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ROYAL OAKS PLAZA, THEORPORATED CHARACTERS C

The undersigned incorporator executes these Articles of Incorporation (these "Articles") and causes them to be delivered to the Florida Department of State for filing, for the purpose of incorporating a corporation for profit under the Florida Business Corporation Act.

# ARTICLE I (Name of the Corporation)

The name of the corporation is ROYAL OAKS PLAZA, INCORPORATED (the "Corporation").

## ARTICLE II (Principal Office of the Corporation)

The address of the principal office of the corporation is: 107 Southwest 17th Street, Okeechobee, Florida 34974.

### ARTICLE III (Authorized Shares of the Corporation)

The Corporation shall have authority to issue 10,000 common shares. The shares shall have a par value of \$1.00 per share.

### ARTICLE IV (Registered Office of the Corporation)

The street address of the Corporation's initial registered office is: 107 Southwest 17th Street, Okeechobee, Florida 34974.

#### ARTICLE V (Registered Agent of the Corporation)

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The Corporation's initial registered agent is: Moseley C. Collins (the "Registered Agent"). To signify acceptance of appointment as registered agent, the Registered Agent has signed these Articles pursuant to Section 607.0501, Florida Statutes.

#### ARTICLE VI (Identification of Incorporator)

The name and street address of the incorporator is: Moseley C. Collins, 107 Southwest 17th Street, Okeechobee, Florida 34974.

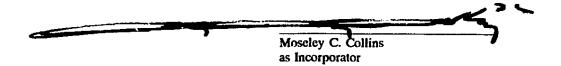
#### ARTICLE VII (Corporate Existence)

The time and date on which the corporate existence of this Corporation shall begin is: 12:01 a.m. (Local Time) on May 31, 1996.

## ARTICLE VIII (Shareholders' Preemptive Rights)

When a new issue of shares of the Corporation is offered by it for sale and the consideration to be paid for such issue is to be paid in cash, each existing shareholder of the Corporation shall have the preemptive right to purchase his or her pro rata number of shares, or fraction thereof, at the price at which the newly issued shares are to be offered for sale to other persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles and causes them to be delivered to the Florida Department of State for filing, as of the date and time indicated in Article VII hereof, in accordance with the Florida Business Corporation Act, on May 31, 1996.



#### ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT APPOINTMENT

The Registered Agent hereby accepts the appointment as the registered agent of the Corporation and states that he or she is familiar with, and accepts the obligations under Section 607.0505, Florida Statutes.





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January 15, 1997

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SUBJECT: ROYAL OAKS PLAZA, INCORPORATED

Rof. Number: P96000047161

We have received your document for ROYAL OAKS PLAZA, INCORPORATED and your check(s) totaling \$35.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

If an amendment was approved by the shareholders, the date of adoption of the amendment and one of the following statements must be contained in the document:

(1) A statement that the number of votes cast for the amendment

by the shareholders was sufficient for approval.

(2) If more than one voting group was entitled to vote on the amendment, a statement designating each voting group entitled to vote separately on the amendment and a statement that the number of votes cast for the amendment by the shareholders in each voting group was sufficient for approval by that voting group.

If an amendment was adopted by the incorporators or board of directors without shareholder action, a statement to that effect and that shareholder action was not required must be contained in 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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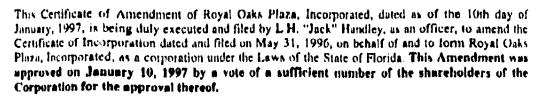
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#### CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

of

#### ROYAL OAKS PLAZA, INCORPORATED



1. Name of Corporation: Royal Oaks Plaza, Incorporated

2. Document Number: P96000047161

3. (intentionally omitted)

4, Effective Date: January 10, 1997

5. The Certificate of Incorporation is amended as follows:

Purpose. The sole purpose of the Corporation shall hereafter be to own and manage the real property located in Okeechobee County, Florida, more specifically described below (the "Mortgaged Premises"), to enter into a loan agreement with First Connecticut Consulting Group, Inc. ("FCCG") for a Loan secured by the Mortgaged Premises (the "Mortgage Loan"), and to engage in incidental activities in connection with the foregoing.

