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## FLORIDA PROFIT CORPORATION OR P.A.

The Independence Connection, Inc.

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
**OF**

**The Independence Connection, Inc.**

The undersigned Cynthia Coutts, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation

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**ARTICLE ONE      NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be The Independence Connection, Inc.

**ARTICLE TWO      PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be  
12344 NW 13th Court, Pembroke Pines, FL 33026

**ARTICLE THREE      SHARES**

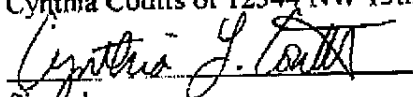
The number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time shares is: **one hundred (100) of no par value.**

**ARTICLE FOUR      INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

The name and Florida street address of the initial registered agent will be  
Cynthia Coutts of 12344 NW 13th Court, Pembroke Pines, FL 33026

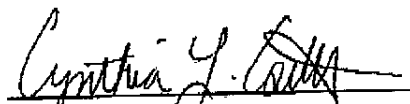
**ARTICLE FIVE      INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator of these Articles of Incorporation are:  
Cynthia Coutts of 12344 NW 13th Court, Pembroke Pines, FL 33026

  
Signed  
Cynthia Coutts

7/16/99  
Dated

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.

  
Signed Cynthia Coutts  
Registered Agent

7/16/99  
Dated

Paralegal Associates  
741 W. Oakland Park Boulevard  
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33311  
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## ARTICLE SIX

The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors is two and the name and address of the person or persons who are to serve as directors until the first annual meeting of the shareholders or until their successors are elected and qualified are:

## Name

## Mailing Address

Cynthia Coutts  
Catherine Coutts  
Edward Coutts

12344 NW 13th Court, Pembroke Pines, FL 33026  
5765 NW 112th Terrace, Hialeah, FL 33012  
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## ARTICLE SEVEN

The Board of Directors is empowered to make, alter or repeal the Bylaws of the corporation without restriction of their powers conferred by statute.

## ARTICLE EIGHT

The powers of the Incorporator cease upon filing of the Articles of Incorporation.

  
Cynthia Coutts Incorporator

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