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The undersigned subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation, a natural person competent to contract, do hereby associate myself together for the prupose of forming a corporation under the laws of the STATE OF FLORIDA.

#### **ARTICLE 1 - CORPORATE NAME**

The name of the Corporation is: French & Associates, Inc.

#### **ARTICLE 11 - DURATION**

The Corporation shall exist perpetually unless dissolved according to FLORIDA LAW.

#### **ARTICLE 111 - PURPOSE**

The Corporation is organized for the purpose of engaging in any and all business legal under the laws of the state Florida or the United States of America.

#### **ARTICLE 1V - CAPITAL STOCK**

The Corporation is authorized to issue ONE THOUSAND shares (1,000) of ONE Dollar par value Common Stock, which shall be designated "COMMON STOCK".

#### ARTICLE V - INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE

The principal office and address of the Corporation is:

2413 Bayshore Blvd., Suite 2202 Tampa, FL 33629

The name and address of the Initial Registered Agent of this Corporation is:

Joel T. Patterson, CPA 2415 W. Azeele Street Tampa, FL 33609

#### ARTICLE V1 - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This Corporation shall have ONE (1) director initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than one (1).

The name and address of the initial director of the Corporation is as follows:

Initial Board of Director(s) Cont.:

Gordon S. French 2413 Bayshore Blvd., Suite 2202 Tampa, FL 33629

#### ARTICLE V11 - INCORPORATOR

The names and addresses of the incorporator signing these articles are as follows:

Joel T. Patterson 2415 W. Azeele Street Tampa, FL 33609

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has executed the ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION this 9th Day of February, 1998

### STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

Before me, a Notary Public duly authorized to take acknowledgements in the State and County set forth above, personally appeared, Joel T. Patterson, known to me and known to be the person described as the subscriber in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, who acknowledged before me that he subscribed to said Articles of Incorporation.

Witness my hand and official seal in the County and State last said this 9th day of February, 1998.

My Commission Expires:

RHONDA J. KEGLEY My Comm Exp. 3/07/98 Bonded By Service Ins

No. CC353562

# OF CERTIFICATE OF REGISTERED AGENT OF FRENCH & ASSOCIATES, INC.

SECRETARY OF MY

Pursuant to Florida Statues Sections 48.091 and 607.0501, the following about the following and submitted:

The above Corporation, desiring to organize under the laws of the STATE OF FLORIDA with it's registered office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at:

J.T. PATTERSON & COMPANY, P.A. CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS 2415W. Azeele Street Tampa, FL 33609

has named **Joel T. Patterson** at the aforementioned address, as it's Registered Agent to accept service of process within this state.

### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

Having been named as Registered Agent to accept service of process for the above stated Corporation at the place designated in this certificate, and being familiar with the obligations of that position! hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provisions of Florida Law in keeping open said office.

SIGNATURE (r

(registered agent) JANUARY 9, 1998