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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

#### GEO GROUP, INC.

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

#### ARTICLE ONE NAME

The name of the corporation is GEO GROUP, INC. (hereinafter called the "Corporation").

### ARTICLE TWO PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS

The principal office and mailing address of the Corporation is:

621 NW 53<sup>rd</sup> Street, Suite 700 Boca Raton, Florida 33487

## ARTICLE THREE CAPITAL STOCK

The aggregate number of shares of stock which the Corporation is authorized to issue is Ten Million (10,000,000) shares, par value \$0.01 per share. All such shares shall be of one class and shall be designated as common stock. Each issued and outstanding share of common stock shall be entitled to one vote on each matter submitted to a vote at a meeting of the shareholders.

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## ARTICLE FOUR INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the Corporation's initial registered office is:

621 NW 53<sup>rd</sup> Street, Suite 700 Boca Raton, Florida 33487

The name of the Corporation's initial registered agent at that address is: John J. Bulfin.

# ARTICLE FIVE INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the incorporator of the Corporation is:

Nidia Perez, Esq. c/o Akerman Senterfitt One Southeast Third Avenue Miami, Florida 33131

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 21st day of August, 2003.

Nidia Perez, Incorporator

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### CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE BY BEGISTERED AGENT

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Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the Corporation at the registered office designated in the Corporation's Articles of Incorporation, the undersigned accepts the appointment as registered agent and agrees to act in this capacity. The undersigned further agrees to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of its duties, and the undersigned is familiar with and accepts the obligations of its position as registered agent.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Certificate this 21st day of August, 2003.

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