is One Hundred Dollars (100.00).

ARTICLE V TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE VI REGISTERED OFFICE & REGISTERED AGENT

The initial Registered Office of this corporation is to be:

4973 Bacopa Ln. S #505 St. Petersburg, Florida 33715

The Initial Registered Agent of the corporation is:

George H. Russel Jr. 4973 Bacopa Ln. S #505 St. Petersburg, Florida 33715

ARTICLE VII DIRECTORS

The corporation shall have the number of directors as shown below in Article VIII, initially. The number of Directors may be increased or diminished from time to time by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than one.

ARTICLE VIII INITIAL DIRECTORS

The names and street addresses of the first Board of Directors who shall hold office until their successors are elected and have qualified, are as follows:

George H. Russel Jr. 4973 Bacopa Ln. S #505 St. Petersburg, Florida 33715

Joyce A. Russel 4973 Bacopa Ln. S #505 St. Petersburg, Florida 33715

ARTICLE IX SUBSCRIBERS

The name and street address of each subscriber of these Articles of Incorporation is as follows:

George H. Russel Jr. 4973 Bacopa Ln. S #505 St. Petersburg, Florida 33715

Joyce A. Russel 4973 Bacopa Ln. S #505 St. Petersburg, Florida 33715

ARTICLE X EFFECTIVE DATE

These Articles of Incorporation shall be effective as of January 01, 2003.

ARTICLE XI 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 stock entitled to vote thereon, unless all the Directors and all the Stockholders sign a written statement manifesting their intention that a certain amendment of these Articles of Incorporation be made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals, acknowledged and filed the forgoing Articles of Incorporation under the Laws of the State of Florida on the date below written.

Date: 12-17,2002

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STATE OF FLORIDA)
COUNTY OF PINELLAS)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day personally appeared before me the abovenamed person(s), well known to me to be the individuals described in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and acknowledged before me that they executed the same for the purpose therein expressed.

WITNESS MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL, at St. Peresburg, Pinellas County, Florida this 17th day of A.D., 2002.

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My Commission Expires:

SYLVIA AVILES

MY CON M SSION # CC 831310

175 MS April 28, 2003

State of Florida

Department of State

Certificate Designation Place of Business or Domicile for the Service of Process Within This State, Naming Agent Upon Whom Process May be Served and Names and Addresses of the Officers and Directors.

The following is submitted, in compliance with Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes: RusselFinancial.com, Inc a corporation organized (or organizing) under the laws of the State of Florida with its principal office at 4973 Bacopa Ln. S #505, County of Pinellas, State of Florida, has named George H. Russel Jr., located at 4973 Bacopa Ln. S. #505, as its agent to accept service of process within this state.

4973 Bacopa Ln. S. #505

St. Petersburg, Florida 33715

OFFICERS:

George H. Russel Jr.

President

NAME AND TITLE	SPECIFIC ADDRESS	
George H. Russel Jr. President	4973 Bacopa Ln. S. #505 St. Petersburg, Florida 33715	
Joyce A. Russel Secretary/Treasurer	4973 Bacopa Ln. S. #505 St. Petersburg, Florida 33715	
DIRECTORS:		
NAME	SPECIFIC ADDRESS	

Joyce A. Russel

4973 Bacopa Ln. S. #505
Secretary/Treasurer

St. Petersburg, Florida 33715

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(Corporate Officer)

ACCEPTANCE:

I agree as Resident Agent to accept Service of Process: to keep office open during prescribed hours; to post my name (and any other officers of said Corporation authorized to accept service of process at the above Florida designated address) in some conspicuous place in office as required by law.

Resident Agent

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