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August 19, 2004

Secretary of State  
Division of Corporations  
409 East Gaines Street  
Tallahassee FL 32301

Re: SEQUOYA, INC.

Dear Sir or Madam:

We are enclosing Articles of Incorporation for the subject corporation together with our firm check in the amount of \$78.75 to cover the following fees:

\$35.00 - Filing Fee  
8.75 - One Certified Copy  
35.00 - Registered Agent

Once the Articles have been filed, please return a certified copy of the Articles together with your letter of acknowledgment to me.

If there is a problem with the enclosed filing, please contact me.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,

LIVINGSTON, PATTERSON,  
STRICKLAND & WEINER, P.A.

  
April A. Haley  
Corporate Legal Assistant

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF  
SEQUOYA, INC.

Article I - Name

The name of this corporation is Sequoya, Inc.

Article II - Capital Stock

This corporation is authorized to issue 10,000 shares of one-cent par value common stock.

Article III - Mailing Address and Principal Office

The mailing address of the corporation is 46 North Washington Blvd., #1, Sarasota, FL 34236, and the principal business address is 100 N. Washington Blvd., #200, Sarasota, FL 34236.

Article IV - Initial Board of Directors and Officers

The initial member of the Board of Directors is:

Richard G. Althoff  
100 N. Washington Blvd., #200  
Sarasota, FL 34236

The initial officer of the corporation is:

Richard G. Althoff - President, Secretary and Treasurer

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**Article V - Initial Registered Office and Agent**

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 46 North Washington Blvd., #1, Sarasota, Florida, 34236 and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address is LPS Corporate Services, Inc.

**Article VI - Incorporator**

The name and address of the person signing these Articles is Alison Haskins, 46 North Washington Blvd., #1, Sarasota, Florida, 34236.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 17<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2004.

  
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ALISON HASKINS  
Incorporator

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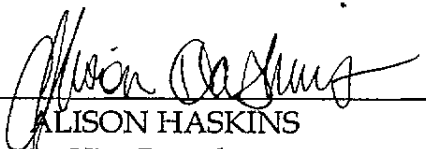
**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF REGISTERED AGENT,  
ACCEPTANCE, AND DESIGNATION OF CORPORATE OFFICE**

The undersigned, *LPS CORPORATE SERVICES, INC.*, a Florida corporation, having a street address of 46 North Washington Blvd., #1, Sarasota, Florida 34236, having been appointed by the members of the Board of Directors of *SEQUOYA, INC.*, as registered agent, states as follows:

1. The address of the registered agent shall be 46 North Washington Boulevard, Suite 1, Sarasota, Florida 34236, and it shall notify the Department of State of any change in address of this office or the name of the registered agent at this address.
2. It accepts the appointment and consents to serve as registered agent of the corporation pursuant to Section 617.023, Florida Statutes.

LPS CORPORATE SERVICES, INC., a  
Florida corporation

By: \_\_\_\_\_

  
ALISON HASKINS  
Its Vice President

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