## E. Gerald Block

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT

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March 11, 1998

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Florida Department of State Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

RE: Diversified Financial Services of South Florida, Inc.

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Dear Sirs:

Enclosed please find:

- Original and one copy of articles of incorporation pertaining to Diversified Financial Services of South Florida, Inc.
- 2. My check in the amount of \$122.50 for payment of the following:

a. Filing Fee \$ 35.00 b. Certified Copy of Articles 52.50 c. Registered Agent Designation \$122.50

You will also find enclosed a copy of the Certified Designating Place of Business and Registered Agent.

Please file these Articles as soon as possible, noting the provision under Article II stating that this Corporation's existence shall commence on the date of execution of said Articles, which is 03/11/98.

Upon its arrival, please return a certified copy of these Articles of Incorporation to the undersigned.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

E. Gerald Block, C.P.A.

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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FILED SECRETARY OF STATE DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS

# DIVERSIFIED FINANCIAL SERVICES OF SOUTH FLORIDA, INT. MAR 16 PM 3: 30

#### ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this Corporation is Diversified Financial Services of South Florida, Inc.

#### ARTICLE II - DURATION

This Corporation shall have perpetual existence commencing on March 11, 1998.

### ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

This Corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any and all lawful business.

#### ARTICLE IV - CAPITAL STOCK

This Corporation is authorized to issue One Thousand (1,000) shares of \$1.00 par value common stock.

#### ARTICLE V - VOTING RIGHTS

Except as otherwise provided by law, the entire voting power for the election of Directors and for all other purposes shall be vested exclusively in the holders of the outstanding common shares.

#### ARTICLE VI - PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS

Every shareholder, upon the sale of any new stock of this Corporation of the same kind, class or series as that which it already holds, shall have the right to purchase his pro rata share thereof (as nearly as may be done without issuance of fractional shares) at the price at which it is offered to others.

## ARTICLE VII - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE, AGENT AND PRINCIPLE OFFICE

The street address of the initial registered office of this Corporation is 4011 N.E. 27th Avenue, Lighthouse Point, Florida 33064 and the name of the initial registered agent of this Corporation at that address is Therase S. Brooks. The street address of the principle office is 4011 N.E. 27th Avenue, Lighthouse Point, Florida 33064.

#### ARTICLE VIII - 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 have less than one (1). The name and address of the initial Director of this Corporation is:

Therase S. Brooks 4011 N.E. 27th Avenue Lighthouse Point, Florida 33064

#### ARTICLE IX - INCORPORATOR

The name(s) and address(es) of the person(s) signing these Articles is (are):

Therase S. Brooks 4011 N.E. 27th Avenue Lighthouse Point, Florida 33064

#### ARTICLE X - AMENDMENT

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 XI - BY-LAWS

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal By-laws shall be vested in the Board of Directors and the Shareholders.

#### ARTICLE XII - INDEMNIFICATION

The Corporation shall indemnify any Officer or Director or any former Officer or Director, to the full extent permitted by law.

|    | IN WITNESS       | WHEREOF | , the | undersigned | have executed | these Article |
|----|------------------|---------|-------|-------------|---------------|---------------|
| of | Incorporation on |         | 11th  |             | March         | , 1998.       |

Therasi S. Brooks

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF BROWARD

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_11th\_ day of <u>March</u>, 1998, by <u>Therase S. Brooks</u>, who are personally known to me or who have produced a driver's license as identification and who did take an oath.

print Lisa Ann Block

State of Florida at Large My Commission Expires:

> LISA ANN BLOCK My Comm Exp. 4/02/2001 Bonded By Service Ins No. CC635316
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In pursuance of Chapter 48.091 of the Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with said Act:

First: Diversified Financial Services of South Florida, Inc., desiring to be organized under the laws of the State of Florida, with its registered office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation in the City of Lighthouse Point, County of Broward, State of Florida, has named Therase S. Brooks, whose business office is located at 4011 N.E. 27th Avenue, Lighthouse Point, Florida 33064 as its registered agent to accept service of process within this State.

#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated Corporation, at the place designated in this Certificate, I hereby accept to act in this capacity and agree to comply with the provision of said Act relative to keeping open said office.

Therase S. Brooks