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April 3, 1996

Secretary of State FLORIDA DEPT. OF DIVISION OF CORPORATION P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

Re: Perkins & Company, Inc.

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Dear Secretary:

Enclosed please find an original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation of Perkins & Company, Inc. together with a check in the amount of \$122.50. representing the cost of incorporation. Please file the necessary papers and return to this office in the enclosed self-addressed prepaid envelope a copy of same.

Thank you. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely yours,

FRED H. GELSTON

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF PERKINS & COMPANY, INC.

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act, do hereby adopt the following articles of incorporation:

ARTICLE ONE NAME

The name of the corporation is PERKINS & COMPANY, INC.

ARTICLE TWO CORPORATE DURATION

The duration of the corporation is perpetual. The corporate existence is to commence at the time of the filing of the articles of incorporation by the Department of State.

ARTICLE THREE PURPOSE OR PURPOSES

The general purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

- To engage in the business of risk management.
- 2. To transact any other lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the Florida General Corporation Act or engage in any other trade or business which can, in the opinion of the board of directors of the corporation, be advantageously carried on in connection with or auxiliary to the foregoing business.
- 3. To do such other things as are incidental to the foregoing or necessary or desirable in order to accomplish the foregoing.

ARTICLE FOUR CAPITALIZATIONN

The aggregate number of shares which the corporation is authorized to issue

is One Thousand (1,000). Such shares shall be of a single class, and shall have a par value of One (\$1.00) Dollar per share or be without par value.

ARTICLE FIVE REGISTERED OFFICE, AGENT AND PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 601 N. Dixie Highway, Ste. B, P.O. Box 4507, West Palm Boach, Florida 33402-4507, and the name of its initial registered agent is Fred H. Gelston, Esquiro. The principal place of business is at P.O. Box 1038, Sanibel, Florida 33957.

ARTICLE SIX DIRECTORS

The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors of the corporation is one. The name and address of each person who is to serve as a member of the inial board of directors is:

Name

Address

Diane Perkins

16876 Coriander

Lane, Ft. Meyers, FL

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ARTICLE SEVEN INCORPORATORS

The name and address of each incorporator is:

Name

Address

Diane Perkins

16876 Coriander Lane, Ft. Meyers, FL 33908

Executed by the undesigned at West Palm Beach on 3 day of April, 1996.

Incorporator

Diane Perkins

CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING REGISTERED OFFICE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

Pursuant to Chapter 48.091 and Chapter 607.034, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with said Act:

That PERKINS & COMPANY, INC. desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its registered office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at Palm Beach County, State of Florida, has named Fred H. Gelston, Esquire whose address is 601 N. Dixie Highway, Ste B., P.O. Box 4507, West Palm Beach, FL 33402-4507 as its agent to accept service of process within this State.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

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 said Act relative to keeping open said office.

Dated this <u>3</u> day of April, 1996.

By: Keel M. Releton
Fred H. Gelston, Esquire