# Frazer Hubbard Brandt Trask

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Attorneys At Law

July 12, 1996

Florida Department of State Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahasson, FL 32314

Gontlemen:

Enclosed are two original executed Articles of Incorporation for HMS ROGERS, INC. and a check for filing fees in the amount of \$122.50. Please file the articles as soon as possible and return one certified copy to my attention.

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Mark W. Brandt

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Enclosures

cc: Howard Rogers

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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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HMS ROGERS, INC.

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### ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this corporation is HMS Rogers, Inc., and its street address is 971 Virginia Avenue, Suite A, Palm Harbor, Florida 34683.

### ARTICLE II - DUNATION

This corporation shall exist perpetually.

# ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

The general purpose of this corporation is to sell and service insurance policies and for all other lawful uses and purposes.

### ARTICLE IV - CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation is authorized to issue 7,500 shares of \$1.00 per value common stock.

# ARTICLE V ~ PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS

Every shareholder, upon the sale for cash of any new stock of this corporation of the same kind, class or series as that which he/she already holds, shall have the right to purchase his/her prorata share thereof (as nearly as may be done without issuance of fractional shares) at the price at which it is offered to other, except that shareholder shall not have any preemptive rights when stock is being purchased by any other shareholder under any stock purchase agreement.

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# ARTICLE VI - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation in 971 Virginia Avenue, Suite A, Palm Harbor, Florida 34683, and the name of the registered agent of this corporation at that address is Howard M. Rogers.

### ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATORS

The names and addresses of the person signing these articles of incorporation are:

Howard M. Rogers

4144 Porry Placo

Now Port Richey, FL 34652

Suzanno V. Rogera

4144 Porry Place

New Port Richey, FL 34652

# ARTICLE VIII - BYLAMS

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal bylaws shall be vested in the shareholders.

# ARTICLE IX - CALLING OF SPECIAL MEETINGS

Special meetings of shareholders may be called by thirtythree and one-third percent (33-1/3%) of the shares of this corporation.

# ARTICLE X - SHAREHOLDER QUORUM AND VOTING

Fifty percent (50%) plus one (1) of the shares entitled to vote, represented in person or by proxy shall constitute a quorum at a meeting of shareholders.

If a quorum is presented, the affirmative vote of 50% plus one (1) of the shares represented at the meeting and entitled to vote on the subject matter shall be the act of the shareholders.

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# ARTICLE XI - GREATER VOTING REQUIREMENTS FOR SHAREHOLDERS WITH RESPECT TO MERGER, ACQUISITION OR LIQUIDATION

The affirmative vote of mixty-mix and two-thirds (66-2/3%) of the shares of this corporation entitled to vote thereon shall be required for the authorization of dissolution of the corporation for merger, acquisition or liquidation.

# ARTICLE XII - APPROVAL OF SHAREHOLDERS REQUIRED FOR MERGER

The approval of the shareholders of this corporation to any plan of merger shall be required in every case, whether or not such approval is required by law.

# ARTICLE XIII - RIGHT OF SHAREHOLDERS TO DISSENT

The shareholders of this corporation shall have the right to dissent from any corporation actions from which shareholders are entitled to dissent under the Florida Business Corporation Act, even though on the date fixed to determine the shareholders entitled to vote on such corporation actions the shares of this corporation were registered on a national securities exchange or held of record by not less than 2,000 shareholders.

# ARTICLE XIV - SHAREHOLDERS' MEETING REQUIRED

Any action of the shareholders of this corporation must be taken at a meeting of shareholders of this corporation, duly called as provided by law.

# ARTICLE XV - MANAGEMENT OF CORPORATION BY SHAREHOLDERS

All corporate powers shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of this corporation shall be managed under the direction of the shareholders of this corporation.

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### ARTICLE XVI - POMERS

This corporation shall have all of the corporation powers enumerated in the Florida General Corporation Act.

# ARTICLE XVII - MEETINGS BY CONFERENCE TELEPHONE

Shareholders may participate in special meetings by conference telephone as provided by law.

# ARTICLE XVIII - DIVIDENDS

Dividends may be paid to shareholders and such dividends may be paid from any source and may be considered ordinary, capital gain, or non-taxable dividends, dependent on the source from which they are derived.

# ARTICLE XIX - INDEMNIFICATION

The corporation shall indemnify any officer or any former officer to the full extent permitted by laws.

