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**ARTICLES of INCORPORATION**  
**OF**

**TROPIC CONSULTING ENTERPRISES, 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:

**TROPIC CONSULTING ENTERPRISES, INC.**

The principal place of business of this corporation shall be 4611 South University Drive, Suite 145 Davie, Florida 33328; and the mailing address 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 1000 shares of common stock having \$ .10 par value per share.

**ARTICLE IV. ADDRESS**

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation shall be 4611 South University Drive, Suite 145 Davie, Florida 33328; and the initial registered agent of the corporation is Martha Raffaele.

#### **ARTICLE V. TERM of EXISTENCE**

This corporation is to exist perpetually.

#### **ARTICLE VI. DIRECTORS**

All corporate powers shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business affairs of the corporation managed under the direction of its Board of Directors subject to any limitation set forth in these Articles of Incorporation. This corporation shall have one Director, initially. The name and street address of the initial members of the Board of Directors are:

Martha Raffaele, Director  
4611 South University Drive, Suite 145  
Davie, Florida 33328

#### **ARTICLE VII. INCORPORATOR**

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

Martha Raffaele, President  
4611 South University Drive, Suite 145  
Davie, Florida 33328

#### **ARTICLE VIII. PRIVATE PROPERTY**

The private property of the stockholders shall not be subject to payment of the corporate debts to any extent.

#### **ARTICLE IX. INDEMNITY**

This corporation may indemnify and insure its officers and directors to the fullest extent permitted by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the undersigned, being the incorporator hereinbefore named, for the purpose of forming a Corporation to do business both within and without the State of Florida, under the laws of Florida, make and file these Articles of Incorporation hereby declaring and certifying that the facts herein stated are true, and hereunto set my hand and seal this 28th day of January, 1998.

  
Martha Raffaele, President

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I **HEREBY CERTIFY** that on this day, before me, a Notary Public duly authorized in the State and County named above to take acknowledgments, personally appeared Martha Raffaele Incorporator to me known to be the person described as subscriber in who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation.

**WITNESS** my hand and official seal in the County and State named above this 28th day of January, 1998.

Valarie R Bailey  
NOTARY PUBLIC



**ACCEPTANCE of REGISTERED AGENT DESIGNATED**

**IN ARTICLES of INCORPORATION**

I **HEREBY ACCEPT** the appointment as the initial registered agent of TROPIC CONSULTING  
ENTERPRISES, INC. made in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation.

Martha Raffaele 1/28/98  
Martha Raffaele, President DATE