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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
REALTY CONNECTION, INC**

ARTICLE 1

The name of the corporation is Realty Connection, Inc.

ARTICLE 2

The purpose of the corporation is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which a corporation may be organized under the Alabama Business Corporation Act, now or hereafter in effect, and to do any of such things as fully, and to the same extent as, a natural person might or could do.

ARTICLE 3

The duration of existence of the corporation is perpetual.

ARTICLE 4

The aggregate number of shares that the corporation shall have authority to issue is 1000 shares. All such shares shall be of a single class, designated as common, and shall be \$1.00 (one dollar) par value.

ARTICLE 5

Each holder of common shares shall have one vote for each such share held of record on all matters submitted for shareholder approval. Except as otherwise specifically required by law, or except as specifically provided in these Articles of Incorporation, all other matters requiring shareholder approval shall require an affirmative vote of a majority of the shares voting thereon. The holders of the common shares shall have unlimited voting rights and the right to receive the net assets of the corporation upon its dissolution. At each election of directors, no shareholder shall be entitled to cumulate his/her votes in voting for the election of directors.

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ARTICLE 6

No shareholder shall have the preferential or preemptive right to subscribe for or to purchase any shares of any class, any rights, warrants or options with respect thereto, or any obligation convertible into or exchangeable for any such shares or other securities whether out of unissued shares or other securities or out of shares or other securities acquired by the corporation after the issue thereof, regardless of the consideration therefor.

ARTICLE 7

The corporation shall indemnify to the fullest extent permitted by the Alabama Business Corporation Act any person who has been made, or is threatened to be made, a party to an action, suit, or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative, investigative, or otherwise (including an action, suit or proceeding by or in the right of the corporation), by reason of the fact that the person is or was a director or officer of the corporation, or a fiduciary within the meaning of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 with respect to an employee benefit plan of the corporation, or serves or served at the request of the corporation as a director, or as an officer, or as a fiduciary of an employee benefit plan, of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise. In addition, the corporation shall pay for or reimburse any expenses incurred by such persons who are parties to such proceedings, in advance of the final disposition of such proceedings, to the full extent permitted by the Alabama Business Corporation Act.

ARTICLE 8

To the fullest extent permitted by law, a director of the corporation shall have no personal liability to the corporation or its shareholders for monetary damages for conduct as a director; provided that this Article does shall not eliminate the liability of a director for any act or omission for which such elimination of liability is not permitted under the Alabama Business Corporation Act.

No amendment to that Act, or amendment of these Articles of Incorporation, that further limits the acts or omissions for which elimination of liability is permitted, shall adversely affect any right or protection of a director for any act or omission occurring prior to such amendment. If the Alabama Business Corporation Act is amended to further limit or eliminate liability of a director, then a director of the corporation shall not be liable for any such act or omission to the fullest extent permitted by the Alabama Business Corporation Act, as so amended.

ARTICLE 9

The bylaws of the corporation may be amended by majority vote of either the directors or the shareholders.

ARTICLE 10

The number of directors of the corporation shall be fixed by the bylaws of the corporation. The initial board of directors shall consist of one (1) director whose name and address is as follows:

Janice A. Johns
1294 Eagle Park Road
Birmingham, AL 35242

ARTICLE 11

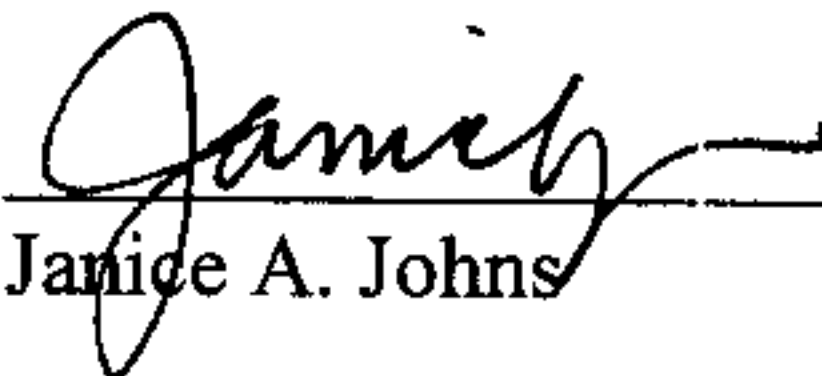
The initial registered agent of the corporation is Janice A. Johns. The street address of the corporation's initial registered office is 1294 Eagle Park Road, Birmingham, AL 35242.

ARTICLE 12

The name and address of the incorporator of the corporation is:

Janice A. Johns
1294 Eagle Park Road
Birmingham, AL 35242

INCORPORATOR:

 [SEAL]
Janice A. Johns

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:

Realty Connection, Inc.

This domestic corporation name is proposed to be incorporated in Shelby County and is for the exclusive use of Brittany Hamrick, 400 Shades Creek Pkwy Ste 100, Birmingham, AL 35209 for a period of one hundred twenty days beginning March 8, 2001 and expiring July 7, 2001.



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.

March 8, 2001

Date

Jim Bennett

Secretary of State

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