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Benefit Administrators of America, Inc.

P. O. Box 9120 Des Moines, Iowa 50306 515-243-3210

May 22, 1997

Florida Department of State Amendment Section Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314 500002192935--6 -0\$/28/97--01038--006 \*\*\*\*\*35.00 \*\*\*\*\*35.00

Re: Name Change of Benefit Administrators of America, Inc. to Wellmark Administrators, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

In follow-up to your letter, I am submitting the requested forms and documentation to process the above-referenced name change. Enclosed are the following:

- 1. Fully executed Application by Foreign Profit Corporation to File Amendment to Application for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida.
- 2. Our check in the amount of \$35.00 for the filing fee.
- 3. Certified copy of the Articles of Amendment.

Please process the name change as soon as possible. If you have any questions or need any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me directly at (515) 245-3989. Please send the Amended Authorization to my attention at 636 Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50309. Your assistance is appreciated

Sincerely, Bulan Lester Smith

**Brian Lester Smith** 

Counsel

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Benefit Administrators of America, Inc.

636 Grand Avenue Des Moines, Iowa 50309

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March 24, 1997

Division of Corporations Annual Reports Section Post Office Box 1500 Tallahassee, Florida 32302-1500

Re: Change of Name of Third Party Administrator Benefit Administrators of America, Inc.

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Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter is to inform you of the name change of Benefit Administrators of America, Inc. which is a third party administrator licensed to do business in your state. The new name of the company is "Wellmark Administrators, Inc." Enclosed please find a copy of the Articles of Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation filed with the Iowa Secretary of State, the Written Consent of the Board of Directors of Benefit Administrators of America, Inc., and the Written Consent of the Shareholder of Benefit Administrators of America, Inc. authorizing the name change. Also enclosed is a current list of the officers and directors of the company.

Please let me know if any additional information is required. You may contact me at the above address or by telephone at (515)245-3989.

Sincerely,

Brian Lester Smith

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Secretary and Counsel

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

April 8, 1997

Brian Lester Smith % BENEFIT ADMINISTRATORS OF AMERICA, INC 626 Grand Avenue Des Moines, IA 50309

SUBJECT: BENEFIT ADMINISTRATORS OF AMERICA, INC.

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This will acknowledge receipt of your correspondence which is being returned for the following reason(s):

An original, duly authenticated certificate from the state of incorporation/organization evidencing the amendment, must be submitted with the application. The certificate must have been issued within the past 90 days.

The fee to file articles of amendment is \$35. For each certified copy requested, please add an additional \$52.50.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (904) 487-6910.

Letter Number: 197A00017500

Louise Flemming-Jackson Corporate Specialist Supervisor

## PROFIT CORPORATION APPLICATION BY FOREIGN PROFIT CORPORATION TO FILE AMENDMENT TO APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

(Pursuant to s. 607.1504, F.S.)

SECTION I
(1-3 MUST BE COMPLETED)

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1. Benefit Administrators of America, Inc	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Name of corporation as it appears on the	e records of the Department of State.
2. Iowa Incorporated under laws of	3. April 12, 1987  Date authorized to do business in Florida
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SECTION (4-7 COMPLETE ONLY THE	
4. If the amendment changes the name of the corporation, w	then was the change effected under the laws of
its jurisdiction of incorporation? March 4, 1997	
5. Wellmark Administrators, Inc.  Name of corporation after the amendment, adding suffix "corporation contained in new name of the corporation.	" "company" or "incorporated," or appropriate abbreviation, if not
6. If the amendment changes the period of duration, indicate	e new period of duration.
N/A New Du	ration
7. If the amendment changes the jurisdiction of incorporation	on, indicate new jurisdiction.
N/A New Juris	diction
Buan Lester Smith	May 2, 1997 Date
Brian L. Smith	Secretary
Typed or printed name	Title

## ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF BENEFIT ADMINISTRATORS OF AMERICA, INC

TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

Pursuant to Section 1003 of the Iowa Business Corporation Act, the undersigned Corporation adopts the following amendment to the Corporation Articles of Incorporation.

- 1. The name of the Corporation is Benefit Administrators of America, Inc.
- 2. Article I is deleted in its entirety and the following new Article I is substituted in its place:

The name of the Corporation shall be Wellmark Administrators, Inc.

- 3. The amendment was adopted by the board of directors and approved by the shareholder on February 21, 1997.
- 4. The number of outstanding shares of common stock is 400,000; the number of votes entitled to be cast is 400,000; and the number of votes represented at the meeting was 400,000.
- 5. The number of votes cast for the amendment was 400,000; the number of votes against the amendment was zero.

Benefit Administrators of America, Inc.

Paula R. Ryas

President

Date: 2-26-97

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