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April 12, 2005

Via U. S. Mail

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Re: Incorporation of SOUTHERN TRIMS BY ERNIE, INC.

My File Number: 03.307.5030

Dear Linda:

In connection with the proposed corporation referenced-above, I have enclosed the following documents:

- 1. The original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation; and
- 2. A copy of your correspondence dated April 7, 2005.

You have in your file our check numbered 10585, in the amount of \$ 70.00, which represents payment for the filing fee, made payable to the Department of State.

Please file the original and return the stamped copy to my office in the self-addressed, stamped envelope enclosed for your convenience.

Finally, kindly fax the first page of the articles and the Department of State letter to my office at (561) 845-6958.

Very truly,

enclosures

Articles of Incorporation of SOUTHERN TRIMS BY ERNIE, INC.

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of this corporation shall be SOUTHERN TRIMS BY ERNIE, INC. having a principal office at 15780 97^{TR} Road North, West Palm Beach, Florida 33412-1711.

ARTICLE II. COMMENCEMENT and DURATION

The commencement of this corporation's existence shall be at the time of the filing of these Articles of Incorporation by the Secretary of State. This corporation's duration shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE III. PURPOSES, POWERS and RIGHTS

This corporation is being organized for the purpose of engaging in any lawful act or activity for which corporations may be organized under the laws of the State of Florida.

In furtherance of its corporate purposes, this corporation shall have all of the general and specific powers and rights granted to and conferred on a corporation by laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE IV. CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation shall have the authority to issue 1000 at \$1.00 par value shares of common capital stock. The designations, voting powers, references and relative, participating, optional or other special rights, and qualifications, limitations or restrictions of the above stock are as follows:

A. The holders of the common stock are entitled to receive, to the extent permitted by law, such dividends as may be declared from time to time by the Board of Directors.

- the В. In the event of voluntary or involuntary liquidation, dissolution, distribution of assets or winding up of the corporation, after distribution in full of the preferential amounts, if any, to be distributed to the creditors and holders of shares of preferred stock, if any such stock shall be authorized herein and issued, the holders of common stock shall be entitled to receive all of the remaining assets of the corporation of whatever kind available for distribution to shareholders ratably in proportion to the number of shares of common stock held by them respectively. The Board of Directors may distribute in kind to the holders of common stock such remaining assets of the corporation or may sell, transfer or otherwise dispose of all or any part of such remaining assets to any other corporation, trust or other entity and receive payment therefor in cash, stock or obligations of such other corporation, trust or other entity, or combination thereof, and may sell all or any part of the consideration so received and distribute balance thereof in kind to holders of common stock. The merger or consolidation of the corporation into or with any other corporation, or the merger of any other corporation into it, or any purchase or redemption of shares of stock of the corporation of any class, shall not be deemed to be a dissolution, liquidation nor winding up of the corporation for the purposes of this paragraph.
- C. Any person, upon becoming the owner or holder of any shares of the common stock or other securities having rights voting issued рy this corporation ("shareholder"), does thereby consent and agree that all rights, powers, privileges, obligations restrictions pertaining to such person securities in any way be altered, amended, restricted, enlarged, or repealed by legislative enactments of the State of Florida, or of the United States hereinafter adopted which have reference to or affect corporations, such securities, or such persons if any; and that the corporation reserves the right to transfer any business of the corporation, to alter, amend or repeal these

Articles of Incorporation, or to do any other acts or things as authorized, permitted or allowed by such legislative enactments.

ARTICLE V. PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS

Every shareholder, upon the sale for cash by this corporation of any shares of new capital stock of the same kind, class, or series, as that which the shareholder already holds, shall have the preemptive right to purchase a pro rata share thereof (as nearly as may be done without the issuance of fractional shares) at the price at which such shares are offered to others.

ARTICLE VI. TRANSFER RESTRICTIONS

No shareholder shall have the right to sell, assign, pledge, encumber, transfer, or otherwise dispose of any shares of the capital stock of this corporation, without first offering such shares for sale to this corporation at the net asset value Such offer shall be in writing, signed by the thereof. shareholder, sent by registered or certified mail to this corporation at its registered office address, and open for acceptance by this corporation for a period of thirty days from the date of mailing. If this corporation fails or refuses, within such period, to make satisfactory arrangements for the purchase of such shares, the shareholder shall have the right to dispose of such shares without any further restrictions.

On the death of any shareholder, this corporation shall have the right to purchase any shares of the capital stock of this corporation owned by the shareholder immediately prior to the shareholder's death, on the terms set forth above, and this provision shall be binding upon the personal representative of the shareholder.

Each stock certificate issued by this corporation shall carry the following legend:

> "These Shares Are Held Subject To Certain Transfer Restrictions Imposed By This Corporation's Articles of Incorporation, A Copy Of Which Is On File At This Corporation's Principal Office."

ARTICLE VII. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The number of directors on this corporation's Initial Board of Directors shall be one (1). The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time, as provided in this corporation's bylaws, but shall never be less than one (1).

