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

RE:

FORTUNE 2000 PROPERTIES FORTUNE 2000 MANAGEMENT, INC.

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed are the Articles of Incorporation for the above-named corporation, (original and one copy each) along with our check in the total amount of \$140.00 for filing (certified copy not required). Please return the file-stamped copy of the Articles to this office at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

GMN:hs

**Enclosure** 

AUTHORIZATION BY PHONE TO

DATE

DOC. EXAM

GUDRUN MARIA NICKEL, P.A. ATTORNEY AT LAW

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF FORTUNE 2000 PROPERTIES, INC.

The undersigned hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

#### **ARTICLE I - Name**

The name of the corporation is **FORTUNE 2000 PROPERTIES**, **INC.** The principal place of business of the corporation is <u>4001 Tamiami Trail North, Suite 265</u>, Naples, Florida 34103. The mailing address of the corporation is <u>c/o Euro-American Consulting</u>, Inc., <u>4001 Tamiami Trail North</u>, Suite 265, Naples, Florida 34103.

# **ARTICLE II - Commencement and Duration**

The corporation is to commence its corporate existence on the date of filing, and shall exist perpetually thereafter until dissolved according to law.

## **ARTICLE III - Purpose**

The corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any and all lawful business.

# ARTICLE IV - Stated Capital - Classes of Stock

The corporation is authorized to issue 1000 shares of common stock at \$1.00 par value.

# **ARTICLE V - Special Provisions**

The corporation hereby makes the IRC 1244 election.

# ARTICLE VI - Stock Ownership

In the event stock is held jointly by more than one person or entity, one owner of that jointly-held stock shall be designated as the owner authorized to cast his or her vote.

#### ARTICLE VII - Board of Directors

All corporate powers shall be exercised by and under the authority of, and the business and affairs of the corporation shall initially be managed under the direction of, the board of directors of corporation. There shall be two (2) initial directors as follows:

Ulli Rotermund 4001 Tamiami Trail North, Suite 265

Naples, Florida 34103

Jutta Hinrichsen-Rotermund 4001 Tamiami Trail North, Suite 265

Naples, Florida 34103

#### **ARTICLE VIII - Officers**

The initial officer(s) of the corporation shall be as follows:

Ulli Rotermund - President, Treasurer
Jutta Hinrichsen-Rotermund - Vice President, Secretary

#### ARTICLE IX - Indemnification

The corporation shall indemnify any officer or director, or person exercising powers and duties of an officer or director, to the full extent now or hereafter permitted by law.

# **ARTICLE X - Bylaws**

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal bylaws shall be vested in the board of directors.

## ARTICLE XI - Pre-emptive Rights

Every shareholder, upon the issuance of any new stock of this Corporation of the same kind, class or series as that which he already holds, shall have the right to purchase his pro rata share at the price at which it is offered to others.

#### ARTICLE XII - Amendment

The Articles of Incorporation may be amended at any time pursuant to the requirements of F.S. 607.177, et seq., at any regular meeting or at a special meeting called for that purpose.

## ARTICLE XIII - Incorporator

The name and address of the Incorporator to these articles of incorporation is:

Gudrun Maria Nickel, P.A. 350 Fifth Avenue South, #200 Naples, Florida 34102

# ARTICLE XIV - Initial Registered Office and Agent

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is <u>c/o Euro-American Consulting, Inc., 4001 Tamiami Trail North, Suite 265, Naples, Florida 34103</u>, and the name of the initial registered agent of the corporation at that address is <u>Euro-American Consulting, Inc.</u>

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, as incorporator, hereby executes these articles of incorporation this <u>23<sup>rd</sup></u> day of March, 1998.	
1	GUDRUN MARIA NICKEL, P.A.  By:
STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF COLLIER	GUDRUN MARIA NICKEL, President
GUDRUN MARIA NICKEL, President of known (or who produced	GUDRUN MARIA NICKEL, P.A., to me personally as identification), who stated under who executed said instrument for the purposes therein
My Commission Expires:	Sally E. Ballard Notary Public
Notary States   SALLY E. BALLARD   MAY COMMISSION & CC 541307   EXPIRES: March 22, 2000   Bonded Thru Motary Public Underwriters	SALLY F BALLARD  Type or Print Notary Name  Notary Number:
I hereby am familiar with and accep said corporation.	t the duties and responsibilities as registered agent for Euro-American Consulting, Inc.
	By: Rainer N. Filthaut (President)  SECRETARY OF STATE AHASSEE, FLOWER