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Secretary of State  
Division of Corporations  
Post Office Box 6327  
Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Re: **ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
**Credit Assistance Company, Inc.**

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find original and one copy of Articles of Incorporation as referenced above together with a check for the \$70.00 filing fee.

Sincerely yours,

*Barry J. Fuller*  
Barry J. Fuller *By mcb*

BJF:srs  
Encl.

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
CREDIT ASSISTANCE COMPANY, INC.**

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**SECRETARY OF STATE**  
**TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA**

The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

**FIRST  
NAME**

The name of the corporation is: CREDIT ASSISTANCE COMPANY, INC.

**SECOND  
DURATION**

The period of duration of the corporation is perpetual.

**THIRD  
PURPOSE**

The purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized are to engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United States and of this State.

**FOURTH  
SHARES**

The maximum number of shares that the Corporation is authorized to have outstanding is 10,000 shares of common stock having a par value of \$1.00 per share.

**FIFTH  
REGISTERED AGENT**

The initial street address in Florida of the initial registered office of the corporation is

2301 Park Avenue, Suite 404, Orange Park, FL 32073, and the name of the initial registered agent at such address is Barry J. Fuller.

The principal place of business of this corporation is 303 NE 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Gainesville, Florida 32602.

#### SIXTH PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS

The holders of the common stock of this corporation shall have preemptive rights to purchase, at prices, terms and conditions that shall be fixed by the Board of Directors, such of the shares of the stock of this corporation as may be issued for money or any property or services from time to time, in addition to that stock authorized and issued by the corporation. The preemptive right of any holder is determined by the ratio of the authorized and issued shares of common stock held by the holder to all shares of common stock currently authorized and issued.

#### SEVENTH INITIAL INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the initial incorporators are as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Kara Cameron	303 NE 6 <sup>th</sup> Avenue Gainesville, FL 32602

#### EIGHTH INITIAL DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors of the corporation shall consist of from one to five members, as more specifically set forth in the by-laws. The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time by amendment to the by-laws. Initially there shall be one

member. The name and address of the initial member of the Board of Directors is:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Kara Cameron	303 NE 6 <sup>th</sup> Avenue Gainesville, FL 32602


#### NINTH CUMULATIVE VOTING

The shareholders of this corporation shall be allowed to vote their shares cumulatively so as to give one shareholder as many votes as the number of directors to be elected multiplied by the number of said shareholder's shares, to distribute them among as many candidates as said shareholder may wish. Notice must be given by any shareholder to the President or as Vice President of said corporation not less than 24 hours prior to the time set for the holding of a shareholders' meeting for the election of directors that said shareholder intends to cumulate his vote at said election.

#### TENTH AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES

The shareholders shall have the power to adopt, amend, alter, change or repeal the Articles of Incorporation when proposed and approved at a shareholders meeting, with not less than a majority vote of the common stock.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has made and subscribed to these Articles of Incorporation at Orange Park, Clay County, Florida this 5<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1999.

  
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Barry J. Fuller

**STATE OF FLORDIA**  
**COUNTY OF CLAY**

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Barry J. Fuller, who is known to be the persons described in and who subscribed the above Articles of Incorporation, and did freely and voluntarily acknowledge before me according to law that he made and subscribed the same for the uses and purposes described therein mentioned and set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal this 5<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1999 in the County and State aforesaid.

  
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NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:


SUZANNE R. SONKE  
Notary Public, State of Florida  
My Comm. expires Nov. 16, 1999  
Comm. No. CC 493770

**CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION  
REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE**

Pursuant to the provisions of section 607.0501, Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered office/registered agent, in the State of Florida.


1. The name of the corporation is: CREDIT ASSISTANCE COMPANY, INC.. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

Barry J. Fuller  
2301 Park Avenue, Suite 404  
Orange Park, Florida 32073

  
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Barry J. Fuller  
Incorporator  
Date: May 5, 1999

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Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated 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.

  
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Barry J. Fuller  
Date: May 5, 1999