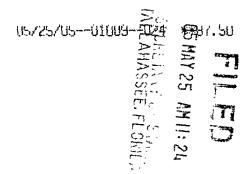
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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

**APPROVED** 

OF

MAGNOLIA INSURANCE COMPANY

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**ARTICLE I:** 

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**NAME** 

The name of the corporation shall be Magnolia Insurance Company.

ARTICLE II:

PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal office of the corporation shall be 260 Glenridge Road, Key Biscayne, Miami-Dade County, Florida 33149.

#### ARTICLE III:

#### **PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is formed is to transact Homeowners Multi Peril insurance business, and any other line of insurance it may subsequently be authorized to write pursuant to the laws of the United States and Florida.

#### ARTICLE IV:

#### <u>DURATION</u>

The duration of the corporation shall be perpetual.

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#### ARTICLE V:

#### **AUTHORIZED SHARES**

The number of shares of common stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at anyone time is 10,000, with a par value of \$1.00. However, the corporation shall not conduct business until it has \$5 million dollars of surplus as to policyholders.

#### ARTICLE VI:

#### REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The registered office of this Corporation shall be 215 South Monroe Street, Second Floor, Tallahassee, Florida, and the registered agent of this Corporation at such office is Steven M. Malono, who, upon accepting this designation, agrees to comply with the provisions of Section 48.091, Florida Statutes, as amended from time to time, with respect to keeping an office open to receive service of process from the Treasurer and Insurance Commissioner of the State of Florida.

#### ARTICLE VII:

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The corporation shall have at least five (5) directors, who are over the age of eighteen (18) years. The following individual persons shall serve, for an initial term of not more than one year, as the initial directors of the corporation:

Name H. James Irl	Title(s) Director President	Address 260 Glenridge Road, Key Biscayne, FL
John Phillips	Director	7 Balniel Gate, London, England
Felix Rodriguez	Director Treasurer	201 Crandon Blvd, #329, Key Biscayne, FL
Ernesto Ramon	Director	781 Crandon Blvd., #806, Key Biscayne, FL
Alberto Sarasua	Director Secretary	442 Hampton Lane, Key Biscayne, FL

#### ARTICLE VIII:

#### **BY-LAWS**

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

#### ARTICLE IX:

#### **AMENDMENTS**

The corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, or repeal any provision in these Articles of Incorporation in the manner prescribed by Chapter 607, Florida Statutes, and all rights conferred on shareholders are subject to this reservation. These Articles may be amended prior to the issuance of shares of the Corporation by the unanimous approval or consent of the shareholders. Thereafter, every amendment shall be approved by the shareholders at a shareholders' meeting as provided in the by-laws and by Chapter 607, Florida Statutes.

The undersigned President and Secretary of Magnolia Insurance Company have executed these Articles of Incorporation this 23 day of Magnolia Insurance Company have executed

H. James Irl, President

Alberto Sarasua, Secretary

# ARTICLE X:

# INCORPORATORS

The following individual persons are the incorporators of the corporation:

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STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE	My Commission Expires  MARITZA MINOR  MY COMMISSION # DD257683  EXPIRES: October 09, 2007

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 23 day of Muy, 2005, by Alberto Sarasua, who is personally known to me or has produced first # 5620-006-5/2000 (type of identification) as identification and who did take an oath.

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(Printed Name of Notary)
My Commission Expires: 4/30/2007.

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### ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT DESIGNATED

#### IN ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Steven M. Malono, having been designated as the Registered Agent in the above and foregoing Articles, is familiar with and accepts the obligations of the position of Registered Agent under sections 607.0505 and 48.091, Florida Statutes.

Steven M. Malono

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