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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

# SENIORS CHOICE FINANCIAL, INC.

The undersigned, acting as the incorporator of Seniors Choice Financial, Inc., under the Florida Business Corporation Act, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation.

#### ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of the corporation is:

Seniors Choice Financial, Inc.

### ARTICLE II. PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS

The street address of the principal business office of the corporation is:

2611 Bayshore Boulevard, Unit #403
Tampa, Florida 33629

and the mailing address of the corporation is:

P.O. Box 1050

Tampa, Florida 33601

## ARTICLE III. CAPITAL STOCK

The number of shares of capital stock that the corporation is authorized to issue is 1,000 shares of common stock, having a par value of \$1.00 per share.

#### ARTICLE IV. INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The corporation shall have three directors initially. The names and street addresses of the initial directors are:

Name	Address
#3 (44117)	<u> </u>

Richard P. Russo - 2611 Bayshore Boulevard Unit #403 - Tampa, FL 33629

Nelson G. Russo P.O. Box 1050 Tampa, FL 33601

Rosemary Benelli

P.O. Box 1050 Tampa, FL 33601

## ARTICLE V. INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 2611 Bayshore Boulevard, Unit #403, Tampa, Florida 33629, and the name of the corporation's initial registered agent at that address is Richard P. Russo.

#### ARTICLE VI. INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the incorporator is:

Richard P. Russo
2611 Bayshore Boulevard, Unit #403
Tampa, Florida 33629

**EXECUTION DATE:** May 28, 2003

Richard P. Russo as incorporator

#### SENIORS CHOICE FINANCIAL, INC.

#### ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Pursuant to Sections 48.091 and 607.0501, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

That Seniors Choice Financial, Inc., desiring to organize as a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida with its initial registered office, as indicated in its Articles of Incorporation, at 2611 Bayshore Boulevard, Unit #403, Tampa, Florida 33629, has named Richard P. Russo as its agent to accept service of process within the State of Florida.

Having been named to accept service of process for Seniors Choice Financial, Inc., at the place designated in this document, the undersigned agrees to act in that capacity and to comply with the provisions of the Florida Business Corporation Act relative to keeping open the registered office. The undersigned is familiar with, and accepts the obligations of, Section 607.0501, Florida Statutes.

EXECUTION DATE: May 2003

Richard P. Russo

- as Registered Agent

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