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**OTHER FILINGS**

- ☐ Annual Report  
☐ Fictitious Name

**AMENDMENTS**

- ☐ Amendment  
☐ Resignation of R.A., Officer/Director  
☐ Change of Registered Agent  
☐ Dissolution/Withdrawal  
☐ Merger

**REGISTRATION/QUALIFICATION**

- ☐ Foreign  
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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

**OF**

**BENCHMARK FUNDING, INC.**

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**ARTICLE I.**

**NAME**

The name of the corporation is:

**BENCHMARK FUNDING, INC.**

**ARTICLE II.**

This corporation shall exist perpetually, unless dissolved according to law.

**ARTICLE III.**

**NATURE OF BUSINESS**

The corporation may engage in one activity or business permitted under the laws of the United States and of the State of Florida. While engaging in such activity or business, it may exercise all of the powers and privileges conferred by Chapter 607, Florida Statutes as presently in effect and as may be amended from time to time in the future.

**ARTICLE IV.**

**CAPITAL STOCK**

The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any time is: Ten Thousand Shares. \$1 PAR VALUE COMMON STOCK.

**ARTICLE V.**

**INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT & OFFICE**

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 7829 S.R. 100, Box 161, Lake Geneva, Florida 32160, **AND** the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation is **Jason Renault**. The principal office address is the same as registered office address.

**ARTICLE VI.**

**INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The corporation shall have one director initially. The number of directors may be increased or diminished from time to time by the by-laws, but shall never be less than one. The name and address of the initial director of this corporation is: **Jason Renault** 7829 S.R. 100, Box 161, Lake Geneva, Florida 32160.

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**ARTICLE VII.**

**INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the person signing these articles is: **Jason Renault** 7829 S.R. 100, Box 161, Lake Geneva, Florida 32160.

**ARTICLE VIII.**

**BY-LAWS**

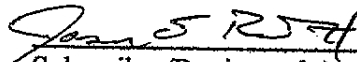
The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal by-laws shall be vested in the Board of Directors and the Stockholders.

**ARTICLE IX.**

**AMENDMENTS**

The corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation or any amendment thereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.


**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the undersigned subscriber has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 19<sup>th</sup> day of OCTOBER, 1999.

  
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Subscriber/Registered Agent  
(Accepts Services Process  
as Registered Agent)

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF CLAY

Before me, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgments in the State and County set forth above, personally appeared Jason Renault, known to me to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and he acknowledged before me that he executed these Articles of Incorporation.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, in the State and County aforesaid, this 19<sup>th</sup> day of OCTOBER, 1999

  
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NOTARY PUBLIC  
State of Florida at Large



JOANN ROBERTS  
Notary Public, State of Florida  
My Comm. Exp. Sept. 26, 2002  
Comm. No. CC 748444