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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF HCB CONSULTING, INC.

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The undersigned hereby makes, subscribes, acknowledges, and files this certificate for the purpose of becoming a corporation for profit under the laws of the State of Florida:

ARTICLE I

<u>Name</u>

The name of this Corporation shall be HCB CONSULTING, INC.

ARTICLE II

Purpose

This Corporation shall be organized for any business or purpose which is lawful under the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE III

<u>Agent</u>

The registered agent of this Corporation shall be Charles L. Cooper, Jr. The address of the registered agent shall be 215 S. Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32301.

ARTICLE IV

Existence

This Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE V

Address

The initial street address of the principal office of this Corporation shall be 27 Magnolia Dunes Lane, Panama City Beach, Florida 32407.

ARTICLE VI

Capital Stock

The authorized capital stock of this Corporation shall consist of 100,000 shares of voting common stock having a par value of One Dollar (\$1.00) each.

ARTICLE VII

Preemptive Rights, Cumulative Voting

Holders of the capital stock of the Corporation shall not have the preemptive right to purchase any new shares of stock or securities, or rights to acquire stock or securities of the Corporation. Cumulative voting shall not be allowed in the election of its directors or for any other purposes.

ARTICLE VIII

Directors

This Corporation shall have no less than one director (1) nor more than seven (7). The number on the Board shall be set from time to time by the Board of Directors of the Corporation, or by the stockholders at an annual or special meeting thereof. The names of the members of the initial Board of Directors are as follows:

<u>Name</u>

<u>Address</u>

Henry C. Browne

27 Magnolia Dunes Lane Panama City Beach, Florida 32407

ARTICLE IX

Incorporator

The name and address of the Incorporator is: Charles L. Cooper, Jr., 215 S. Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32301.

ARTICLE X

Officers

The officers of the Corporation shall be a president, vice president and a treasurer, and such other officers or agents as may be appointed by the Board of Directors. All officers, agents or employees as may be necessary shall be chosen in such a manner, for such time, and have such duties as may be described by the By-Laws or determined by the Board of Directors. The names of the initial officers are as follows:

Office

<u>Name</u>

President, Secretary and Treasurer

Henry C. Browne

ARTICLE XI

Indemnification

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The Corporation shall indemnify any person who was or is a party, or is threatened to be made a party, to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative, or investigative, by reason of the fact that he is or was a director, officer, employee, or agent of the Corporation, or is, or was serving at the request of the Corporation as a director, officer, employee, or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, or other enterprise, against expenses (including attorneys' fees, judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement) actually and reasonably incurred by him in connection with such action, suit or proceeding, including appeals, to the full extent permitted under Chapter 607, Florida Statutes.

Indemnification as provided hereunder shall continue as to a person who has ceased to be a director, officer, employee, or agent and shall inure to the benefit of his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the undersigned Incorporator, hereby set my hand and seal this 25th day of
BEFORE ME, the undersigned officer, duly authorized to take acknowledgments and administer oaths, personally appeared
Personally known to meor produced the following identification:

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CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

Pursuant to the provisions of section 607.0501, Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation, organized under the laws of the state of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered office/registered agent, in the state of

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1. The name of the corporation is: HCB CONSULTING, INC.
2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is: Charles L. Cooper, Jr.
(NAME)
215 S. Monroe Street
(P.O. BOX NOT ACCEPTABLE)
Tallahassee, Florida 32301
(CITY/STATE/ZIP)
SIGNATURE DE CAROLO.
TITLE Incorporator
DATE 5-28-96
HAVING BEEN NAMED AS REGISTERED AGENT AND TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY ACCEPT THE APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT AND AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY. I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATING TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF MY DUTIES, AND I AM FAMILIAR WITH AND ACCEPT THE OBLIGATIONS OF MY POSITION AS REGISTERED ACCEPT.

POSITION AS REGISTERED AGENT.

SIGNATURE DATE 5- 28

REGISTERED AGENT FILING FEE:

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