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RE: HBC, Inc.

Dear Sirs/Madam:

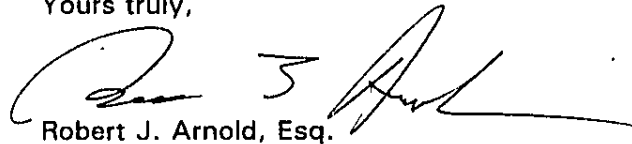
Enclosed herewith are the original and a copy of the Articles of Incorporation for HBC, Inc and our check for \$122.50 computed as follows:

Filing Fee	\$35.00
Certified Copy	\$52.50
Registered Agent Designation	\$35.00

Please certify the copy of the Articles and return it to us in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

If you should have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Yours truly,


Robert J. Arnold, Esq.

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February 1, 1996

ROBERT J. ARNOLD, P.A.
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SUBJECT: HBC, INC.
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We have received your document for HBC, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$122.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity. Simply adding "of Florida" or "Florida" to the end of an entity name **DOES NOT** constitute a difference. Please select a new name and make the substitution in all appropriate places. One or more words may be added to make the name distinguishable from the one presently on file.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
BRIDGE INVESTMENT GROUP, INC.

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The undersigned hereby makes and subscribes to these Articles Incorporation intending to form a corporation under the provisions of the Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation is Bridge Investment Group, Inc.

ARTICLE II

The Corporation may engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United States and of the State of Florida. While engaging in such activity or business, it may exercise all of the powers and privileges conferred by the Florida General Corporation Act as presently in effect and as it may be amended from time to time in the future.

ARTICLE III

The aggregate number of shares which the Corporation shall have the authority to issue shall be 100 no par common stock.

All of said stock shall be payable in cash, patents, stock, notes, accounts, claims, real estate or other property at a just valuation to be fixed by the Board of Directors at a meeting called for that purpose. Property, but not labor or services, may be purchased or paid for with the capital stock at a just valuation to be fixed by the Board of Directors at a meeting called for that purpose.

ARTICLE IV

The street address of the Corporation shall be 6400 Northwest 6th Way, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309. The name of the Corporation's initial registered agent is Robert J. Arnold.

ARTICLE V

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of this Corporation is three (3). The names and street addresses of the initial director of this Corporation is:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
<i>George Halmos</i>	<i>6400 Northwest 6th Way Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309</i>
<i>Clara Halmos</i>	<i>6400 Northwest 6th Way Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309</i>
<i>Robert Arnold</i>	<i>6400 Northwest 6th Way Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309</i>

The initial directors may serve from time to time and may, by resolution, fix the number constituting the Board of Directors and may also name the persons to fill vacancies on the Board of Directors created by an increase in the number of directors which occurs between annual meetings.

ARTICLE VI

The name and address of the incorporator is Robert Arnold, 6400 Northwest 6th Way, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309.

ARTICLE VII

It is the intention of the corporation to indemnify its officers, directors, employees and agents to the full extent permitted by Section 607.014, Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE VIII

Anything to the contrary contained in these Articles of Incorporation notwithstanding, if the shareholders of the Corporation shall so elect, they may exercise all powers and conduct the business and affairs of this Corporation in

lien of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE IX

Directors of this Corporation need not be residents of the State of Florida, unless otherwise provided in the by-laws of the Corporation.

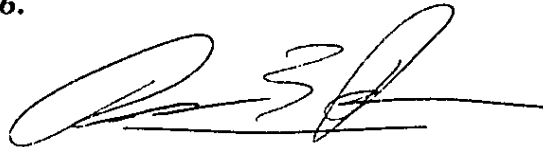
ARTICLE X

Members of the Board of Directors may participate in special meetings of the Board of Directors by means of a conference telephone as provided by law, but regular meetings of the Board of Directors must be attended in fact in person by each director.

ARTICLE XI

The Corporation, its shareholders, or any combination of the Corporation and its shareholders, may enter into agreements limiting or restricting free transfers of shares of its capital stock. Any such agreements will be valid and enforceable among the parties to such agreements and, when the existence of such agreement is noted on the face or on the back of the certificates representing any such shares, such agreements will be binding and enforceable upon any transferee or successor of any party to such agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this
24th day of February, 1996.



STATE OF FLORIDA)
COUNTY OF BROWARD)

THE FORGOING INSTRUMENT was acknowledged before me this

9th day of February, 1996, by Robert Arnold, who personally appeared before me at the time of notarization, and who is personally known to me or who has produced his Florida's Drivers license as identification and who did take an oath.

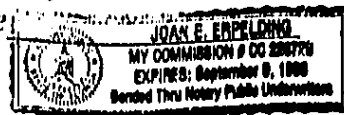
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My Commission Expires

NOTARY PUBLIC

Signature Joan E. Erpelino

Printed Name



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

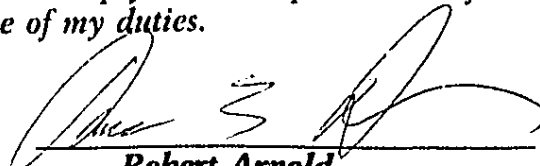
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In compliance with Sections 48.091 and 620.192, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted.

That Bridge Investment Group, Inc. desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal place of business at 6400 Northwest 6th Way Fort Lauderdale, Florida named Robert Arnold located at 6400 Northwest 6th Way Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309, as its agent to accept service of process within Florida.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, 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 statutes relative to the proper performance of my duties.



Robert Arnold

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