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January 15, 2004

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12836 TALLOWOOD DR  
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SUBJECT: V. B. & ASSOCIATES, INC.  
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We have received your document for V. B. & ASSOCIATES, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
P.O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: V. B. & ASSOCIATES OF RIVERVIEW, INC.

Enclosed are an original and one (1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for \$78.75 -  
Filing Fee & Certificate of Status.

FROM: Kathryn E. Bontorno  
12836 Tallowood Dr.  
Riverview FL 33569  
813-677-8518 Daytime

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
V. B. & ASSOCIATES OF RIVERVIEW, INC.

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The undersigned, for the purposes of forming a Corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act, do(es) hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation is: V. B. & ASSOCIATES OF RIVERVIEW, INC.

ARTICLE II

This Corporation shall have perpetual existence. The date and time of the commencement of corporate existence is the date of filing these Articles with the Secretary of State.

ARTICLE III

This Corporation may engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United States and of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE IV

The total authorized capital stock of this Corporation shall consist of FIVE THOUSAND (5000) shares of common stock having a par value of ONE (\$1.00) DOLLAR each, amounting in the aggregate to FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000.00) DOLLAR(S).

ARTICLE V

Every shareholder, upon the sale of cash of any new stock of this Corporation of the same kind, class or series as that which he already holds, shall have the right to purchase his pro rata share thereof as nearly as may be done without issuance of fractional shares at the price at which it is offered to others.

ARTICLE VI

The street address of the initial principal office of this Corporation is 12836 Tallowood Drive, Riverview, FL 33569, and the name of the initial registered agent of this Corporation is Kathryn E. Bontorno, 12836 Tallowood Dr., Riverview, FL 33569.

## ARTICLE VII

This 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. The name and address of the initial director(s) of this Corporation is.

Kathryn E. Bontorno  
12836 Tallowood Dr.  
Riverview, FL 33569

## ARTICLE VIII

The name and address of the person(s) signing these articles is:

Kathryn E. Bontorno  
12836 Tallowood Dr.  
Riverview, FL 33569

## ARTICLE IX

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal By-Laws shall be vested in the Board of Directors and the Shareholders.

## ARTICLE X

Shares are held by the initial shareholders listed above and may not be resold or otherwise transferred unless such shares are first offered to the remaining shareholders or to this Corporation. The price and terms at which and the time within which, such shares may be offered and sold shall be further specified by written agreement among all of the Shareholders and this Corporation.

## ARTICLE XI

The approval of the Shareholders of this Corporation to any plan or merger shall be required in every case, whether or not such approval is required by law.

## ARTICLE XII

Dividends may be paid to Shareholders only out of the unreserved and unrestricted earned surplus of the Corporation.

## ARTICLE XIII

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

#### ARTICLE XIV

The Director(s) of this Corporation may take action by written consent, as provided by law, except the following actions must be taken at a meeting of Directors.

1. Dissolution or merger of the Corporation, or
2. Sale of Corporate assets.

#### ARTICLE XV

These Article 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 Stockholders entitled to Vote thereon, unless all the Directors and all the Shareholders sign a written statement manifesting their intention that a certain amendment of those Articles of Incorporation be made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber(s) have executed these Articles of Incorporation on this \_\_\_\_ day of October, 2003.

  
KATHRYN E. BONTORNO

CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE  
FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING  
AGENT UPON WHO PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

In pursuance of Florida Statute Section 607.034, the following is submitted, in compliance with said Statute:

That V. B. & ASSOCIATES OF RIVERVIEW, INC., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its principal office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at the County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, has named Kathryn E. Bontorno, 12836 Tallowood Dr., Riverview, FL 33569, as its agent to accept service of process within this State.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

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

  
KATHRYN E. BONTORNO