

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

**OF**

**NANCY C. FOWLER, D.M.D., P.C.**

**THE UNDERSIGNED**, being natural persons at least twenty-one (21) years old and acting as incorporators of the corporation, Nancy C. Fowler, D.M.D., P. C., being formed under Section 19-4-381, et. seq., Code of Alabama, 1975, The Alabama Professional Corporation Act, certify as follows:

1. **Name**           The name of the Corporation is Nancy C. Fowler, D.M.D., P.C..

2. **Purpose**           Corporation is formed for the following purposes:

a.           To engage in the specific business of the practice of the profession of dentistry through individuals licensed under the laws of the State of Alabama to practice dentistry in said State.

b.           To purchase or otherwise acquire, hold, own, maintain, improve, operate, mortgage, sell, convey, lease, sublease, or otherwise deal in and dispose of personal and real property of every kind, character, and description in furtherance of Corporation's professional business.

c.           To enter into contracts of all kinds in furtherance of Corporation's professional business.

d.           To borrow money with or without security in furtherance of Corporation's professional business, and to make, endorse, execute, and issue those instruments for the payment of money that are necessary to evidence Corporation's borrowings.

e.           To invest Corporation's funds in real properties, mortgages, stocks, bonds, or any other types of investments, and while the owner or holder of any real properties, mortgages, stocks, bonds, or other type of investments, to receive, collect, reinvest, and dispose of the interest, dividends, and income arising from such property, and to possess and exercise all the rights, powers, and privileges of ownership, including all voting powers of any stocks owned.

f.           To establish and carry out pension, profit-sharing, share-bonus, share-purchase, incentive, and benefit plans, trusts, and provisions for any or all of Corporation's Directors, officers, and employees.

g.           Paragraphs 2 (a) through 2 (f) shall be construed as enumerating both objects and purposes of Corporation, and the enumeration of specific purposes shall not be held to limit or restrict in any manner the purposes of the Corporation otherwise permitted by law.

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h. To exercise all of the powers now or hereafter conferred by the Alabama Professional Corporation Act upon corporations formed thereunder, subject to any limitations contained in the Alabama Professional Corporation Act or in accordance with the provisions of any other statute of the State of Alabama.

3. **Address.** The principal office of the corporation shall be in Shelby County, Alabama, at 117 Buck Creek Plaza, Alabaster, Alabama 35007.

4. **Capital Stock.** The aggregate number of common shares that Corporation shall have authority to issue is one Hundred (100) Common Shares, which shares are to have a par value of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) per share.

5. **Ownership Only by Qualified Persons.** The share of capital stock of Corporation shall be issued and transferred (other than by operation of law or court decree) only to individuals who are authorized to practice dentistry in the State of Alabama. No transferee of shares of capital stock of Corporation by operation of law or court decree may vote such shares for any purpose whatsoever except as permitted by the laws of the State of Alabama.

6. **Names and Qualifications of Shareholder.** The names, residences, and licenses or certificate numbers of the individuals who are to be the original shareholders, Directors, and Officers of Corporation are:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>License/ Certificate Number</u>
Nancy C. Fowler, D.M.D.	117 Buck Creek Plaza Alabaster, Alabama 35007	State of Alabama # 4783

All of these persons are licensed by the State of Alabama to practice the profession of dentistry.

7. The names and post office addresses of the incorporators, and the number of share of stocks subscribed by each, are as follows:

<u>NAME &amp; ADDRESS</u>	<u>SHARES OF STOCK</u>	<u>VALUE</u>
Nancy C. Fowler, D.M.D.	100	\$1,000.00

8. The names and addresses of the Directors chosen for the first year are as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Nancy C. Fowler, D.M. D.	117 Buck Creek Plaza Alabaster, Alabama 35007

9. **Registered Agent for Corporation.** The initial registered agent of the corporation authorized to receive service of process is NANCY C. FOWLER, D.M.D. whose address is 117 Buck Creek Plaza, Alabaster, Alabama 35007.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have made, subscribed, and acknowledged this Certificate this 14th day of September, 1997.

  
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NANCY C. FOWLER, D.M.D.

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# STATE OF ALABAMA

I, Jim Bennett, Secretary of State of the State of Alabama, having custody of the Great and Principal Seal of said State, do hereby certify that pursuant to the provisions of Section 10-2B-4.02, Code of Alabama 1975, and upon an examination of the corporation records on file in this office, the following corporate name is reserved as available:

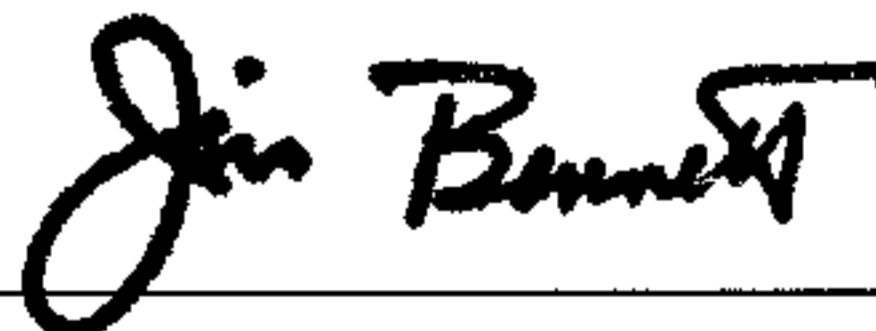
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This domestic corporation name is proposed to be incorporated in Shelby County and is for the exclusive use of Thomas Davis, 850 Park Place Tower, Birmingham, AL 35203 for a period of one hundred twenty days beginning September 5, 1997 and expiring January 4, 1998.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State, at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this day.

September 5, 1997

Date



Jim Bennett

Secretary of State



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