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CAPITAL CONNECTION, INC. P O BOX 10349 TALLAHASSEE, FL 32302

SUBJECT: SAKURA U.S.A., INC. Ref. Number: W96000004484

We have received your document for SAKURA U.S.A., INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The registered agent and registered office listed in your articles of incorporation must be consistent throughout the document.

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

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

The undersigned incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation, by these articles form a corporation for profit, pursuat to the laws of the State of Florida.

FIRST: The name of the corporation is SAKURA U.S.A., INC.

SECOND: The period of duration of the corporation is perpetual.

THIRD: The purpose is to engage in activity of business permitted under the laws of the United States and Florida,

FOURTH: The aggregate number of shares of Capital stock which the Corporation has authority to issue is 100 (One Hundred), all of which shall be one class of common stock having no par value.

FIFTH: The address of its initial registered office is 385 West 49th. Street, Hialeah, Florida 33012, and the name of the initial registered agent is Gilbert S. Venero.

SIXTH: The initial board of director will consist of two (2) directors, whose name and address are as follows: Gilbert S. Venero, whose address is 5791 West 20th. Court, Hinleah, Florida 33016; Masanki Yamamoto, whose address is 9020 N.W. 8th. Street, #311, Miami, Florida 33172.

SEVENTH: The name and address of the incorporator is Gilbert S. Venero, whose address is 385 West 49th. Street, Suite A, Hinlenh, Florida 33012,

EIGHTH: Preemptive rights shall be as follows: The shareholder of stock of this Corporation shall be entitled to full preemptive right to purchase unissued or treasury stock of the corporation convertible into or carrying a right to subscribe to acquire shares of any unissued or treasury stock.

NINTH: The initial street address of the principle office of the Corporation in the State of Florida is 385 West 49th. Street, Suite A, Hialcah, Florida 33012.

TENTH: The corporation shall indemnify Incorporators, Officers and Directors to the full extent permitted by law.

ELEVENTH: A. The corporation adopts all contracts made on its behalf by the before-mentioned incorporator.

- B. The Corporation authorizes its director to reimburse the before-mentioned incorporator for any and all expenses incurred on behalf of the Corporation, prior to its incorporation and for any and all expenses incurred in the organization and formation of the Corporation.
- C. The directors of this Corporation shall have the sole discretion to determine the expenses for which the before-mentioned incorporator shall be reimbursed.

TWELFTH: The corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation.

## **ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION** SAKURA U.S.A., INC.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation of SAKURA U.S.A., INC. this 26th, day of February, 1996,

**GILBERT S. VENERO** INCORPORATOR

STATE OF FLORIDA:

SS:

RICHARD J. ADAMS
MY COMMISSION # CC 459187
EXPIRES: May 3, 1999
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with A. Colon COUNTY OF DADE: ON THIS 26th day of February, 1996, before me, a notary public duly authorized in the State of Florida,

County of Dade, personally appeared GILBERT S. VENERO, known to me to be the persons described and who subscribed the above Articles of Incorporation, and who acknowledged the he executed the Articles of Incorporation for the purpose contained herein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal on the day an year aforesaid.

## CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING THE ADDRESS AND AGENT UPON WHO

SAKURA U.S.A., INC., desiring to organize as a Corporation for profit under the lines of the State of Plorida, which will have its principal office in Florida, has named GILBERT'S. VENERO, Accepted into TATE 385 West 49th Street, Sulte A, Hinlehh, Fl. 33012 service of process within this state. TALLAHA63EBEPÜÜRLEACPI

## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above-described corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, the provisions of all statues relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I specifically accept the duties and obligations prescribed by Section 607,325, Florida Statues.

GILDERT'S VENERO

REGISTERED AGENT

STATE OF FLORIDA:

SS: COUNTY OF DADE:

RICHARD J. ADAMS MY COMMISSION # CC 459187 EXPINES: May 3, 1999 Bonded Thru Notary Public Underwriters 2/26/96

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED this 26th, day of February, 1996

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