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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

## Charles E. Howell, C.P.A., P.A.

THE UNDERSIGNED SUBSCRIBER TO THESE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, COMPETENT AS AN INCORPORATOR PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 607.0201 FLORIDA STATUTES, DESIRING TO ASSOCIATE FOR THE PURPOSE OF FORMING A CORPORATION, PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 607, FLORIDA GENERAL CORPORATION ACT, AND PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATUES OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA PROVIDING FOR THE FORMATION, LIABILITIES, PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES OF A CORPORATION FOR PROPIT, DOES HEREBY CERTIFY AS FOLLOWS:

## ARTICLE I. - NAME OF CORPORATION

The name of this corporation is, and shall be: Charles R. Howell, C.P.A., P.A.

### ARTICLE II - NATURE OF BUSINESS

This corporation may engage in the practice of accounting as a certified public accountant only through persons qualified and duly licensed to practice accounting in the state of Florida who shall conduct such practices in accordance with the laws and rules regulated by the Board of Accountancy and the state of Florida or any and all lawful business for which corporations may be organized to transact under the laws of the United States and of this State.

# ARTICLE III - CAPITAL STOCK

The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is One Thousand (1,000) shares of Common Stock at \$1.00 par value.

## ARTICLE IV - INITIAL CAPITAL

The amount of the capital with which this corporation shall begin business is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00).

# ARTICLE V - DURATION OF CORPORATE EXISTENCE

This corporation shall have perpetual existence unless sooner dissolved, according to law; corporate existence shall commence upon the filing of these Articles of Incorporation, by the Department of State.

## ARTICLE VI - ADDRESS

The initial street address of the principal office of this corporation in the State of Florida is 18 NE 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave, Dania Beach, FL 33004.

# ARTICLE VII - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors of the Corporation shall consist of the number of Directors serving on the initial Board of Directors. The number of Directors of the Corporation way be changed from the number of Directors serving on the initial Board of Directors at any time by affirmative vote of a majority of the stockholders. The number of directors constituting the initial board of Directors shall be one (1) and the name and address of the person who is to serve as a member thereof, is as follows:

Name Charles E. Howell Address 18 NE 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave Dania Beach, FL 33004

# ARTICLE VILL - OFFICERS

The officers of this Corporation shall consist of a President, Vice President, Secretary, and a Treasurer, each of who shall be elected by the Board of Directors in the manner and at the time prescribed in the By-Laws of this Corporation. Such other officers and assistant officers and agents as may be deemed necessary, may be elected or appointed by the Board of Directors or chosen in such other manner as may be prescribed by the By-Laws. Any two or more offices may be held by the same person.

### ARTICLE IX - INDEMNIFICATION

The Corporation shall indemnify all directors, officers or authorized agents of the Corporation who is a party of is threatened to be made a party to any litigation or legal proceeding, whether civil or criminal, administrative or investigative, arising from the fact that such person is a director, officer or authorized agent of the Corporation, against all expenses, attorney's fees, (including appellate proceedings), judgements, fines and, subject to obtaining the prior written consent of the corporation, amounts paid in settlement as well as costs reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with such litigation or proceeding, unless (a) a court of competent jurisdiction finally determines, after all appeals are exhausted of is such appeal is not pursued by the proposed indemnitee, that he or she did not act in good faith or in a manner he or she reasonably believed to be in the best interests of the Corporation and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, that he or she had reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was lawful, and (b) such court also determines specifically tat indemnification should be denied under the underlying circumstances giving rise to such proceedings. The termination of any action, suit or proceeding by judgement, order, settlement or conviction or upon a plea of nolo contenders or its equivalent shall not, of itself, create a presumption that a person seeking indemnification did not act in good faith and in a manner which he or

she reasonably believed to be in the best interest of the corporation, and with respect to any criminal action or proceeding had reasonable cause to believe that his or her conduct was not unlawful.

- B. Expenses. To the extent that a director, officer, or agent of the corporation has been successful on the merits or otherwise in defense of any action, suit or proceeding referred to in this Article IX, or in defense of any claim, issue or matter therein, he or she shall be indemnified against all expenses including attorneys' fees actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection therewith.
- C. Advances. All expenses incurred in defending a civil or criminal action, suit or proceeding shall be paid by the corporation in advance of the final disposition of such action, suit or proceeding upon receipt of a written undertaking by or on hehalf of the proposed indemnites to repay such amount unless it shall be ultimately determined that such proposed indemnites is entitled to be indemnified by the corporation as authorized in this article IX.
- D. Miscellaneous. The indemnification provided by this Article shall not be deswed exclusive of any other rights to which one seeking indemnification my be entitled under any by-law agreement, corporate resolution, vote of the shareholders or otherwise, and such rights of an indemnitee shall also inure to his or her heirs and personal representatives.
- E. Insurance. The corporation shall have the power to purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of any person who is a director, officer, employee, or agent of the corporation, or who is serving, at the request of the corporation, as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, against liability arising by virtue as his or her acting in such capacity, or arising out of his or her status as such, whether or not the corporation would have the power to indemnify such a person directly under this Article IX.
- F. Amendment. Anything to the contrary contained herein notwithstanding, the provisions of the Article IX may not be amended without the approval in writing of all persons whose interests at the time the amendment is proposed would be adversely affected by such amendment.

# ARTICLE X - INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator is as follows:

NAME OF INCORPORATOR

Charles Howell, CPA

Dania Beach, FL 33004

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the incorporator, have executed these Articles of Incorporation this  $24^{\rm th}$  day of August, 2005.

Charles Howell, CPA, Incorporator

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### STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF BROWARD

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Charles Howell, CPA, Incorporator, to me well known and known by me to be the individuals described in and whom executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and they has acknowledged before me that they executed the same for the purposes therein expressed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my hand and official seal this 24th day of August, 2005.

NOTARY PUBLIC
PRINTED NAME OF NOTARY PUBLIC

My commission expires:

CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 48.091, FLORIDA STATUES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED:

FIRST--THAT CHARLES B. HOWELL, C.P.A., P.A., DESIRING TO ORGANIZE OR QUALIFY UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA WITH ITS PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS AT CITY OF PLANTATION, STATE OF FLORIDA, HAS NAMED CHARLES HOWELL, CPA, 18 NE 2<sup>ND</sup> AVE, DANIA BEACH, FLORIDA 33004, AS ITS REGISTERED AGENT TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA.

SIGNATURE CLEANE SECULOR REGISTERED AGENT

TITLE REGISTERED AGENT

DATE 8/14/05

HAVING BEEN NAMED TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED ORGANIZATION, AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY, AND I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUES RELATIVE TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF MY DUTIES.

CHARLES HOWELL, CPA, REGISTERED AGENT DATE 5 TYLOT

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