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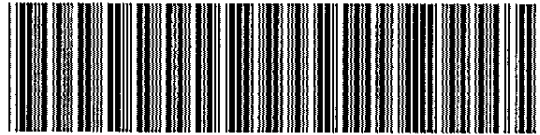
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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
P. O. Box 6327  
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**SUBJECT:** BETTER BUSINESS BAIL BONDS OF JACKSONVILLE, INC.  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed are an original and one (1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for:

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Filing Fee  
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& Certified Copy

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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM:** PAULA BENTON

Name (Printed or typed)

1705 UNIVERSITY BLVD, N.  
Address

JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA 32211  
City, State & Zip

904-744-9111  
Daytime Telephone number

**NOTE:** Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

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**ARTICLE OF INCORPORATION**

**Of**

**BETTER BUSINESS BAIL BONDS OF JACKSONVILLE, INC.**

**a Florida Corporation**

I, the undersigned, do hereby make form a corporation, and for such purpose I hereby make, execute and adopt the following Articles of Incorporation.

**ARTICLE ONE**

The name of the corporation shall be: **Better Business Bail Bonds of Jacksonville, Inc.**, a Florida corporation

**ARTICLE TWO**

The initial principal place of business and mailing address shall be:

1705 University Blvd. N.  
Jacksonville, Florida 32211

**ARTICLE THREE**

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

**ARTICLE FOUR**

This corporation is authorized to issue 1,000 shares at One Dollar (\$1.00) par value common stock.

**ARTICLE FIVE**

**INCORPORATORS**

The name and address of the person signing these articles is

Paula Benton  
11611 McCormick Road  
Jacksonville, Florida 32225

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## **ARTICLE SIX**

### **BY-LAWS**

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal by-laws shall be vested in the Board of Directors, subject to the approval of the shareholders.

## **ARTICLE SEVEN**

Every shareholder, upon the sale for cash of any new stock of this corporation shall have the right to purchase his or her prorata share thereof at the price at which it is offered to others.

## **ARTICLE EIGHT**

The street address of the initial registered principal office of this corporation is 1705 University Blvd. N., Jacksonville, Florida 32211 and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at this address is Paula Benton

## **ARTICLE NINE**

### **INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

This organization shall have One (1) director initially. The number of directors may increase or decrease from time to time by the by-laws but shall never be more than twelve. The name and address of the director of this corporation is:

Paula Benton  
11611 McCormick Road  
Jacksonville, Florida 32211

## **ARTICLE TEN**

### **SHAREHOLDERS QUORUM AND VOTING**

Fifty-one percent (51%) of the shares entitle to vote, represented in person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum at a meeting of shareholders.

## **ARTICLE ELEVEN**

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

**ARTICLE TWELVE**

This corporation, through its shareholders, reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation or any amendment thereto.

**ARTICLE THIRTEEN**

**REGISTERED AGENT**

The name and address of the registered agent for the corporation shall be:

Paula Benton  
11611 McCormick Road  
Jacksonville, Florida 32211

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Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Paula Benton 2-15-05  
Signature/Registered agent Date

Signature/Incorporator Date

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 15<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2005

Paula Benton  
Paula Benton, President/CEO

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF DUVAL

The foregoing instrument was sworn to and subscribed before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2005, by Paula Benton, () who has produced Driver's license as identification or () who is personally known by me

Sharena Martin  
Signature of person taking Oath

Sharena Martin  
Printed name of person taking Oath



**Sharena Martin**  
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