#### Mortgaged Premises

A PORTION OF THE AMENDED PLAT OF OWNERSHIP OF R. E. HAMRICK AND ANNIE B. HAMRICK, SECTION 5, TOWNSHIP 38 SOUTH, RANGE 36 EAST, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 3, PAGE 58, PUBLIC RECORDS OF OKEECHOBEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, LYING EAST OF SOUTH FLORIDA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT CANAL NO. 59, AND NORTH OF STATE ROAD NO. 15 AS NOW MAINTAINED, CONSTRUCTED AND EXISTING. BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

COMMENCING AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 5, BEAR S 00 DEGREES 38' 44" E ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID SECTION 5 TO THE INTERSECTION WITH THE EASTERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID S.F.W.M.D. CANAL NO. 59. AND THE WESTERLY LINE OF ANCIENT OAKS R. V. RESORT COMPLEX, AS RECORDED IN CONDOMINIUM BOOK 1, PAGES 1 THROUGH 9. PUBLIC RECORDS OF OKEECHOBEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, A DISTANCE OF 2352.79 FEET; THENCE BEAR N 40 DEGREES 22' 00" E ALONG THE EASTERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID S.F.W.M.D. CANAL NO. 59 A DISTANCE OF 479.29 FEET; THENCE

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BEAR N 31 DEGREES 08'00" E ALONG THE EASTERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID S.F.W.M.D. CANAL NO. 59 TO THE NORTHEASTERLY CORNER OF SAID ANCIENT OAKS R. V. RESORT COMPLEX A DISTANCE OF 1375.01 FEET; THENCE CONTINUE N 31 DEGREES 08' 00" E ALONG THE EASTERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID S F.W.M.D. CANAL NO. 59, THROUGH SECTIONS 5 AND 32, A DISTANCE OF 1708.65 FEET; THENCE BEAR S 50 DEGREES 21' 11 " E A DISTANCE OF 425.65 FEET; THENCE BEAR N 39 DEGREES 38' 49" E TO THE INTERSECTION WITH THE NORTHERLY LINE OF SAID AMENDED PLAT OF OWNERSHIP OF R. E. HAMRICK AND ANNIE R. HAMRICK AND THE HOPKINS MEANDER LINE A DISTANCE OF 197.80 FEET; THENCE BEAR \$ 50 DEGREES 21' 11" E TO THE MEANDER CORNER ON THE LINE BETWEEN SECTIONS 5 AND 32 A DISTANCE OF 811.71 FEET; THENCE BEAR S 58 DEGREES 05' 04" E ON SAID NORTHERLY LINE OF AMENDED PLAT OF OWNERSHIP OF R. E. HAMRICK AND ANNIE B. HAMRICK AND THE HOPKINS MEANDER LINE TO THE NORTHWESTERLY CORNER OF AMENDED PLAT OF OWNERSHIP OF R. E. HAMRICK AND ANNIE B. HAMRICK A DISTANCE OF 1148.43 FEET; THENCE BEAR S 30 DEGREES 42' 39" W ALONG THE EASTERLY LINE OF AMENDED PLAT OF OWNERSHIP R. E. HAMRICK AND ANNIE B. HAMRICK FOR A DISTANCE OF 2690.08 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUE S 30 DEGREES 42' 39" W ALONG THE EASTERLY LINE OF AMENDED PLAT OF OWNERSHIP OF R. E. HAMRICK AND ANNIE B. HAMRICK FOR A DISTANCE OF 900.00 FEET TO THE NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF STATE ROAD 15; THENCE BEAR N 68 DEGREES 38'44" W ALONG THE SAID NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF STATE ROAD NO. 15 TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID ANCIENT OAKS R. V. RESORT COMPLEX, A DISTANCE OF 1277.23 FEET; THENCE BEAR N 40 DEGREES 22' 00" E ALONG THE EASTERLY LINE OF ANCIENT OAKS R. V. RESORT COMPLEX A DISTANCE OF 690.91 FEET; THENCE BEAR N 31 DEGREES 08' 00" E CONTINUING ALONG SAID EASTERLY LINE OF ANCIENT OAKS R. V. RESORT COMPLEX, A DISTANCE OF 426.55 FEET; THENCE BEAR S 59 DEGREES 17' 21" E A DISTANCE OF 1141.20 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING OF THIS DESCRIPTION.

