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Re: RIDGE ASSOCIATES, INC.

Dear Clerk:

Enclosed is an original and one copy of proposed Articles of Incorporation for the referenced corporation, together with a check payable to your order covering the following items:

Filing Fee	\$ 35.00
Certified Copy of	
Articles of Incorporation	52.50
Registered Agent Designation	35.00
TOTAL	\$122.50

Kindly return to me a certified copy of the Articles of Incorporation in the enclosed envelope.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Glenn R. Padgett
Glenn R. Padgett

Post Office Box 730177
555 W. Granada Boulevard
Suite D-11
Ormond Beach, FL 32173-0177
Voice: (904) 676-9099
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me 8-6-96

EFFECTIVE DATE
8-1-96

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF**

RIDGE ASSOCIATES, INC.

A Florida Corporation

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this corporation is: **RIDGE ASSOCIATES, INC.**

ARTICLE II - DURATION

These Articles of Incorporation shall become effective upon the date of their execution and acknowledgment, provided these Articles are filed by the Department of State within five (5) days of their signing and acknowledgment. If not, these Articles shall become effective upon the date they are filed by the Department of State.

ARTICLE III - GENERAL PURPOSES

The general purpose for which this corporation is initially organized is to engage in any or all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under Florida law.

ARTICLE IV - SHARES

The initial number of shares that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is one thousand (1,000) shares of common stock, each share having the par value of \$1.00.

ARTICLE V - REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is **555 West Granada Boulevard, Suite D-11, Ormond Beach, Florida 32174**. The name of the initial Registered Agent of the corporation is **Glenn R. Padgett**.

ARTICLE VI - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The street address of the principal office of the corporation is **One Beagle Rest, Ormond Beach, Florida 32174**.

ARTICLE VII - DIRECTORS

The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors is one (1), and the name and address of the person who is to serve as the sole member thereof is as follows:

Robert Iaccarino
600 Springdale Drive
Flagler Beach, Florida 32136


The number of directors may be changed from time to time as provided in the bylaws.

ARTICLE VIII - INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator of these Articles of Incorporation is as follows:

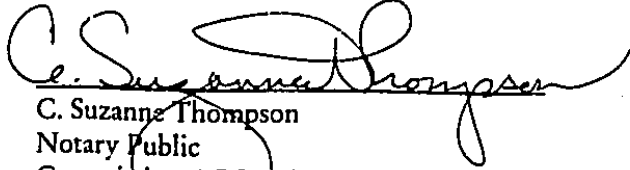
Glenn R. Padgett
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Ormond Beach, Florida 32174

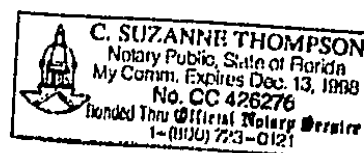
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator does hereby execute and acknowledge these Articles this 1st day of August, 1996.


Glenn R. Padgett

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF VOLUSIA

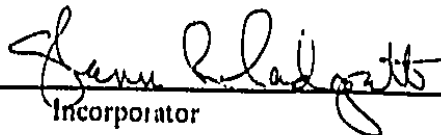
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 1st day of August, 1996 by Glenn R. Padgett, who is personally known to me.


C. Suzanne Thompson
Notary Public
Commission # CC 426276
My Commission Expires: December 13, 1998



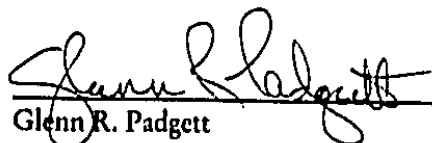
**CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING REGISTERED
AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS FOR
SERVICE OF PROCESS**

Pursuant to Section 48 291, Florida Statutes, **RIDGE ASSOCIATES, INC.** hereby designates **Glenn R. Padgett** and **555 West Granada Boulevard, Suite D-11, Ormond Beach, Florida 32174**, as its Registered Agent and the street address of its registered office, respectively, for service of process within the State of Florida.

By: 
Incorporator

ACCEPTANCE OF DESIGNATION

I hereby accept the foregoing designation as Registered Agent of **RIDGE ASSOCIATES, INC.** for service of process within the State of Florida.


Glenn R. Padgett

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