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Greetings:

Enclosed please find one original and one copy of Articles of Incorporation of Apalachee Lodge No. 2603, Loyal Order of Moose, Inc. I have included check no. 113993 payable to the Secretary of State in the amount of \$70.00 for filing fees.

Please send confirmation of filing to:

Stacy S. Herrmann, Legal Department  
MOOSE INTERNATIONAL, INC.  
Route 31  
Mooseheart, Illinois 60539-1117

Very truly yours,

*Stacy Herrmann*

Stacy Herrmann  
Paralegal

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
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The undersigned subscribers to this charter, each being of legal age, competent to contract, hereby associate themselves together to form a corporation not for profit under the Laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I: The name of this corporation shall be Apalachee Lodge No. 2603, Loyal Order of Moose, Inc. and the principal place of business shall be 308 2<sup>nd</sup> Street East, Carrabelle, County of Franklin, in Florida.

ARTICLE II: The objects and purposes for which this Corporation is formed are to establish corporate form to Apalachee Lodge No. 2603, Loyal Order of Moose, Inc. as chartered by Moose International, Inc. and to unite its membership in the bonds of fraternity, benevolence and charity, to assist its members and their families in time of need, to render particular service to orphaned and dependent children, aged members and their wives, and to further the mutual welfare of its members and their families. Said corporation shall have power to purchase, take, hold, lease, rent, sell or mortgage property and to do all things incidental, necessary or convenient in the carrying out of the foregoing purposes, all of which are to be carried out not for profit and without shares of stock.

This Corporation is incorporated in conformity with, subject to and under the jurisdiction and control of the laws for the regulation of lodges in the Loyal Order of Moose and is subject to the Constitution and General Laws of Moose International, Inc. Its business affairs shall be conducted by its members in good standing and by its respective officers in the manner and at such times as are prescribed by the Constitution and General Laws of Moose International, Inc.

ARTICLE III: The membership of said Corporation shall consist only of the members in good standing of said Fraternal Lodge Association known as Apalachee Lodge No. 2603, Loyal Order of Moose, Inc. Membership in said Fraternal Lodge Association shall carry with it ipso facto membership in this Corporation, and there shall be no other way or means of becoming a member of this Corporation. Membership in this Corporation shall cease whenever membership ceases in said Fraternal Lodge Association known as Apalachee Lodge No. 2603, Loyal Order of Moose, Inc. and the occurrence of any event which will bring about the cessation of membership in said Fraternal Lodge Association known as Apalachee Lodge No. 2603, Loyal Order of Moose, Inc. shall ipso facto work cessation of membership in the Corporation. The dissolution for any cause whatsoever of said Fraternal Lodge Association as a Fraternal Lodge of that system of Lodges known in the aggregate as the Loyal Order of Moose, shall forthwith work a dissolution of the Corporation and in such event, the affairs of the Corporation shall be wound up and terminated in accordance with the Laws of the State of Florida and in compliance with the Constitution and General Laws of Moose International, Inc.

ARTICLE IV: This Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE V: The names and residences of the subscribers are as follows:

NAME	Print or Type	ADDRESS
<u>HENRY J. REED</u>		<u>1724 CARRABELLE BEACH DR</u> <u>CARRABELLE, FL. 32322</u>
<u>JOE BROWN</u>		<u>83 HIGHWAY 98</u> <u>EASTPOINT, FL 32328</u> <u>P.O. BOX 991</u>
<u>ROBERT NICHOLSON SR</u>		<u>CARRABELLE, FL 32322</u> <u>P.O. BOX 740</u>
<u>B.W. SAM NEEL</u>		<u>CARRABELLE, FL 32322</u> <u>P.O. BOX 1117</u>
<u>KEN BOWMAN</u>		<u>CARRABELLE, FL 32322</u> <u>1529 MAXINE ROAD</u>
<u>JOHN HUMBLE</u>		<u>CARRABELLE, FL 32322</u> <u>301 BAYWOOD DRIVE</u>
<u>TOMMY MASSEY</u>		<u>CARRABELLE, FL 32322</u> <u>P.O. BOX 1363</u>
<u>MICHAEL SLOTIN</u>		<u>LANARK VILLAGE, FL 32323</u> <u>P.O. BOX 1354</u>
<u>ROBERT L. GRAHAM</u>		<u>CARRABELLE, FL 32322</u>

