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NAME:

STOCKBRIDGE GROUP, INC.

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XX \_\_ ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

PLEASE RETURN THE FOLLOWING AS PROOF OF FILING:

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CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

CONTACT PERSON: Deborah Schroder

EXAMINER'S INITIALS:

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

STOCKBRIDGE GROUP, INC.

The undersigned incorporator hereby forms a corporation under Chapter 607 of the laws of the State of Florida.

#### ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

STOCKBRIDGE GROUP, INC.

The address of the principal office of this corporation shall be 1700 Southwest 127th Lane, Davie, Florida 33325, and the mailing address of the corporation shall be the same.

#### ARTICLE II. NATURE OF BUSINESS

This corporation may engage or transact in any or all lawful activities or business 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 maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is 100,000 shares of common stock having \$1.00 par value per share.

## ARTICLE IV. REGISTERED AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation shall be 12164 Southwest 51st Court, Cooper City, Florida 33330, and the name of the initial registered agent of the corporation at that address is Raymond J. Skelton.

## ARTICLE V. TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation is to exist perpetually.

#### ARTICLE VI. SPECIAL PROVISION

It is the intent of the Incorporator that the corporation will qualify under section 1244 of the Internal Revenue Code and shall take all actions necessary to obtain and maintain its status as an S corporation.

## ARTICLE VII. PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS

The corporation elects to have preemptive rights.

# ARTICLE VIII. INDEMNIFICATION

The corporation may indemnify any officer, director, employee, or agent or any former officer, director, employee, or agent to the extent permited by law.

#### ARTICLE IX. MANAGEMENT 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. There shall be no Directors of this corporation.

#### ARTICLE X. AMENDMENT

The right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, is reserved to the shareholders.

#### ARTICLE XI. INCORPORATOR

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

Corporation Service Company 1201 Hays Street Tallahassee, Florida 32301

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned agent of Corporation Service Company, has hereunto set their hand and seal of Corporation Service Company on March 19, 1997.

CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY

The Report Cail Sholby

HBD/das

# ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

I, Raymond J. Sketton, the undersigned, having been designated as Registered Agent in the above and foregoing Articles of Incorporation of

STOCKBRIDGE GROUP, INC.

do hereby accept such designation and agree to comply with the laws of the State of Florida relative thereto.

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Raymond J. Skelton

Registered Agent

12164 S.W. Sls+ Court

Cooper City Florida 33330

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