- 5.2 The Corporation's ability to incur indebtedness, other than the Mortgage Loan, shall be limited to the liabilities incurred in the ordinary course of business which are related to the ownership and operation of the Mortgaged Premises.
- 5.3 The Corporation is prohibited from engaging in any dissolution, liquidation, consolidation, merger, or sale of assets, for so long as the Mongage Loan is outstanding.
- 5.4 The Corporation's ability to enter into transactions with affiliates shall be limited to transactions on arm's-length basis and on commercially reasonable terms.
- 5.5 So long as the Mortgage Loan is outstanding, no transfer of any direct or indirect ownership interest in the Corporation shall be made such that the transferee owns more than a 49% interest in the Corporation.

- 5.6 So long as the Mortgage Loan is outstanding, the Articles of Incorporation must contain the following Separateness Provisions:
  - (a) This Corporation shall maintain books and records separate from any other person or entity;
  - (b) This Corporation shall maintain its bank accounts separate from any other person or entity;
  - (c) This Corporation shall not commingle its assets with those of any other person or entity and shall hold all of its assets in its own name;
  - (d) This Corporation shall conduct its own business in its own name;
  - (e) This Corporation shall maintain separate financial statements, showing its assets and liabilities separate and apart from those of any other person or entity;
  - (f) This Corporation shall pay its own liabilities and expenses only out of its own funds;
  - (g) This Corporation shall, as appropriate for the organizational structure of the Corporation, observe all corporate and other organizational formatities;
  - (h) This Corporation shall maintain an arm's length relationship with its affiliates and enter into transactions with affiliates only on a commercially reasonable basis;
  - (i) This Corporation shall pay the salaries of its own employees from its own funds,
  - (j) This Corporation shall maintain a sufficient number of employees in light of its contemplated business operations;
  - (k) This Corporation shall not guarantee or become obligated for the debts of any other entity or person:
  - (1) This Corporation shall not hold out its credit as being available to satisfy the obligations of any other person or entity;
  - (m) This Corporation shall not acquire the obligations or securities of its affiliates or owners.

- (n) This Corporation shall not make loans to any other person or entity or to buy or hold evidence of indebtedness issued by any other person or entity (other than each and investment-grade securities);
- (0) This Corporation shall allocate fairly and reasonably any overhead expenses that are shared with an affiliate, including paying for office space and services performed by any employee of an affiliate;
- (p) This Corporation, shall use separate stationery, invoices, and checks bearing its own name;
- (q) This Corporation shall not pledge its assets for the benefit of any other person or entity;
- (r) This Corporation shall hold itself out as a separate identity;
- (s) This Corporation shall correct any known misunderstanding regarding its separate identity:
- (t) This Corporation shall not identify itself as a division of any other person or entity; and
- (u) This Corporation shall maintain adequate capital in light of its contemplated business operations.
- 5.7 So long as the Mortgage Loan is outstanding, the Corporation shall have at least one "Independent Director", selected by FCCG..

Independent Director" shall mean a director of the Corporation who is not at the time of initial appointment and has not been at any time during the preceding five (5) years: (a) a stockholder, director, officer, employee or partner of the Corporation or any affiliate of either of them. (b) a customer, supplier or other person who derives more than 10% of its purchases or revenues from its activities with the Corporation or any affiliate of either of them; (c) a person or other entity controlling or under common control with any such stockholder, partner, customer, supplier or other person; or (d) a member of the immediate family of any such stockholder, partner, customer, supplier or other person. (As used herein, the term "control" means the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of management, policies or activities of a person or entity, whether through ownership of voting securities, by contract or otherwise.)

- 5.8 The unanimous consent of all directors (including the consent of the Independent Director) is required for the Corporation to:
  - (a) File or consent to the filing of any bankruptcy, insolvency or reorganization case or proceeding; Institute any proceedings under any applicable insolvency law or otherwise seek relief under any laws relating to the relief from debts or the projection of debtors generally;

- (b) Seek or consent to the appointment of a receiver, liquidator, assignee, trustee, sequestrator, custodian or any similar official for the Corporation or a substantial portion of either of its properties;
- (c) Make an assignment for the benefit of the creditors of the Corporation; or
- (d) Take any action in furtherance of any of the foregoing.
- 5.9 So long as the Mongage Loan is outstanding, the Corporation shall not amend its Certificate of Incorporation with respect to Sections 5.1 through 5.9 hereof without the consent of the Mongage Loan.

The undersigned hereby attests that he is authorized to sign this Certificate on behalf of the Corporation.

By L.H. Jack Hundley President

Dated: January 10, 1997