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Department of State Corporate Records/ Division of Corporations P.O.Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314



Dear Secretary of State;

Enclosed please find one original and a copy of the Articles of Incorporation of <u>El Rodeo Mexican Restaurant</u>, <u>Inc.</u>

Also find enclosed a check made payable to the Secretary of State in the amount of \$ 70.00 which includes the statutory filing fee. Your assistance in establishing the corporation is appreciated.

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Respectfully,

Secretary

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

EL RODEO MEXICAN RESTAURANT , INC.

ELTESTIVE DATE

2-25-2000

ARTICLE I.

The name of the corporation shall be:

El Rodeo Mexican Restaurant, Inc.

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SECRETARY OF UNITE
TRALLAHASSES, FLORIDA

#### ARTICLE II.

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

#### 644 Park Avenue

Orange Park, Florida 32073

#### ARTICLE III.

The total number of shares of stock which the corporation shall have the authority to issue is ONE HUNDRED (100) all of one class, namely common stock, and the par value of each share is ONE (\$1.00) DOLLAR amounting in the aggregate to One Hundred (100) Dollars. The corporation will not commence business until it has received for the issuance of shares consideration of the value of \$100.00 consisting of money, labor done or property actually received.

#### ARTICLE IV

The name of its initial Registered Agent is:

#### Maria Garrett

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is:

#### 644 Park Avenue

#### Orange Park, Florida 32073

#### ARTICLE V

The name(s) and street address(es) of the incorporator(s) to these Articles of Incorporation is (are):

#### Maria Garrett

#### 644 Park Avenue

### Orange Park, Florida 32073

#### ARTICLE VI

The corporation shall begin its existence on the date these Articles of Incorporation are subscribed and acknowledged, and the duration if the corporation thereafter shall be perpetual, unless sooner terminated in accordance with law.

#### ARTICLE VII

The corporation shall have One (1) Director, initially. The number of Directors may be changed from time to time by the By-Laws, adopted by the stockholders, but shall never be less than One (1).

#### ARTICLE VIII

The names and post office addresses of the initial Directors are as follows;

#### Maria Garrett

#### 644 Park Avenue

#### Orange Park, Florida 32073

#### ARTICLE IX

Each stockholder of the corporation shall have the right to purchase, subscribe for, or receive a right or rights to purchase or subscribe for, at the par value thereof a pro rate portion of:

1. Any stock of any class that the corporation may issue or sell, whether or not exchangeable for any stock of the corporation of any class or classes, and whether or not of unissued shares authorized by the Articles of Incorporation as originally filed or by any amendment thereof or out of shares of stock of the corporation acquired by it after the issuance thereof, and whether issued for cash, labor done, personal property, or real property or leases thereof;

2. Any obligation that the corporation may issue or sell which is convertible into or exchangeable for any stock of the corporation of any class or classes, or to which is attached or pertinent any warrant or warrants other instrument or instruments conferring on the corporation any shares of its stock of any class or classes

#### ARTICLE X

The corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change, or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation or in any amendment thereto in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by law, and all rights conferred upon shareholders herein are granted subject to this reservation.

#### ARTICLE XI

of process for <u>El Rodeo Mexican Restaurant</u>, <u>Inc.</u> certify that I am a permanent resident of Clay County, Florida, and agree to comply with the laws of Florida relative to keeping open said office.

DATED at Orange Park, Clay County, Florida, this day of Tebucu, A.D., 2000.

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STATE OF FLORIDA

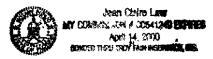
COUNTY OF CLAY

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that on this day before me, a Notary Public duly authorized in the State and County above to take acknowledgements personally appeared <u>Maria Garrett</u>, to me known to be the person described as the registered agent in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and acknowledged before me that he executed same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Orange Park, Clay, Florida, this day of Tebuan, A.D., 2000.

Notary Public, State of Florida

My Commission Expires:



Maria Garrett

ID: Yersonally Brown

## CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

Pursuant to the provisions of sections 607.0501 or 617.0501,

Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation, organized under
the laws of the state of Florida, submits the following statement
in designating the registered office/registered agent, in the
state of Florida.

1. The name of the corporation is:

#### El Rodeo Mexican Restaurant, Inc.

2. The name and address of the registered agent is:

#### Maria Garrett

#### 644 Park Avenue

#### Orange Park, Florida 32073

HAVING BEEN NAMED AS REGISTERED AGENT AND TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY ACCEPT THE APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT AND AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY. I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATING TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF MY DUTIES, AND I AM FAMILIAR WITH AND ACCEPT THE OBLIGATIONS OF MY POSITION AS REGISTERED AGENT.

Signature 7 Main Saul H.

Date robusou 28, 2000