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**Advest** ADVEST, INC.  
A Subsidiary of The Advest Group, Inc.  
90 State House Square  
Hartford, CT 06103

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**NEW FILINGS**

- ☐ Profit  
☐ Not for Profit  
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☐ Domestication  
☐ Other

**AMENDMENTS**

- ☐ Amendment  
☐ Resignation of R.A., Officer/Director  
☐ Change of Registered Agent  
☐ Dissolution/Withdrawal  
☐ Merger

**OTHER FILINGS**

- ☐ Annual Report  
☐ Fictitious Name

**REGISTRATION/QUALIFICATION**

- ☐ Foreign  
☐ Limited Partnership  
☐ Reinstatement  
☐ Trademark  
☐ Other

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N/C

V. SHEPARD JUL 18 2000

Examiner's Initials



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Katherine Harris  
Secretary of State

May 31, 2000

ADVEST, INC.  
90 STATE HOUSE SQUARE  
HARTFORD, CT 06103

SUBJECT: BOSTON SECURITY COUNSELLORS, INC.  
Ref. Number: P39842

We have received your document for BOSTON SECURITY COUNSELLORS, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$35.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(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.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 487-6909.

Velma Shepard  
Corporate Specialist

Letter Number: 100A00030544

# Advest

ADVEST, INC.

*A Subsidiary of The Advest Group, Inc.*

*Serving Investors Since 1898*

90 State House Square  
Hartford, CT 06103  
(860) 509-1000

Via Federal Express

July 11, 2000

Velma Shepard  
Corporate Specialist  
Florida Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
409 East Gaines Street  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Dear Ms. Shepard:

Enclosed please find the document returned to us on Boston Security Counsellors Inc. In addition, I have enclosed an original, duly authenticated certificate from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, evidencing the amendment. This certificate was issued within the regulated 90 days.

Should you have any questions concerning the filing, please call me at 860-289-9201.

Sincerely,



Cheryl Gillespie  
Legal Assistant

Enclosures

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**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)**

FILED STATE  
SECRETARY OF CORPORATIONS  
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1. Boston Security Counsellors, Inc.  
Name of corporation as it appears on the records of the Department of State.
2. Massachusetts 3. July 29, 1992  
Incorporated under laws of Date authorized to do business in Florida

**SECTION II**  
**(4-7 COMPLETE ONLY THE APPLICABLE CHANGES)**

4. If the amendment changes the name of the corporation, when was the change effected under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation? 1-12-1998
5. Boston Advisors, Inc.  
Name of corporation after the amendment, adding suffix "corporation" "company" or "incorporated," or appropriate abbreviation, if not contained in new name of the corporation.
6. If the amendment changes the period of duration, indicate new period of duration.  
N/A  
New Duration
7. If the amendment changes the jurisdiction of incorporation, indicate new jurisdiction.  
N/A  
New Jurisdiction

Lee G. Kuchro  
Signature

4/19/00  
Date

Lee G. Kuchro  
Typed or printed name

Clerk  
Title



William Francis Galvin  
Secretary of the  
Commonwealth

# *The Commonwealth of Massachusetts*

*Secretary of the Commonwealth*

*State House, Boston, Massachusetts 02133*

July 6, 2000

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

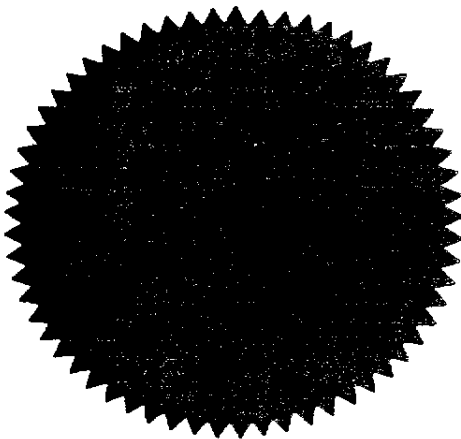
I hereby certify that according to records in this office, BOSTON SECURITY COUNSELLORS, INC. was incorporated under the General Laws of this Commonwealth on March 8, 1982.

I further certify that in Articles of Amendment filed here January 12, 1998 the name of said corporation was changed to BOSTON ADVISORS, INC.

I also certify that said corporation was dissolved on December 31, 1990 under the provisions of Chapter 156B, Section 101.

I further certify that said corporation was revived under the provisions of Chapter 156B, Section 108 on June 23, 1992.

I also certify that no other amendments to the Articles of Organization appear of record here in this office and said corporation still has a legal existence.



In testimony of which,

I have hereunto affixed the

Great Seal of the Commonwealth

on the date first above written.

*William Francis Galvin*

Secretary of the Commonwealth

\*MGL C156B, S83A provides that certain consolidations and mergers may be filed with the Division within thirty days after the effective date of the merger or consolidation.