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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

## FIRST STATEWIDE ADJUSTERS, INC.

The undersigned, desiring to form a corporation for the purpose hereinafter stated under and pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida, do hereby declare as follows:

#### ARTICLE I

## NAME

The name of the corporation shall be FIRST STATEWIDE ADJUSTERS, INC.

#### ARTICLE II

# BUSINESS AND PURPOSE

The nature of the business which may be transacted by the corporation is as follows:

This corporation may engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the State of Florida, and shall enjoy all the rights and privileges of a corporation granted by the laws of the State of Florida.

#### ARTICLE III

## STOCK

The maximum number of shares of stock which this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any time shall be 1000 shares of common stock having a par value of \$1.00 per share.

# ARTICLE IV

# TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation shall have a perpetual existence unless sooner dissolved according to law.

## ARTICLE V

## PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal office or place of business of the corporation shall be located at 857 S.E. Forgal Street, Port St. Lucie, Florida 34983, with the privilege of having its offices and branch offices at such other places within or without the State of Florida.

## ARTICLE VI

## REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The Registered Agent of this corporation shall be Bobbie Reynolds, a resident of Florida, and the Registered Office of the corporation shall be 857 S.E. Forgal Street, Port St. Lucie, Florida 34983.

## ARTICLE VII

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The affairs of this corporation shall be conducted by a board of not less than one and not more than seven directors.

## ARTICLE VIII

## INITIAL DIRECTORS

The names and street addresses of the first Board of Directors, who, subject to the provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, shall hold office for the first year of the corporation's existence or until their successors are elected and shall have qualified, are the following:

NAME

## <u>ADDRESS</u>

Bobbie Reynolds

857 S.E. Forgal Street Port St. Lucie, Florida 34983

## ARTICLE IX INITIAL OFFICERS

The names, offices, and street addresses of the first officers of this corporation, who, subject to the provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, shall hold office for the first year of the corporation's existence or until their successors are elected and shall have qualified, are the following:

NAME

## OFFICE

## **ADDRESS**

BOBBIE REYNULDS

President/Vice President/ 857 S.E. Forgal Street Secretary/Treasurer

Port St. Lucie, FL 34983

#### ARTICLE XI

# INCORPORATOR

The names and addresses of the persons signing these Articles of Incorporation are Bobbie Reynolds, 857 S.E. Forgal Street, Port St. Lucie, Florida 34983.

## ARTICLE XII

## BEGINNING OF CORPORATE EXISTENCE

The corporate existence of this corporation shall commence at 8:00 a.m. on the day of filing of these Articles of Incorporation.

STATE OF FLORIDA ]

COUNTY OF ST. LUCIE ]

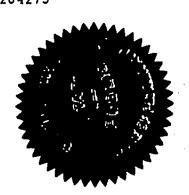
ON THIS DAY, before me, an officer duly authorized to administer oaths and take acknowledgments in the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared BOBBIE REYNOLDS, personally known to me and to me well known to be the incorporator of FIRST STATEWIDE ADJUSTERS, INC., who acknowledged that he executed the same as such incorporator for the purposes therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at Port St. Lucie, County of St. Lucie, State of Florida, on this day of May, 1996.

Sharon A. Evans, Notary Public Stata Of Florida, At Large Commission Number: CC-204275

My Commission Expires:

OFFICIAL NOTARY SEAL SHARON A EVANS NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF FLORIDA COMMISSION NO. CC201275 MY COMMISSION EXP. MAY 23,1996



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

In pursuance of Chapter 48.081, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with said Act:

- 1. FIRST STATEWIDE ADJUSTERS, INC., arising to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at the City of Port St. Lucie, State of Florida, has named Bobbie Reynolds, located at 857 S.E. Forgal Street, Port St. Lucie, Florida 34983, as its agent to accept service of process within this State.
- 2. 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.

Bobbie Revnolds