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February 27, 1996

THOMAS E. FALES
7721 LAND O'LAKES BLVD.
LAND O'LAKES, FL 34639

SUBJECT: WEST COAST AIRBOAT ASSOCIATION, INC.
Ref. Number: W96000004346

We have received your document for WEST COAST AIRBOAT ASSOCIATION, INC. and check(s) totaling \$122.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned to you for the following reason(s):

The registered agent must sign accepting the designation.

The document must contain written acceptance by the registered agent, (i.e. "I hereby am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as registered agent for said corporation"); and the registered agent's signature.

Please return 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 (904) 487-6878.

Terri Buckley
Corporate Specialist

Letter Number: 296A00008449

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
FOR
WEST COAST AIRBOAT ASSOCIATION, INC.**

The undersigned, acting as incorporators/founders of a corporation pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be: **WEST COAST AIRBOAT ASSOCIATION, INC.**

ARTICLE II DURATION OF CORPORATION

The duration of this Corporation shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE III PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS AND ADDRESS

The principal place of business and mailing address of this Corporation shall be: 7721 Land O' Lakes Blvd., Land O' Lakes, Florida 34639.

ARTICLE IV PURPOSES

The purposes of this Corporation shall be:

- to organize and unify the airboating public and their supporters,
- to defend, promote and advance the sport of airboating,
- to preserve habitat for wildlife and airboating with dedication to conservation of flora and fauna,
- to authorize chapters under this Corporation throughout the West Coast of Florida Area,
- to represent the special interests of Airboaters to the public and Government,
- to grant awards and honors and carry out airboat education activities,
- to cooperate with other Airboat associations and clubs while supporting the friends of sport airboating,
- to provide special benefits to Airboaters and their families,-
- to promote goodwill between airboaters and the general public.
- to carry out those things necessary to accomplish the above purposes as permitted by Florida Statutes except that such activities SHALL NOT BE FOR PROFIT.

ARTICLE V LIMITATION OF POWERS

The corporate powers of this Corporation are as provided in Section 617.0302 Florida Statutes except that the powers cannot be exercised in any way that harms the sport of airboating.

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ARTICLE VI ELECTION OF DIRECTORS AND GOVERNMENT

The board of Directors shall consist of no less than five members and a quorum shall consist of four/fifths members voting of any size directorate. Initial directors are the incorporators/founders and are self appointed; further directors shall be elected and serve according to the by-laws of this Corporation. The further government of this Corporation shall be set out in the by-laws.

ARTICLE VII THE INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS OF OFFICE

Thomas E. Fales
7721 Land O' Lakes Blvd.
Land O' Lakes, Florida 34639

ARTICLE VIII HONORABLE MENTIONS

The following individuals are mentioned here in gratitude for their service, leadership and/or inspiration to sport airboating and the climate that made this Association a reality. For all eternity we are grateful to:

Dick Hoffman, the "Big Daddy" of Airboats, Inverness, Florida
Lou Engles, Master Builder, Inverness, Florida
Ron Nichols, U. S. Airboat Magazine, Lakeland, Florida
Jim Lawson, Master Builder, Manatee County, Florida
James Commbee, Master Builder, Lake Hamilton, Florida
Judge William Seavers, Legal Opinions, New Port Richey, Florida

ARTICLE IX INCORPORATORS AND OFFICERS

Thomas E. Fales, Director, Incorporator, Founder, Chairman of Board, President, Land O' Lakes Blvd., Land O' Lakes, Florida.

Sidney Richards, Director, Incorporator, Founder, Vice President, Land O' Lakes, Florida

Patricia Fales, Director, Incorporator, Founder, Secretary, Land O' Lakes, Florida

Alan Campbell, Director, Incorporator, Founder, Treasurer, Spring Hill, Florida

Rodrick Roberts, Director, Incorporator, Founder, Sergeant at Arms, Tampa, Florida

Darren Noble, Director, Incorporator, Founder, Wesley Chapel, Florida

Marlene Spencer, Director, Incorporator, Founder, Land O' Lakes, Florida

ARTICLE X TERMS OF OFFICE

The president, vice president, secretary and treasurer shall serve two years in office. The sergeant at arms and board members shall serve one year in office.

The undersigned incorporators have executed these Articles of Incorporation this

19 day of February, 1996.

Thomas E. Jones CHAIRMAN OF BOARD & PRESIDENT

Neil F. Fuchs VICE PRESIDENT

Patricia Ooster SECRETARY

Allen Campbell TREASURER

Bob Roberts SERGEANT AT ARMS

Marlene Spencer DIRECTOR

Darren Noble DIRECTOR

March 3, 1996

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

RE: registered agent

Dear Sirs:

This letter is to acknowledge, I, Thomas E. Fales, hereby understand and accept the duties and responsibilities as the registered agent for West Coast Airboat Association, Inc..

Thomas E. Fales

Thomas E. Fales
Registered Agent

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