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FLORIDA NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

Manatee West Baseball Club, Inc.

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
MANATEE WEST BASEBALL CLUB, INC.
A FLORIDA NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION**

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of the Corporation is: **MANATEE WEST BASEBALL CLUB, INC.**

ARTICLE II. DURATION

The duration of the Corporation is perpetual.

ARTICLE III. PURPOSES AND POWERS

A. — This Corporation is a not-for-profit Corporation organized under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes. It is not organized for the private gain of any person. The specific purposes of this Corporation include by way of example, but not of limitation:

1. To provide a nonprofit instructional baseball club for youth in Manatee County, Florida.
2. To exercise all rights and powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida upon nonprofit Corporations.

Steven W. Prouty, Esquire
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The terms, conditions and qualifications with respect to the membership (if any) of this Corporation shall be as provided for by the By-laws of the Corporation.

ARTICLE V. INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE & AGENT

The address of this Corporation's current registered office is: 1205 Manatee Avenue West, Bradenton, Florida 34205. The location and mailing address of the corporation is 3209 Oxford Drive West, Bradenton, Florida 34205.

The name of the individual who is currently serving as this Corporation's registered agent at the registered office is: Steven W. Prouty.

ARTICLE VI. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

All corporate powers shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business of the Corporation shall be managed under the direction of a Board of Directors. The Directors are to be elected or appointed in the manner provided for by the Corporation's By-laws.

ARTICLE VII. INCORPORATORS

The name and address of the incorporators of this Corporation is as follows:

Steven W. Prouty

1205 Manatee Avenue W.
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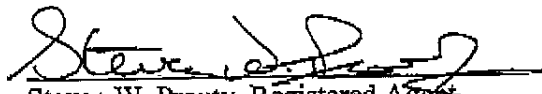
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has signed these Articles of Incorporation on this 22 day of July, 1999.


Steven W. Prouty, Incorporator

ACKNOWLEDGMENT BY REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned hereby acknowledges that, as set forth in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, he is presently serving as Registered Agent of MANATEE WEST BASEBALL CLUB, INC. Pursuant to Section 617.0501(3), Florida Statutes (1997), I hereby state that I am familiar with and will continue to perform the duties, obligations and responsibilities as Registered Agent for said corporation.

DATED this 22 day of July, 1999.


Steven W. Prouty, Registered Agent

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