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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

**OF** 

### TROPICAL WINGS AVIATION, INC.

Article I

Name

The name of the corporation is Tropical Wings Aviation, Inc.

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### Article II

Duration

The corporation shall have a perpetual existence.

#### Article III

#### **Purpose**

The corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any and all lawful business.

#### Article IV

### <u>Address</u>

The principal place of business of this corporation shall be:

3838 North Tamiami Trail Naples, FL 34103

Jeffrey A. Stoops, Esq. FL BAR #480843 Gunster, Yoakley, Valdes-Fauli & Stewart, P.A. 777 So. Flagler Dr., Ste. 500E West Palm Beach, FL 33401 (561) 655-1980

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The mailing address of this corporation shall be:

c/o Richard L. Braddock P. O. Box 413040 Naples, FL 34101

# Article V

### Capital Stock

The corporation is authorized to issue One Thousand (1,000) shares of One Cent (\$0.01) par value per share common stock.

#### Article VI

# Initial Registered Office and Agent

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 3838 North Tamiami Trail, Naples, Florida 34103, and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at the address is Richard L. Braddock. Pursuant to Florida Statute 607.0501(3), a written acceptance is attached.

#### Article VIII

#### incorporator

The name and address of the person signing these Articles are:

Jeffrey A. Stoops

Phillips Point, Suite 500 East 777 South Flagler Drive West Palm Beach, FL 33401

## Article IX

# **Powers**

The corporation shall have all of the corporate powers enumerated in the Florida Business

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Corporation Act.

### Article X

### Indemnification

Provided the person proposed to be indemnified is not shown to have not satisfied the requisite standard of conduct for permissive indemnification by a corporation as specifically set forth in the applicable provisions of the Florida Business Corporation Act (currently, Sections 607.0850(1) and (2) of the Florida Statutes), as may be amended from time to time, this corporation shall indemnify its officers and directors, and may indemnify its employees and agents, from and against any and all of the expenses or liabilities incurred in defending a civil or criminal proceeding, or other matters referred to in or covered by said provisions, including advancement of expenses prior to the final disposition of such proceedings and amounts paid in settlement of such proceedings, both as to action in their official capacity and as to action in any other capacity while an officer, director, employee or other agent. The indemnification provided for herein shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which those indemnified may be extitled under any Bylaw, agreement, vote of shareholders or disinterested directors or otherwise. The indemnification provided herein shall continue as to a person who has ceased to be a director, officer, employee or agent, and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, the personal and other legal representatives of such person, and an adjudication of liability shall not affect the right to indemnification for those indemnified.

### Article XI

#### <u>Amendment</u>

The corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholder(s) is subject

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to this reservation.

# **Article XII**

# Bylaws

The Bylaws may be adopted, altered, amended, or repealed by either the shareholders or the Board of Directors, but the Board of Directors may not amend or repeal any Bylaw adopted by shareholders if the shareholders specifically provide such Bylaw is not subject to amendment or repeal by the directors.

# **Article XIII**

# **Beginning of Corporate Existence**

The date when corporate existence shall begin shall be August 8, 1996.

DATED: August 8, 1996

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# ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named as registered agent for Tropical Wings Aviation, Inc., a Florida corporation (the "Corporation"), in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, I, on behalf of the Corporation, hereby state I am familiar with and agree to accept the duties and responsibilities as registered agent for said Corporation and to comply with any and all Florida Statutes relative to the complete and proper performance of the duties of registered agent.

**REGISTERED AGENT:** 

Richard L. Braddock

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