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NAME: FLORIDA DEEDS, INC.

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XX ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

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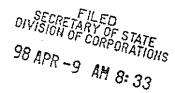
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CONTACT PERSON: Daniel W Leggett

EXAMINER'S INITIALS:

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF FLORIDA DEEDS, INC. A FLORIDA CORPORATION



The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a Florida corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, Chapter 607 of the Florida Statutes, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such Corporation:

#### ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the Corporation is:

FLORIDA DEEDS, INC.

## ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE OR MAILING ADDRESS

100 South Ashley Drive, Suite 1470, Tampa, Florida 33602

#### ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The Corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any and all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the laws of Florida.

#### ARTICLE IV CAPITAL STOCK

The Corporation is authorized to issue Ten Thousand (10,000) shares of common stock, One Dollar (\$1.00) par value per share.

#### ARTICLE V INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE

The name of the initial registered agent of the Corporation and the street address of the initial registered office of the Corporation is as follows:

Name Address

Steven A. Williams
100 South Ashley Drive, Suite 1470
Tampa, Florida 33602

#### ARTICLE VI INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Corporation shall have initially one director to hold office until the first annual meeting of shareholders and until a successor has been elected and qualified, or until an earlier resignation, removal from office or death. The number of directors may be either increased or decreased from time to time in accordance with the Bylaws of the Corporation. The name and address of the initial director of the Corporation is:

<u>Name</u>

Address

Steven A. Williams

100 South Ashley Drive, Suite 1470 Tampa, Florida 33602

### ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the person signing these Articles is:

Name

Address

Steven A. Williams

100 South Ashley Drive, Suite 1470 Tampa, Florida 33602

## ARTICLE VIII AMENDMENTS

The power to amend these Articles of Incorporation in accordance with law is reserved to the shareholders. Any right conferred upon any shareholder by these Articles of Incorporation is subject to this reservation.

## ARTICLE IX INDEMNIFICATION

The Corporation shall indemnify any person who is or was a Director, Officer, employee, or agent of the Corporation or was serving at the request of the Corporation as a Director, Officer, employee, or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, or other enterprise, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

day of April , 1998.

Steven A. Williams, INCORPORATOR

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH	) )
The foregoing instrument was ac Steven A. Williams, [X] who is perso as identific	cknowledged before me this 7th day of Apri, 1998, by nally known to me or [] who has provided cation.
[NOTARY AL] A. DIANNE FIELI Notary Public, State of Fi My Comm. Expires May 28 No. CC 543829	Notary Public My commission expires: May 28, 2000

## ACCEPTANCE OF DESIGNATION AS REGISTERED AGENT

I hereby accept the appointment as the initial registered agent of FLORIDA DEEDS, INC., as made in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation.

Date: 4/1/98

Steven A. Williams

SECRETARY OF STATE DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS
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