- Α. All corporate powers shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of the corporation shall be managed under the direction of, the Board of Directors, except as otherwise herein provided or reserved to the holders of common stock. In furtherance and not in limitation of the general and specific powers and rights granted and conferred by the applicable provisions of the laws of Florida, the Board of Directors is expressly authorized:
 - To make, alter or repeal the Bylaws of 1. corporation.
 - To set apart out of any of the funds of the 2. corporation available for dividends a reserve or reserves for any proper purpose and to abolish any reserve in the manner in which it was created.
 - By a majority of the whole board, to designated 3. one or more committees, each committee is to consist of one or more directors οf The board may designate one or more corporation. directors as alternate members of any committee, who may replace any absent or disqualified member at any meeting of the committee. The Bylaws my provide that in the absence or disqualification of a member of a meeting and not disqualified from voting, whether or not he or they constitute a quorum, may unanimously appoint another member of the Board of Directors to act at the meeting in the place of any such absent or disqualified such committee, to the extent member. Any provided in the resolution of the Board Directors, or in the Bylaws of the corporation, shall have and may exercise all the powers and authority of the Board of Directors in

the management of the business and affairs of the corporation to the extent permitted by the applicable provisions of the laws of Florida, and may authorize the seal of the corporation to be affixed to all papers which may require it; but no such committee shall have the powers or authority reference to amending the Articles Incorporation, adopting an agreement of merger or consolidation, recommending to the shareholders sale, lease or exchange of substantially all of the corporation's property and assets, recommending to the shareholders a dissolution of the corporation or a revocation of a dissolution, or amending the Bylaws of the corporation; and, unless the resolution of Bylaws expressly so provide, no such committee shall have the power or authority to declare a dividend or to authorize the issuance of stock.

- 4. When and as authorized by the shareholders in accordance with statute, to sell, lease or exchange all or substantially all of the property and assets of the corporation, including its goodwill and its corporate franchises, upon such terms and conditions and for such consideration, which may consist in whole or in part of money or property including shares of stock in, and/or other securities of, any other corporation or corporations, as the Board Of Directors shall deem expedient and for the best interests of the corporation.
- B. 1. As indicated above, the number of members of the Board of Directors may be increased from time to time, as provided in this corporation's bylaws, but (subject to vacancies) in no event may there be less than one (1) director. Each director shall serve until the next annual meeting of shareholders.

- 2. If any vacancy occurs in the Board of Directors during a term, the remaining directors, by affirmative vote of a majority thereof, may elect a director to fill the vacancy until the next annual meeting of shareholders.
- 3. The names and mailing addresses of the persons who shall serve as directors of the corporation until the first annual meeting of the shareholders are as follows:

Ernie Dean Small, Jr. 15780 97th Road North West Palm Beach, Florida 33412-1711

ARTICLE VIII. DIRECTOR and SHAREHOLDER ACTION BY CONSENT

Any corporate action upon which a vote of directors (or a committee thereof) or shareholders is required or permitted may be taken without a meeting or vote of directors or shareholders with the written consent of all directors or shareholders having not less than a majority of all of the stock entitled to vote upon the action if a meeting were held; provided, that in no case shall the written consent by holders have less than the minimum percent of the vote required by statute for the proposed corporate action and provided that prompt notice be given to all directors and shareholders of the taking of corporate action without a meeting and by less than unanimous written consent.

ARTICLE IX. INDEMNIFICATION

This corporation shall indemnify any officer, director, employee, or agent, and any former officer, directors, employee, or agent, to the full extent permitted by law.

ARTICLE X. INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICER and AGENT

The address of this corporation's initial registered office shall be: 1211 The Plaza, Singer Island, Fl. 33404.

The name of the individual who shall serve as corporation's initial registered agent at that address is: JAMES M. STEWART, ESQ.

ARTICLE XI. INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the individual who shall serve as this corporation's incorporator is: Katie L. Stephens, 4440 Royal Fern Way, Palm Beach Gardens, Florida 33410.

ARTICLE XII. AMENDMENT

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendments hereto, in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by statute. Any rights conferred upon the shareholders are granted subject to this reservation.

Katis L. Stephens, Incorporator

Registered Agent

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PALM BEACH

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 12 day of April, 2005, by Katie L. Stephens, designated as the incorporator of SOUTHERN TRIMS, BY ERNIE, INC., and who is personally known to me.

Linda Tirey

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large

My Commission No.: 338578

Commission Expiration: August 13, 2008



STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PALM BEACH

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this $\[DIF]$ day of April, 2005, by JAMES M. STEWART, ESQ., designated as Registered Agent for SQUTHERN TRIMS BY ERNIE, INC., who is personally known to me.

Linda Tirey

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large

My Commission No.: DD338578

Commission Expiration: 08/13/08

File Number: 03.307.4030

Linda Tirey
My Commission DD338578
Expires August 13, 2008

CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING AGENT AND PLACE FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS

Pursuant to Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with said Act:

That SOUTHERN TRIMS BY ERNIE, INC., having a principal office at 15780 97th Road North, West Palm Beach, Florida 33412-1711, desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its office for the service of process within this State located at 1211 The Plaza, Singer Island, Fl., 33404, has named JAMES M. STEWART, ESQ., as its Registered Agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, at the place designated in this Certificate. The undersigned is familiar with the duties and responsibilities as registered agent and hereby accepts to act in this capacity, and agrees to comply with the provisions of said Act relative to keeping open said office.

JAMES M. STEWART, ESQ.

Registered Agent

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