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April 22, 1999

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

In Re: **Articles of Incorporation**
 GULF COAST TITLE CLOSINGS & ESCROW SERVICES, INC.

To Whom It May Concern:

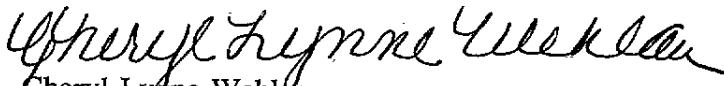
Enclosed are the original and one copy of the *Articles of Incorporation* and the *Acceptance of Appointment as Registered Agent* of the above-captioned corporation.

Also enclosed, please find my check in the amount of \$122.50 which comprises the filing fee of \$35.00, certified copy fee of \$52.50, and registered agent designation fee of \$35.00; all for the above-captioned corporation.

Please file the enclosed documents and return a certified copy to me.

Should you have any questions or wish to discuss this matter further, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely yours,


Cheryl Lynne Wehlau

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

1 **CORPORATE NAME** - The name of the Corporation is:

GULF COAST TITLE CLOSINGS & ESCROW SERVICES, INC.

2 **PRINCIPAL OFFICE** - The principal place of business and mailing address of the corporation shall be:

4942 Felecity Way
Palm Harbor, Florida 34685

3 **CAPITAL STOCK** - The number of shares of stock that the Corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is One Thousand (1,000). The Corporation elects to have preemptive rights.

4 **INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND ADDRESS** - The name and address of the initial registered agent is:

K. Dean Kantaras, P.A.
901 N. Hercules Avenue, Suite D
Clearwater, Florida 33765

5 **INITIAL DIRECTOR AND ADDRESS** - The name and address of the initial Director of the Corporation is:

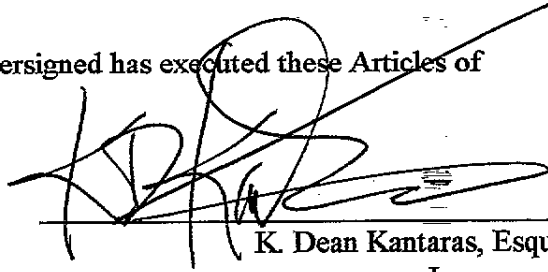
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6 **INCORPORATION** - The name and street address of the incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation is:

K. Dean Kantaras, P.A.
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation on April 22, 1999.

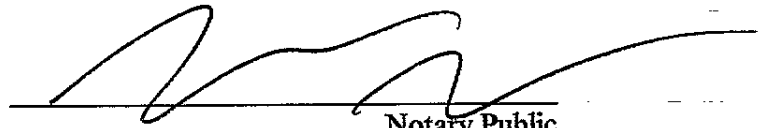


K. Dean Kantaras, Esquire
Incorporator

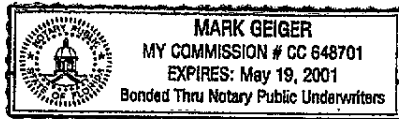
STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF PINELLAS

The foregoing Articles of Incorporation were acknowledged before me on this 22nd day of April, 1999.



Notary Public



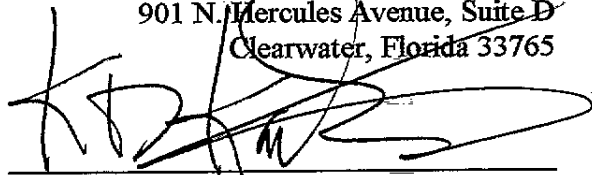
ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT
AS REGISTERED AGENT

for

GULF COAST TITLE CLOSINGS & ESCROW SERVICES, INC.

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above-named corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as Registered Agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with, and accept, the obligations of my position as Registered Agent.

K. Dean Kantaras P.A.
901 N. Hercules Avenue, Suite D
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A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'K. Dean Kantaras', is written over a horizontal line.

K. Dean Kantaras, Esquire

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