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RE: Articles of Incorporation
BROWN INVESTMENTS OF TAMPA BAY, INC.

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am enclosing the following:

1. Original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation for BROWN INVESTMENTS OF TAMPA BAY, INC.
2. This firm's check in the amount of \$78.75, representing payment of the following charges:

Filing Fee	\$ 35.00
One Certified Copy	8.75
Resident Agent Fee	<u>35.00</u>
TOTAL:	\$ 78.75

Upon receipt, please file the Articles of Incorporation for the above-referenced corporation and **return the certified copy of the same to me by Federal Express.** I have enclosed a return airbill for this purpose. Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. If you have any questions or require further information regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Sincerely yours,


Nicholas F. Lang

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
BROWN INVESTMENTS OF TAMPA BAY, INC.

The undersigned, acting as Incorporator of a corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, Chapter 607, Florida Statutes, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of this corporation is BROWN INVESTMENTS OF TAMPA BAY, INC.

ARTICLE II. DURATION

This corporation shall have perpetual duration.

ARTICLE III. EFFECTIVE DATE

The date of commencement of corporation existence shall be the date of filing of these Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE IV. NATURE OF BUSINESS

This corporation shall have the power to do any act in business or commerce as is now or hereafter may be authorized under the laws of the United States and the State of Florida.

ARTICLE V. CAPITAL STOCK

The maximum number of shares of stock which this corporation is authorized to issue is One Thousand (1,000) shares of Common stock having a nominal par value of One Dollar (\$ 1.00) per share.

ARTICLE VI. REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE.

The initial registered agent upon whom service of process may be effected for the corporation is Jerry S. Brown and the initial registered office is 4555 38th Street North, St. Petersburg, Florida 33714.

ARTICLE VII. PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal office and mailing address of the corporation is 4555 38th Street North, St. Petersburg, Florida 33714.

ARTICLE VIII. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have two (2) directors, initially. The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time in accordance with the By-Laws adopted by the shareholders.

ARTICLE IX. INITIAL DIRECTORS

The names and addresses of the members of the initial Board of Directors are:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Jerry S. Brown	4555 38 th Street North St. Petersburg, FL 33714
Sandra L. Brown	4555 38 th Street North St. Petersburg, FL 33714

ARTICLE X. INCORPORATOR

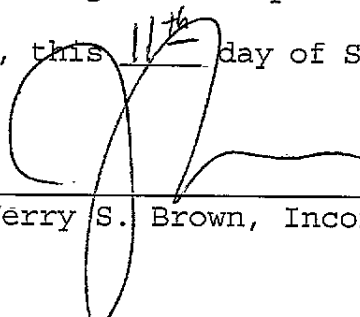
The name and address of the Incorporator of the corporation is:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Jerry S. Brown	4555 38 th Street North St. Petersburg, FL 33714

ARTICLE XI. AMENDMENT

These Articles may be amended by the Board of Directors and the shareholders in the manner provided by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation, this 11th day of September, 2000.



Jerry S. Brown, Incorporator

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ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT
AND RESIDENT AGENT

I hereby accept the foregoing designation as Registered Agent and Resident Agent at the Registered Office as referred to in Article VI of the foregoing Articles of Incorporation 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.

DATED: September 11th, 2000.



Jerry S. Brown