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Secretary of State  
Division of Corporations  
409 East Gaines Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32399

Re: Miriam L. Blum & Associates, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed is an original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation for the above-referenced corporation. Also enclosed is our check in the amount of \$70.00 to cover the charges for filing fees and registered agent.

Please return a true copy of the Articles of Incorporation showing that they have been received and filed. We have enclosed a self-addressed, stamped envelope for your convenience in returning same.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,

NEIMARK & NADEL, P.A.

By: *Cort A. Neimark*  
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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

**OF**

**MIRIAM L. BLUM & ASSOCIATES, INC.**

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I, the undersigned, a natural person competent to contract, do hereby make, subscribe and file these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of organizing a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

**ARTICLE I**

**NAME OF CORPORATION**

The name of this Corporation shall be: MIRIAM L. BLUM & ASSOCIATES, INC.

**ARTICLE II**

**GENERAL NATURE OF BUSINESS**

The general nature of the business to be transacted by this Corporation shall be to engage in any and all lawful business permitted under the laws of the United States and the State of Florida.

**ARTICLE III**

**CAPITAL STOCK**

The total authorized capital stock of this Corporation is 1,000 shares of Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share.

**ARTICLE IV**

**TERM OF EXISTENCE**

The Corporation shall exist perpetually.

**ARTICLE V**

**ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL OFFICE IN THIS STATE**

The initial street address of the principal office of this Corporation in the State of Florida is 4747 N. Ocean Drive, Suite 241, Sea Ranch Lakes, FL 33308. The Board of Directors may from time to time move the principal office to another address in Florida.

**ARTICLE VI**

**NUMBER OF DIRECTORS**

This Corporation shall have not less than one (1) Director.

**ARTICLE VII**

**INCORPORATOR**

The name and street address of the Incorporator of these articles is:

MIRIAM L. BLUM  
4747 N. Ocean Drive, Ste. 241  
Sea Ranch Lakes, FL 33308

**ARTICLE VIII**

**INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT**

The street address of the initial registered office of this Corporation is: 4747 N. Ocean Drive, Suite 241, Sea Ranch Lakes, FL 33308, and the name of the initial registered agent of the Corporation at that address is MIRIAM L. BLUM.

**ARTICLE IX**

**COMMENCEMENT OF CORPORATE EXISTENCE**

Pursuant to Section 607.0203, Florida Statutes, this Corporation shall commence its corporate existence upon filing.

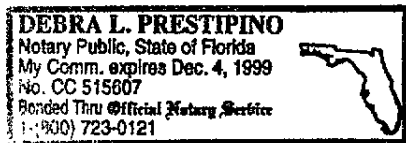
*Miriam L. Blum*  
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MIRIAM L. BLUM, INCORPORATOR

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF BROWARD

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 10 day of April, 1998, before me, a Notary Public duly authorized in the State and County named above to take acknowledgments, personally appeared MIRIAM L. BLUM, to me known to be the person described as incorporator in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and who swore and acknowledged that he executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation for the purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand  
and official seal.

*Debra Prestipino*  
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Notary Public  
*DEBRA PRESTIPINO*  
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- Personally known to me, or
- Produced Identification:

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(type of identification)

**CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS  
OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN  
THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED**

Pursuant to Section 48.091 and 607.0501, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

That MIRIAM L. BLUM & ASSOCIATES, INC., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its Registered Office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at 4747 N. Ocean Drive, Suite 241, Sea Ranch Lakes, FL 33308 and MIRIAM L. BLUM, as its Registered Agent to accept service of process within this state.

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

Having been named to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation at the place designated in this Certificate, I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties.

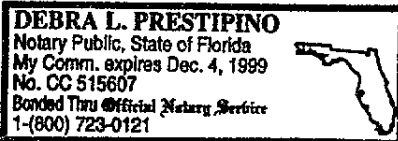
*Miriam L. Blum*

MIRIAM L. BLUM, REGISTERED AGENT

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF BROWARD

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 10 day of April, 1998, before me, a Notary Public duly authorized in the State and County named above to take acknowledgments, personally appeared MIRIAM L. BLUM, to me known to be the person described as Registered Agent in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and who swore and acknowledged that she executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation for the purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand  
and official seal.



*Debra Prestipino*  
Notary Public

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