May 4, 1998

Venice

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

Re: Articles of Incorporation of

AFFORDABLE LEGAL SOLUTIONS OF SARASOTA, INC.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation for this proposed corporation.

Will you kindly endorse your seal of approval of the Certificate of Incorporation, certify, and return the copy to us at your earliest convenience.

A check in the amount of \$122.50 is enclosed for the filing fees.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Laurie A. Bolam

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### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

## ARTICLE I -- NAME

The name of this corporation is: AFFORDABLE LEGAL SOLUTIONS OF SARASOTA, INC.

## ARTICLE II -- DURATION

This corporation shall exist perpetually.

### ARTICLE III -- PURPOSE

This corporation is organized for the purpose of any and all lawful businesses for which corporations may be incorporated under the Florida General Corporation Act.

### ARTICLE IV -- POWERS

This corporation shall have all of the corporate powers enumerated in the Florida General Corporation Act.

### ARTICLE V -- CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation is authorized to issue 1,000 shares of common stock having a par value of one (1) dollar per share.

### ARTICLE VI -- PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS

Every shareholder shall have the right to purchase his prorata share of any new stock of this corporation of the same kind, class or series as that which he already holds at the price at which it is offered to all other shareholders.

# ARTICLE VII -- INITIAL OFFICE AND RESIDENT AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is: 230 W. Tampa Avenue, Unit 17-A, Venice, Florida 34285, and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address is: Laurie A. Bolam.

# ARTICLE VIII -- MANAGEMENT BY SHAREHOLDERS

All corporate powers shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business affairs of this corporation shall be managed under the direction, of the shareholders of this corporation, the act of stockholders representing majority of the outstanding shares of the corporation entitled to vote, represented in person or proxy, shall be entitled to one vote in person, or by proxy, for each share of voting stock held by him. A majority of the outstanding shares of the corporation entitled to vote, represented in person or proxy, shall constitute a quorum at any meeting of the stockholders for the management of the business of the corporation.

## ARTICLE IX -- INCORPORATOR

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

Laurie A. Bolam 230 W. Tampa Avenue Unit 17-A Venice, FL. 34285

## ARTICLE X -- BY-LAWS

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal by-laws shall be vested in the shareholders.

## ARTICLE XI -- INDEMNIFICATION

The corporation shall indemnify any officer or any former officer to the full extent permitted by law.

## ARTICLE XII -- AMENDMENT

The corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provision contained in these articles of incorporation, and any amendment hereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

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### STATE OF FLORIDA

### COUNTY OF SARASOTA

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgements in the state and county set forth above, personally appeared Laurie A. Bolam, known to me and known by me to be the person signing these Articles of Incorporation, and she acknowledged before me that she executed these Articles of Incorporation.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, in the state and county aforesaid, this 4 day of 8, 1998.

NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:



AMY R MIX My Commission CC488841 Expires Aug. 07, 1999 Bonded by ANB 800-852-5878 CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED.

## AFFORDABLE LEGAL SOLUTIONS OF SARASOTA, INC.

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

That, AFFORDABLE LEGAL SOLUTIONS OF SARASOTA INC., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation, in the City of Venice, County of Sarasota, State of Florida, has named Laurie A. Bolam, 230 W. Tampa Ave. Unit 17-A, Venice, Florida, County of Sarasota, State of Florida, as its agent to accept service of process within the State of Florida.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above named corporation at the place designated in this Certificate, I hereby accept such appointment and agree to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provisions of law relating to keeping said office open.

Janie A. Bolam

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