ARTICLE VI: The directors of the Corporation who shall manage all of the affairs of the Corporation, shall be nine (9) in number and shall consist of the duly qualified and acting corporation directors from year to year, to be elected in April of each year.

ARTICLE VII: The directors for the first year and until their successors are selected and qualified, shall be as follows:

NAME	Print or Type	OFFICE
<u>HENRY J. REED</u>		President
<u>JOE BROWN</u>		Vice President
<u>ROBERT NICHOLSON SR</u>		Secretary
<u>B. W. SAM NEEL</u>		Treasurer
<u>KEN BOWMAN</u>		Director

<u>JOHN HUMBLE</u>	Director
<u>TOMMY MASSEY</u>	Director
<u>MICHAEL SLOTIN</u>	Director
<u>ROBERT L GRAHAM</u>	Director

and their successors from year to year will be the members annually elected to above offices, by the members.

ARTICLE VIII: Amendments to these Articles of Incorporation may be proposed and amended and the By-Laws of the Corporation are to be made, altered or rescinded by vote of a simple majority at a meeting of the members of the Corporation to be called by the officers of the Corporation with not less than five (5) days advance notice to the membership.

ARTICLE IX: None of the members or directors will be liable for any debts of the organization or for claims, torts or responsibilities of any or all kinds claimed against the Corporation.

In witness whereof, the said subscribers have hereunto set their hands and seals this 9th day of MARCH, 2002.

SIGNATURE

<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>Robert L. Graham</u>
<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>Kenneth R. Boerum</u>
<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>Michael Slotin</u>
<u>John C. Humble</u>	<u>Tommy J. Massey</u>
<u>[Signature]</u>	

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Before me, the undersigned Notary Public in and for the State of Florida at Large, personally appeared the undersigned, all to me known and known to me, to be the individuals described in and who signed and subscribed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation of Apalachee Lodge No. 2603, Loyal Order of Moose, Inc., a Corporation not for profit, for the purposes therein expressed, and first being duly sworn by me, upon oath, each of them says that it is his intent, in good faith, to carry out the purposes and objects set forth in said Articles.

SIGNATURE

Samuel Robert L Graham  
Bob Lenneth L. Freeman  
Robert M. W. W. W. Michael A. W.  
John C. W. W. W. Tommy J. Massey  
W. W. W.

Sworn to before me this 9th day of March, 2002, and subscribed before me on the date hereof.

Mary Lou Bowman  
NOTARY PUBLIC

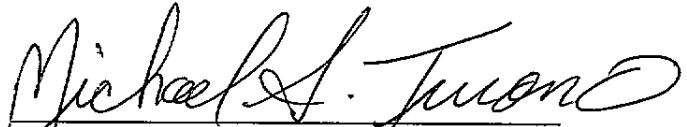


Mary Lou Bowman  
MY COMMISSION # CC982106 EXPIRES  
November 15, 2004  
BONDED THRU TROY FAIR INSURANCE, INC.

ACCEPTANCE AS DESIGNATED  
REGISTERED AGENT FOR  
APALACHEE LODGE NO. 2603, LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE INC.

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I hereby accept the designation as registered agent for Apalachee Lodge No. 2603, Loyal Order of Moose, Inc. The registered office of the above corporation is so listed below.

  
Signature

Lexis Document Services Inc.  
Registered Agent

3953 W W Kelley Road  
Street Address

<u>Tallahassee</u>	<u>Florida</u>	<u>32311</u>
City	State	Zip