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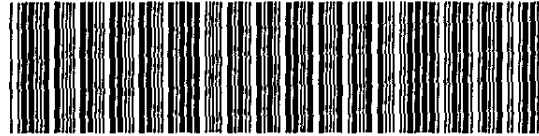
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December 23, 2004

Florida Dept. of State
Division of Corporations
P.O. Box 6327
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Subj: Incorporation of GATES AND ASSOCIATES, INC.

Dear Sir or Madam:

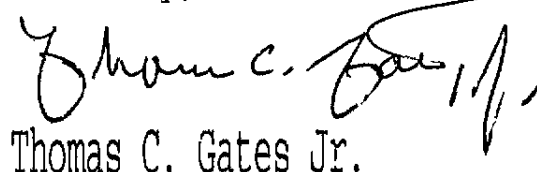
Enclosed please find the following:

1. The original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation for the subject corporation. Please certify one copy and return it to the undersigned.
2. My check in the amount of \$78.75 to cover the filing fee.
3. Designation of Resident Agent.

Kindly acknowledge filing of these Articles of Incorporation, in compliance with Florida law and return the certified copy of the Articles of Incorporation to the undersigned at Express Paralegal Services, Inc., 129 W. Hibiscus Blvd, Melbourne, FL 32901; (321) 729-6399

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,


Thomas C. Gates Jr.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
GATES AND ASSOCIATES, INC.

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ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of this corporation is
GATES AND ASSOCIATES, INC.

ARTICLE II. DURATION

This corporation shall commence January 1, 2005, and
shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE III. PURPOSE

This corporation is organized for the purpose of
transacting any or all lawful business.

ARTICLE IV. CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation is authorized to issue 1,000 shares of
\$0.10 par value common stock, which shall be designated
"common shares".

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ARTICLE V. PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS

Every shareholder, upon the sale for 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 (as nearly as may be done without

issuance of fractional shares) at the price at which it is offered to others.

ARTICLE VI. INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 8040 Pine Needle Lane, West Melbourne, Florida 32904, and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address is THOMAS C. GATES JR.

ARTICLE VII. INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have one director initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the bylaws but shall never be less than one. The name and address of the initial director of this corporation are:

THOMAS C. GATES JR
8040 Pine Needle Lane
West Melbourne FL 32904

ARTICLE VIII. PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS

The principal office of the corporation is located at 4155 Dow Road, Unit D, Melbourne FL 32934, and the mailing address of the corporation is 4155 Dow Road, Unit D, Melbourne FL 32934.

ARTICLE IX. INCORPORATOR

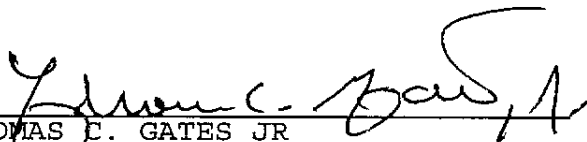
The name and address of the person signing these articles are:

THOMAS C. GATES JR
8040 Pine Needle Lane
West Melbourne FL 32904

ARTICLE X. AMENDMENTS

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, by a majority vote of the Board of Directors, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned subscriber has executed these articles of incorporation on this 23rd day of December, 2004.

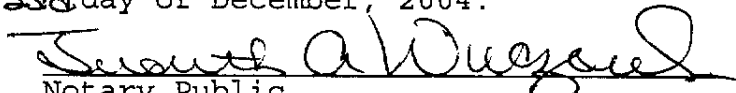

THOMAS C. GATES JR

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF BREVARD

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day, before me, a Notary Public duly authorized in the State and County named above to take acknowledgments, personally appeared THOMAS C. GATES JR., known to be the person described as subscriber in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and who acknowledged before me that he subscribed to those Articles of Incorporation.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State named above this 23rd day of December, 2004.

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Notary Public



Judith A. Wiczorek
Commission # DD242503
Expires Aug. 18, 2007
Aaron Notary
1-800-350-5161

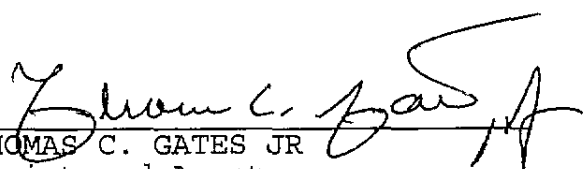
DESIGNATION
AS
REGISTERED AGENT

In compliance with Section 48.091, and Section 607.034,
Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

That GATES AND ASSOCIATES, INC., desiring to organize
under Statutes of the State of Florida, with its principal
office at 4155 Dow Road, Unit D, Melbourne FL 32934, has
named THOMAS C. GATES JR located at 4155 Dow Road, Unit D,
Melbourne FL 32934, as its agent to accept service of process
within this state.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Having been named to accept service of process for the
above named Corporation, at the place designated in this
certificate, the undersigned agrees to act in this capacity,
and agrees to comply with the provisions of Florida law
relative to keeping the designated office open.


THOMAS C. GATES JR
Registered Agent

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