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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
DENTAL EXPRESS OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.**

**ARTICLE I  
NAME**

The name of this Corporation is **DENTAL EXPRESS OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.**

**ARTICLE II  
PURPOSES**

This Corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any and all lawful business permitted by a Florida corporation under Chapter 607, Florida Statutes.

**ARTICLE III  
STOCK**

This Corporation is authorized to issue 1000 shares of common stock with a par value of \$.01 per share.

**ARTICLE IV  
REGISTERED AGENT**

The street address of the initial registered office of this Corporation is 3932 N.W. 167<sup>th</sup> Street, Miami, Florida 33054, and the name of the initial registered agent at that address is Gabriel R. Harden.

**ARTICLE V  
DIRECTORS**

This Corporation shall have one director initially. The number of directors may be increased or diminished from time to time as provided in the Bylaws, but shall never be less than one. The name and address of the initial director of this Corporation is Gabriel R. Harden, 3932 N.W. 167<sup>th</sup> Street, Miami, Florida 33054.

**ARTICLE VI  
INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the incorporator of this Corporation is Gabriel R. Harden, 3932 N.W. 167<sup>th</sup> Street, Miami, Florida 33054.

**ARTICLE VII  
ADDRESS**

The principal office and mailing address of the corporation is 3932 N.W. 167<sup>th</sup> Street, Miami, Florida 33054.

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**ARTICLE VIII  
INDEMNIFICATION**

This Corporation shall indemnify, defend, save and hold harmless and insure its officers and directors to the fullest extent permitted by law either now or hereafter.

**ARTICLE IX  
PERPETUAL EXISTENCE**

This Corporation shall have perpetual existence unless sooner dissolved as provided by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 5<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1999.

**DENTAL EXPRESS OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.**

  
Gabriel R. Harden, Incorporator

**ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT  
OF  
REGISTERED AGENT**

The undersigned hereby accepts the appointment as registered agent contained in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation.

  
Gabriel R. Harden, Registered Agent

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