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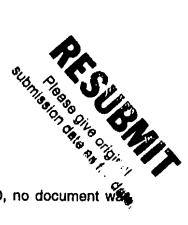


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December 17, 1996

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

AVANT-GARDE, INC.



The undersigned subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation, a natural person competent to contract, hereby forms a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE L

NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

AVANT-GARDE, INC.

The principal place of business of this corporation initially shall be 100 N. Biscayne Blvd., 21st Floor New World Tower, Miami, FL 33132.

ARTICLE IL

NATURE OF BUSINESS

This corporation may engage in or transact any and all lawful activities or business for which corporations may be incorporated under the Florida Business Corporation Act and that are permitted under the laws of the United States, the State of Florida or any other state, country, territory or nation.

ARTICLE III.

CAPITAL STOCK

The aggregate number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is 500 shares of common stock having a par value of \$100 per share.

ARTICLE IV

ADDRESS

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 100 N. Biscayne Blvd., 21st Floor, New World Tower, Miami, FL 33132.

The name of the initial registered agent of the corporation at that address is Frederick Woodbridge, Jr.

ARTICLE V

TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation is to exist perpetually.

ARTICLE VI.

DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have one director, initially. The name and street address of the initial member of the Board of Directors is:

Mark Thucr

c/o Baur, Miller & Webner, P.A. 100 N. Biscayne Blvd., 21st Fl. Miami, FL 33132-2306

ARTICLE VIL

INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the incorporator executing these Articles of Incorporation is:

Frederick Woodbridge, Jr., Esq. Baur, Miller & Webner, P.A. 100 N. Biscayne Blvd. 21st Floor New World Tower Miami, FL 33132

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles for the uses and purposes therein stated.

Frederick Woodbridge, Jr.

Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA

SS

COUNTY OF DADE

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 9th day of December, 1996, by Frederick Woodbridge, Jr. who is personally known to me and did not take an oath.

OFFICIAL NOTARY SEAL KARIN LINDA HUGET NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF FLORIDA COMMISSION NO. CC429065 MY COMMISSION EXP. DEC. 22,1998

State of Florida at Large Commission No.

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AVANT-GARDE, INC.

ACCEPTANCE TO SERVE AS REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned, FREDERICK WOODBRIDGE, Jr., having been named registered agent to accept service of process for the above-named corporation, at the registered office designated in the Articles of Incorporation, hereby agrees and consents to act in that capacity. The undersigned is familiar with and accepts the duties and obligations of Section 607.0505, Florida Statutes.

DATED this 21 day of December, 1996.

Modeliuself.
Frederick Woodbridge, Jr.

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