### ARTICLE XX - AMENDMENT

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these articles of incorporation, or any amendment thereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

# ARTICLE XXI - TAX ELECTIONS

This corporation shall be entitled to elect any tax treatment or enact any program or benefit to which it is entitled under law, including but not limited to:

- 1. Qualified pension or profit-sharing plan;
- Election as a subchapter-S corporation;

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- Treatment of stock under Sec. 1244 et seq. of the Internal Revenue Code;
- Stock purchase or option agreement, whether qualified 4. or not;
- 5. Corporation medical reimbursement plan; and
- 6. Excess compensation reimbursement plan.
- IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscribers have executed these Articles of Incorporation this  $\frac{1}{2}$  day of July, 1996.

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PINELLAS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this day of July, 1996, by HOWARD M. ROGERS, who is personally known to me or who has produced as identification.

My Commission Expires:

STATE OF FLORIDA

LINDA K. WALDORF flotary Public, State of Florida

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My Comm, Exp. Mar. 17, 1998

Comm. No. CC 348716

COUNTY OF PINELLAS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this day of July, 1996, by SUZANNE U. ROGERS, who is personally known to me or who has produced identification.

My Commission Expires:

Frazer Hubbard

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LINDA K. WALDORF Notary Public, State of Florida My Comm. Exp. Mar. 17, 1998 Comm. No. CC 348716

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# CERTIFICATE

TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 48.091, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED: HMS Rogers, Inc. desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with the principal place of business at 971 Virginia Avenue in the City of Palm Harbor, Florida 34683, has named Howard M. Rogers as its resident agent to accept service of process within Florida.

Signature: Muran Paris

Title: Result

Date: 7/4/46

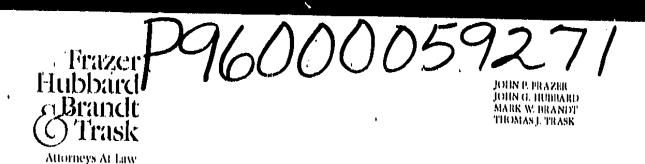
# ACCEPTANCE BY AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation, at the place designated in the certificate, I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties.

Signature: Horandin los

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August 19, 1996

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Gentlemen:

Enclosed are two executed First Amondment to Articles of Incorporation for HMS ROGERS, INC. and a check for filing fees in the amount of \$87.50. Please file the amendment as soon as possible and return one certified copy to my attention.

Sincerely

Mark W. Brandt

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cc: Howard Rogers

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August 29, 1996

MARK W. BRANDT POST OFFICE BOX 1178 DUNEDIN, FL 34698

SUBJECT: HMS ROGERS, INC. Ref. Number: P96000059271

We have received your document for HMS ROGERS, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Amendments for Florida profit corporations are filed in compliance with section 607.1006, Florida Statutes. Please see the enclosed information.

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

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (904) 487-6909.

Velma Shepard Corporate Specialist

Letter Number: 496A00040848

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Florida Dopartment of State Volma Shepard, Corporate Specialist Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

RE: Amended Articles of Incorporation Your Letter Number 496A00040848, dated August 29, 1996

Dear Ms. Shepard:

As requested in your above-referenced letter, we are enclosing Amended Articles of Incorporation that have been changed to reflect the approval of the shareholders. Hopefully, this document will meet with the requirements as set forth in your letter.

If approved, please forward a certified copy of the amendment to my attention. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Mark W. Brandt

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### FIRST AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FOR HMB ROGERS, INC.

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1. The Articles of Incorporation for MMS Rogers, Inc. are American amended and Article XI is restated as follows:

# ARTICLE XI - GREATER VOTING REQUIREMENTS FOR SHAREHOLDERS WITH RESPECT TO MERGER, ACQUISITION OR LIQUIDATION

The affirmative vote of fifty-five (55%) of the shares of this corporation entitled to vote thereon shall be required for the authorization of dissolution of the corporation for merger, acquisition or liquidation.

2. The amendment was adopted by the incorporators without shareholder action, and shareholder action was not required.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the incorporators of the corporation, have executed this Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation this  $\mu^{\mu}$  day of September, 1996.

Howard M. Rogers

Suzanne U. Rogers

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PINELLAS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this day of September, 1996, by HOWARD M. ROGERS, who ( is personally known to me or who has produced ( ) a driver's license or \_\_\_\_\_ as identification.

Notary Public Y

My Commission Expires:

STATE OF FLORIDA



Notary Public, State of Florida My Comm. Exp. Mar. 17, 1998 Comm. No. CC 348716

# COUNTY OF PINELLAS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this /6 th day of September, 1996, by SUZANNE U. ROCERS, who (-) is personally known to me or who has produced ( ) a driver's license or as identification.
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Notary Public

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