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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF SECRETARY OF STATE

DOME INDUSTRIAL BUSINESS ASSOCIATION, INC. TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

We, the undersigned, natural persons of the age of 18 years or more, acting as incorporator of a corporation not-for-profit, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation not-for-profit pursuant to Chapters 617 and 607 of the Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE 1: NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS

The name of this Corporation is DOME INDUSTRIAL BUSINESS ASSOCIATION, INC., and its principal office or mailing address is 1950 1st Avenue North, St. Petersburg, FL 33713.

ARTICLE 2: CORPORATE PURPOSE

The Corporation is organized and shall be operated exclusively for the purposes of promoting the dome industrial district of St. Petersburg, Florida and to attract businesses to relocate to the dome industrial district of St. Petersburg, Florida.

ARTICLE 3: RESTRICTIONS ON CORPORATE POWERS

The Corporation shall possess all powers granted corporations not-for-profit under the laws of the State of Florida and shall be subject to all restrictions imposed upon such corporations and in addition thereto the following restrictions shall pertain:

- 3.01 <u>Net Earnings</u>. No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall impre to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers or other private persons except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make expenditures in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article 2 hereof.
- 3.02 Activities. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (i) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or (ii) by a corporation organized under Part I of the Chapter 671 of the Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE 4: DURATION OF CORPORATE EXISTENCE

The Corporation shall have perpetual existence. Corporate existence shall commence on the date of filing of these Articles.

ARTICLE 5: DISPOSITION OF ASSETS UPON DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the Corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(6) or 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of the county in which the principal office of the Corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE 6: MEMBERS

- 6.01 <u>Eligibility</u>. Membership shall be open to all natural persons over the age of 18 years who are interested in furthering the purposes of this Corporation as set forth in Article 2. Membership status shall be determined by the Board of Directors in the adoption of Bylaws and Amendments thereto from time to time and may embrace the qualifications for active, inactive, honorary, sustaining and lifetime membership and establish membership fees therefor.
- 6.02 <u>Dues</u>. Dues for the various classes of membership shall be determined from time to time by the Board of Directors in the adoption of Bylaws and Amendments thereto.
- 6.03 <u>Meeting</u>. Membership meetings shall be held as scheduled and notice shall be given each member in advance of such meeting as determined by the Board of Directors in the adoption of Bylaws.

ARTICLE 7: SUBSCRIBERS

The names and residences of the subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation who constitute the founding members of the Corporation are:

NAME

ADDRESS

James Rowe

1950 1st Avenue North St. Petersburg, FL 33713

ARTICLE 8: OFFICERS

- 8.01 <u>Defined</u>. The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a president, a vice president, a secretary and treasurer who shall perform the usual functions of said offices together with such additional officers as may be from time to time constituted and appointed by the Board of Directors or as may be provided in the Bylaws.
- 8.02 <u>Election</u>. Officers of the Corporation shall be elected by the Board of Directors at annual meetings of the Board of Directors. All officers shall continue to serve until the election of their successors.
- 8.03 <u>Vacancies</u>. Any vacancy appearing in any office prior to the first annual meeting of the Board of Directors shall be filled by action of the Board of Directors and any vacancy occurring after the first annual meeting shall be filled in accordance with the Bylaws.

ARTICLE 9: BOARD OF DIRECTORS

- 9.01 <u>Defined</u>. The Corporation shall be governed by a Board of Directors each of whom shall be members of the Corporation and shall be elected by the membership in the manner provided for in the Bylaws. The Board of Directors may be increased or decreased as provided in the Bylaws but in no case shall the number of Directors be less than three.
- 9.02 <u>Term.</u> Directors shall hold their offices for three years or such other period as the Bylaws shall determine and shall serve until their successors are elected and qualify.

9.03 <u>Number</u>. The number of Directors constituting the initial Board of Directors are five (5) persons and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as initial Directors until the first annual meeting of the Corporation and the election and qualification of their successors are as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	ADDRESS
Michael Mullaney	2220 1st Avenue South St. Petersburg, FL 33712
James Rowe	1950 1st Avenue North St. Petersburg, FL 33713
James Hartley	1950 1st Avenue North St. Petersburg, FL 33713
Darrell Reef	125 19th Street South St. Petersburg, FL 33712
John A. de Langis	2336 5th Avenue South St. Petersburg, FL 33712

ARTICLE 10: ADOPTION AND AMENDMENT OF BYLAWS

The Bylaws of the Corporation shall be as adopted by the first Board of Directors. The Bylaws may thereafter by amended by a two-thirds vote of the Board of Directors at any regular or special meeting thereof provided that notice of such meeting containing the text of the proposed Bylaw amendment is furnished to each Director at least five days prior to such meeting.

ARTICLE 11: AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

11.01 <u>By Directors</u>. Amendments of the Articles of Incorporation shall be proposed by majority vote of the Board of Directors and shall be subject to ratification and approval by two-thirds of the membership voting at any regular or special meeting in which a quorum is present, provided that written notice of such meeting containing the text of the proposed amendments be firmished each member not less than ten days prior to such meeting.

11.02 <u>By Members</u>. Amendments may be proposed by any member and may be considered at the annual or any regular meeting of the membership, provided that written notice of any such amendment or amendments shall be given in writing to all members at least ten days prior to the meeting at which such amendment or amendments is or are to be considered. An amendment shall be adopted by a two-thirds vote of the members voting, a quorum being present.

ARTICLE 12: REGISTERED AGENT

The Corporation's initial registered agent maintains an office at 1950 1st Avenue North, St. Petersburg, FL 33713, and the registered agent thereat shall be James Rowe.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation this The day of February 1999

James Rowe, Incorporator

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ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

HAVING BEEN NAMED to accept service of process for the above stated nonprofit corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby agree to act in this capacity and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties.

DATED this 224d day of February

James Rowe, Registered Agent

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