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November 7, 1996

Florida Department of State Division of Corporations Post Office Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32514

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RE: ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Dear Sir/Madam:

You will please find enclosed an original and two (2) copies of the "Articles of Incorporation" for the above-styled company, together with my firm's check, number 19(e), in the amount of \$70.00 for filing fees.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contagoffice.

Sincerely,

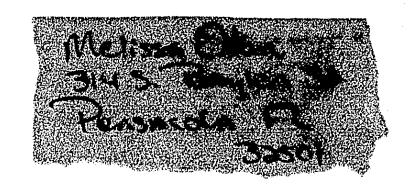
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ASSOCIATED COURT REPORTER SERVICES. INC.

The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act, adopts the following articles of incorporation for such corporation:

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this corporation is ASSOCIATED COURT REPORTER SERVICES, INC.

ARTICLE II - DURATION

This corporation shall exist perpetually, commencing upon the date of subscription and acknowledgment of the articles of incorporation.

ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

The purpose of this corporation is to engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United States and the State of Florida.

ARTICLE IV - CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation is authorized to issue 1000 shares of \$1.00 par value common stock, all of one class and series.

ARTICLE V - AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

This 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 shareholders is subject to this

reservation.

ARTICLE VI - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of this corporation's initial registered office is 314 South Baylen Street, Suite One, Pensacola, Florida. The name of this corporation's initial registered agent is Harold J. Cobb, at 7687 Peterson Point Road, Milton, Florida 32570.

ARTICLE VII - INITIAL PRINCIPAL OFFICE ADDRESS

The initial principle office address of this corporation is 314 South Baylen Street, Suite One, Pensacola, Florida.

ARTICLE VIII - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors is one (1), whose name and address is:

Melissa A. Odom

428 Forrest Avenue

Cantonment, Florida 32533

ARTICLE IX - OFFICERS

The initial officers of the corporation shall be:

President:

Melissa A. Odom

428 Forrest Avenue

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Vice President/

Secretary:

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ARTICLE X - INCORPORATORS

The name of the incorporator is Melissa A. Odom, 428 Forrest Avenue, Cantonment, Florida 32533

IN WITNESS HEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these articles of incorporation this day of November, 1996.

MELISSA A. ODOM

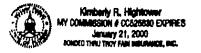
STATE OF FLORIDA)
COUNTY OF ESCAMBIA)

I hereby certify that on this day, before me, an officer duly authorized in the State aforesaid and in the County aforesaid to take acknowledgements, personally appeared MELISSA A. ODOM, (\checkmark) personally known to me or () who produced ______

and _____

as identification, to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged before me that she executed the same for the purposes set out therein.

Witness my hand and seal in the County and State last aforesaid this the day of November, A.D., 1996.



NOTARY PUBLIC

WRITTEN ACCEPTANCE BY THE REGISTERED AGENT

I HEREBY certify that I am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as registered agent for said corporation, Associated Court Reporting Services, Inc.

HAROLD J. COBB

STATE OF FLORIDA)
COUNTY OF ESCAMBIA)

I hereby certify that on this day, before me, an officer duly authorized in the State aforesaid and in the County aforesaid to take acknowledgements, personally appeared HAROLD J. COBB, personally known to me or () who produced _______ as identification, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and

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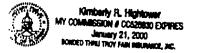
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and _____

as identification, to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged before me that she executed the same for the purposes set out therein.

Witness my hand and seal in the County and State last aforesaid this 10th day of November, A.D., 1996.



Kimberly Q. Hightoner NOTARY PUBLIC

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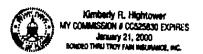
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Kimbury R. Hightower