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June 13, 2002

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Florida Department of State Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find a check in the amount of \$70.00 to cover the filing fee for the Articles of Incorporation for FLORIDA SPORTSMEN CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION, INC.

Please send the proper documents to my office at the address listed above.

If there is need for further information, please contact us.

Thank you.

Yours truly,

Michael J. Fairclough

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Enclosure .

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## FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

June 24, 2002

MICHAEL J. FAIRCLOUGH 11380 PROSPERITY FARMS RD, STE 112 PALM BCH GARDENS, FL 33410

SUBJECT: FLORIDA SPORTSMEN CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION, INC. Ref. Number: W02000018374

We have received your document for FLORIDA SPORTSMEN CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation or a statement that the method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws.

Section 617.0803, Florida Statutes, requires that the board of directors never have fewer than three directors.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6933.

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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF FLORIDA SPORTSMEN CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION, INC.

ARTICLE I

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NAME:

SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

This association shall be known as FLORIDA SPORTSMEN CONSERVATION

ASSOCIATION, INC. The initial principal office and mailing address shall be 17685

VALENCIA BLVD. LOXAHATCHEE, FL. 33470

# **ARTICLE II**

#### **PURPOSES:**

The specific purposes for Florida Sportsmen Conservation Association, Inc., a corporation organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code

#### ARTICLE III

#### **POWERS:**

In addition to any powers provided by section 617.0302 and 617.0303, Florida Statutes (1 995), or any other Florida Statute, the Florida Sportsmen Conservation Association, Inc., powers include:

- a. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or to be distributed to its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and make payments and distributions in fulfilling the purposes set forth in Article II.
- b. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall influence or

attempt to influence legislation and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for office.

c. Notwithstanding any other provisions of the articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code or exercise any powers not in furtherance of the purpose of the corporation.

# ARTICLE IV

#### TERMS OF EXISTENCE:

The terms of existence of the corporation shall be perpetual.

## ARTICLE V

# OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS:

The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors. The board shall consist of not less than three natural persons. The election of Board of Directors is as stated in the bylaws.

#### ARTICLE VI

#### **BYLAWS:**

The bylaws may be made, altered, or amended at any board meeting by the affirmative vote of a majority of the Board. Amendments may be proposed by any Director of the corporation. The bylaws shall operate to carry out the purposes of the corporation and to facilitate its operation.

#### ARTICLE VII

# AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION:

These articles may be altered or amended at any board meeting, on recommendation of the Directors, by a vote of two-thirds of the Directors.

### ARTICLE VIII

#### DISSOLUTION:

In the event of the dissolution of the corporation and the winding up of its affairs, all assets shall be distributed to an organization operated exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, testing for public safety, literacy, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals, which would then qualify as an exempt organization under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue code as now provided or as hereafter may be amended. No member, director, officer, or private individual shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the assets of the corporation upon such dissolution.

#### ARTICLE IX

#### INCORPORATORS:

The name and address of the person signing these Article Incoporation is:

NAME

Michael Fairclough

11380 Prosperity Farms Road

Suite 112

Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33410

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 21 st day of June, 2002.

Michael J. Fairclough – Incorporator

# **CERTIFICATE OF REGISTERED AGENT**

I, Michael J. Fairclough, hereby certify that I am the registered agent for Florida Sportsmen Conservation Association, Inc., a not-for-profit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, and that I will accept services of process on behalf of said corporation. My address for service of process is:

11380 Prosperity Farms Road, Suite 112 Palm Beach Gardens, FL. 33410

06/21/02 Date

Agent - Michael J. Fairclough

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