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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

<u>OF</u>

### MATTHEW A. YAHRAUS & ASSOCIATES, INC.

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, Chapter 607 of the Florida Statutes, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

Article 1. Name. The name of the Corporation is:

Matthew A. Yahraus & Associates, Inc.

Article 2. Mailing Address. The mailing address of the Corporation is:

303 S. Tamiami Trail, Suite G Nokomis, FL 34275

Article 3. Duration. The duration of the Corporation is perpetual.

Article 4. Purpose. The general purposes for which the Corporation is organized are the following:

- A. To engage in and transact any lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the Florida General Corporation Act. No other purpose limits this general purpose in any way.
- B. To do such other things as are incidental to the purposes of the Corporation or necessary or desirable in order to accomplish them.

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Article 5. Capital Stock. The aggregate number of shares which the Corporation is authorized to issue is 10,000 shares of common stock. Such shares shall be of a single class and shall have \$0.10 par value.

Article 6. Initial Registered Office and Agent. The street address of the initial Registered Office of the Corporation is 1800 Second Street, Suite 971, Sarasota, Florida 34236, and the name of its initial Registered Agent at that address is W. LEE McGINNESS.

Article 7. Incorporator. The name and address of the Incorporator is as follows:

W. LEE McGINNESS

1800 Second Street, Suite 971 Sarasota, Florida 34236

Article 8. Amendment. The Corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation or any amendment to them, and any right conferred upon the Shareholders is subject to this reservation.

Article 9. Indemnification. The Corporation shall indemnify each Officer and Director, including former Officers and Directors, to the full extent permitted by law.

Article 10. Commencement of Corporate Existence. The date when corporate existence shall commence is January 1, 1999.

W. LEE McGINNESS

Incorporator

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## ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned hereby accepts the appointment as Registered Agent of MATTHEW A. YAHRAUS & ASSOCIATES, INC., which is contained in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and agrees to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and accepts the duties and obligations of Section 607.0505, Florida Statutes.

DATED this	day of	. 1998.

W. LEE McGINNESS

Registered Agent

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