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ALABAMA INSURANCE EXCHANGE, INC. ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

TO THE JUDGE OF PROBATE OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA:

ALABAMA INSURANCE EXCHANGE, INC., an Alabama corporation (the "Corporation"), submits the following information required by Ala. Code § 10-2B-10.06:

- The name of the Corporation is ALABAMA INSURANCE EXCHANGE, INC.
- The Articles of Incorporation of the Corporation are hereby amended by adding thereto ARTICLE XIV in the form set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto.
- Said amendment was duly approved by the Board of Directors and shareholders of the Corporation as of January 2, 1997, as required by Ala. Code § 10-2B-10.03
- (a) The Corporation had issued and outstanding 720 shares of common stock entitled to be voted on said amendment.
- (b) 720 shares were voted in favor of said amendment and zero (0) shares were voted against said amendment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Corporation has caused these Articles of Amendment to be executed in its name and on its behalf by its duly authorized officer, on this / / / day of J_{an} , 1997.

ALABAMA INSURANCE EXCHANGE, INC.

Robert K. Williams, President

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EXHIBIT A

ARTICLE XIV

The Articles of Incorporation of the Corporation may not be amended to limit, restrict, eliminate or alter the shareholders' preemptive rights granted pursuant to Ala. Code § 10-2B-6.30, or any successor statute, or pursuant to any other law of the State of Alabama, without the affirmative vote of ninety percent (90%) of the issued and outstanding shares of the Corporation entitled to vote thereon.

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