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James Babcock
Novus Corporation
316 Fairwood Court
Oldsmar, FL 34677

March 28, 1995

Secretary of State
Division of Corporations
P.O. Box 6327
Taliahassee, FL 32314

Re: Novus Corporation

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Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find the original and one copy of Articles of Incorporation, together with a check in the amount of \$122.50. This represents the cost of the Filing Fees, Certified Copy of Articles of Incorporation and Fee for Registered Agent Designation for the above-named corporation.

Very truly yours,

James Babcock Novus Corporation

Enclosures

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SUSAN ALVAREZ
My Commission CC341361

Expires Jan. 11, 1988 Bonded by ANB 4/1/93

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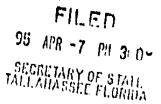
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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NOVUS CORPORATION



The undersigned subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation, a natural person competent to contract, hereby forms a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I - CORPORATE NAME

The name of the corporation is Novus Corporation

ARTICLE II - DURATION

The corporation shall exist perpetually unless dissolved according to Florida law.

ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

The corporation is organized for the purpose of engaging in any activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States and the State of Florida.

ARTICLE IV - CAPITAL STOCK

The corporation is authorized to issue one thousand (1,000) shares of one cent (\$.01) par value Common Stock, which shall be designated "Common Shares".

ARTICLE V - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The name and street address of the Initial Registered Office and Agent of this Corporation is:

James Babcock 316 Fairwood Court Oldsmar, FL 34677

ARTICLE VI - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have three (3) directors. Initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than one (1). The names and addresses of the initial directors of the corporation is as follows:

James Babcock 316 Fairwood Court Oldsmar, FL 34677 President

Robert O'Connell 316 Fairwood Court Oldsmar, FL 34677 Vice-President

Jeffrey P. Davenport Plaza Tower, Ninth Floor 111 2nd Avenue N.E. St. Petersburg, FL 33701 Secretary-Treasurer

The method of electing directors shall be stated in the corporation's bylaws.

ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATORS

The name and addresss of the person signing these Articles of Incorporation is as follows:

James Babcock 316 Fairwood Court Oldsmar, FL 34677

ARTICLE VIII - CORPORATE OFFICE

The corporation's principal office and mailing address shall be as follows:

316 Fairwood Court Oldsmar, FL 34677 Notary Public, State of Florida at Large

My Commission Expires:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has executed these Articles

CERTIFICATE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

OF REGISTERED AGENT

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CERTIFICATE OF REGISTERED AGENT OF NOVUS CORPORATION

Pursuant to Florida Statues Sections 48.091 and 607.0501, the following is submitted:

The above corporation, desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its registered office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at:

316 Fairwood Court Oldsmar, FL 34677

has named James Babcock, located at the aforesald address, as its Registered Agent to accept service of process within this state.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provisions of Florida Law in keeping open said office.

James Babcock
Registered Agent