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Division of Corporations  
P.O. Box 6327  
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Re: Todd A. Hopson, P.A.

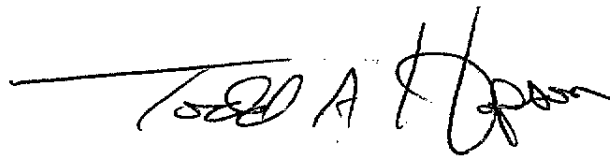
Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed herewith for filing please find an original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation with regard to the above corporation.

Also enclosed is my check in the amount of \$78.75, payable to the Department of State, representing \$35.00 filing fee, \$35.00 registered agent fee, and \$8.75 for a certificate under seal for the Articles of Incorporation.

Thank you for your assistance and cooperation in this matter. Should you have any comments or questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



Todd A. Hopson

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

**OF**

**TODD A. HOPSON, P.A.**

**A PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION**

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The undersigned, who is duly licensed to practice law in the State of Florida, desiring to form a professional corporation in accordance with Chapter 607 of the Florida Statutes and the Florida Professional Service Corporation Act, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

**ARTICLE ONE  
NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be TODD A. HOPSON, P.A..

**ARTICLE TWO  
REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT**

The location and address of the Corporation's initial registered office in Florida is:

403 N.E. 2ND STREET  
OCALA, FLORIDA 34470

The initial registered agent at the registered office is:

TODD A. HOPSON.

**ARTICLE THREE  
PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the Corporation is organized shall be to engage in the practice of law within the State of Florida, and to take all actions that are necessary or proper in connection with that practice.

**ARTICLE FOUR  
DURATION**

The term of existence of the Corporation is perpetual.

**ARTICLE FIVE  
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

The professional services of the Corporation shall be rendered only through officers, employees, and agents who are duly licensed or otherwise legally authorized to practice law within the State of

Florida. Professional services shall be rendered in each case by the officer, employee, or agent designated solely by this Corporation, acting through its duly elected officers. This provision shall not be applicable to the extent it is in conflict with the law or the professional rules of legal practice.

#### **ARTICLE SIX INCORPORATOR**

The name and post office address of the incorporator is:

TODD A. HOPSON  
403 N.E. 2nd Street  
Ocala, Florida 34470

#### **ARTICLE SEVEN DIRECTORS**

The Board of Directors shall consist of one member. The name and address of the first Board of Director is:

TODD A. HOPSON

#### **ARTICLE EIGHT CAPITAL STOCK**

The number of shares of stock that the Corporation is authorized to have outstanding is 1000, all of which shall be common shares with par value of \$1.00 per share.

#### **ARTICLE NINE STATED CAPITAL**

The amount of capital with which the Corporation shall begin business is \$1000.

#### **ARTICLE TEN AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES**

The Corporation reserves the right to amend these Articles of Incorporation at any time in a manner now or subsequently permitted by statute. Any change authorized by the holders of shares entitling them to exercise a majority of the voting power of the Corporation, or any greater number that may then be required by statute, shall be binding and conclusive on every shareholder of the Corporation as fully as if each shareholder had voted for the change. No shareholder, notwithstanding that he or she may have voted against the amendment or may have objected in writing, shall be entitled to payment of the fair cash value of his or her shares or any other rights of a dissenting shareholder.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed these Articles of  
Incorporation on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of Sept, 1998.

Todd A. Hopson  
TODD A. HOPSON

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF MARION

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day  
of Sept., 1998, by TODD A. HOPSON, who is  
personally known to me or who has produced  
as identification and who did  
take an oath.

[SEAL]

Nell P. Hammond  
Notary Public, State of Florida At Large  
Serial Number \_\_\_\_\_

Nell P. Hammond



**CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS FOR THE SERVICE OF  
PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AN AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE  
SERVED, AND ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT.**

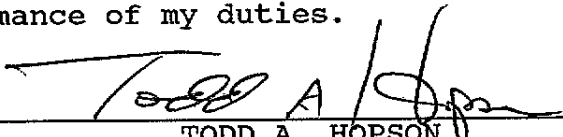
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In pursuance of Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with said Act:

That TODD A. HOPSON, P.A., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its principal office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation, at the city of Ocala, County of Marion and State of Florida has named TODD A. HOPSON as its agent to accept service of process within this State.

**ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT**

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.

  
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TODD A. HOPSON  
REGISTERED AGENT

  
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