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SECRETARY OF STATE DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS 409 East Gaines Street Tallahassee, Florida 32399 ATTENTION: BETH REGISTER

Re: BOCA LAKES FINANCIAL, INC.

Dear Beth:

Per my conversation today with Bobbi, enclosed is my check # 03/4/0 in the amount of \$122.50 representing filing fee for Boca Lakes Financial, Inc. Please call me to confirm receipt.

Thank you.

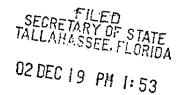
Sincerely yours,

Jerome L. Tepps, Esq.

JLT/ps Enclosures: as noted

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

BOCA LAKES FINANCIAL, INC.

ARTICLE I

NAME

The name of the corporation is BOCA LAKES FINANCIAL, INC.

ARTICLE II

DURATION AND COMMENCEMENT OF EXISTENCE

This corporation shall commence on the date of filing with the Secretary of State. This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

This corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any or all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under Chapter 607 of the Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE IV CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation is authorized to issue 10,000 shares of \$.10 par value common stock.

ARTICLE V

CORPORATE OFFICE

The address of the corporate office is 2787 East Oakland
Park Blvd., Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33306 or as otherwise
reflected in the annual report.

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 2787 East Oakland Park Blvd., Suite 202, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301 and the name of the initial Registered Agent of this corporation at that address is Jerome L. Tepps.

ARTICLE VII INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTOR/INCORPORATOR

The corporation shall have one director initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than one nor more than three. The name and address of the initial director of this corporation is:

<u>NAME</u>

ADDRESS

JEROME L. TEPPS

2787 East Oakland Park Blvd. Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33306

ARTICLE VIII INDEMNIFICATION

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 1 day of December, 2002.

JERŎME L. TEPPS

STATE OF FLORIDA) COUNTY OF BROWARD)

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgments in the State and County set forth above, personally appeared JEROME L. TEPPS known to me and known by me or who produced ______N/A____ as identification, who did take an oath, and he acknowledged before me that he executed these Articles of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal in the State of County above mentioned, this day of December, 2002.

Notary Public State of Florida my commission expires:

PHYLLIS SHECHTMAN
MY COMMISSION # CC 846340
EXPIRES: June 14, 2003
Bonded Thru Notary Public Underwriters

SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE. FLORIDA

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CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR

THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM

PROCESS MAY BE SERVED.

Pursuant to Section 48.091 and Section 607.034(3), Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with said Sections:

BOCA LAKES FINANCIAL, INC. desires to organize under the Laws of the State of Florida with its registered office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at 2787 East Oakland Park Blvd., Suite 202, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33306 and has named JEROME L. TEPPS located at 2787 East Oakland Park Blvd., Suite 202, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33306 as its Agent to accept service of process within this State.

CONSENT OF REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above named corporation, at the place designated in this Certificate, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provisions of said Sections relative to keeping open said office.

JEROME L. TEPPS