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THE UNITED STATES
CORPORATION
COMPANY

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AUTHORIZATION :

Patricia Pizito

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CUSTOMER NO: 7126266

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XX ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
 CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
PRECIOUS METALS RESEARCH INC.

The undersigned incorporator hereby forms a corporation under Chapter 607 of the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

PRECIOUS METALS RESEARCH INC.

The address of the principal office of this corporation shall be 33 7th Street, Bonita Springs, Florida 34134, and the mailing address of the corporation shall be the same.

ARTICLE II. NATURE OF BUSINESS

This corporation may engage or transact in any or all lawful activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States, the State of Florida or any other state, country, territory or nation.

ARTICLE III. CAPITAL STOCK

The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is 1,000 shares of common stock having \$1.00 par value per share.

ARTICLE IV. REGISTERED AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation shall be 33 7th Street, Bonita Springs, Florida 34134, and the name of the initial registered agent of the corporation at that address is Paul McLaughlin.

ARTICLE V. TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation is to exist perpetually.

ARTICLE VI. DIRECTORS

All corporate powers shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of the corporation managed under the direction of its Board of Directors, subject to any limitation set forth in these Articles of Incorporation. This corporation shall have one Director, initially. The names and addresses of the initial members of the Board of Directors are:

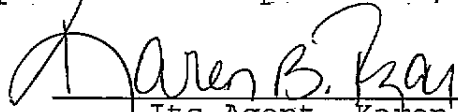
Paul McLaughlin	33 7th Street
Director	Bonita Springs, Florida 34134

ARTICLE VII. INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the incorporator to
these Articles of Incorporation:

The Company Corporation
1013 Centre Road
Wilmington, Delaware 19805

The undersigned incorporator has executed these
Articles of Incorporation on September 1, 1998.



Its Agent, Karen B. Rozar

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ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT
DESIGNATED IN THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Paul McLaughlin, an individual residing in this state, having a business office identical with the registered office of the corporation named below, and having been designated as the Registered Agent in the above and foregoing Articles of Incorporation of:

PRECIOUS METALS RESEARCH INC.

Paul McLaughlin is familiar with and accepts the obligations of the position of Registered Agent under Section 607.0505, Florida Statutes.

By: Paul McLaughlin

Typed Name: Paul McLaughlin