

December 30, 1999

Florida Department of State Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 409 E. Gaines Street Tallahassee, FL 323I4

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# RE: Articles of Incorporation of Cherokee Homes, Inc. P. Nouriwest Florida, INO.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is an original and one executed copy of the Articles of Incorporation of **Cherokee Homes, Inc.** and an original and one copy of an executed Certificate Designating the Resident Agent. Check in the amount of \$78.75 in payment of the following fees is also enclosed:

Filing Fee	\$70.00
Certificate Designating	
Resident Agent	
Certified Copy	8.75
Total	\$78.75

Please file the original and certify and return the copy of the enclosed Articles of Incorporation.

Yours very truly,

LOCKLIN & JONES, P.A.

Jack Locklin, Jr.

JL:jl Enclosures

21/2000

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

January 10, 2000

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JACK LOCKLIN, JR., ESQ. 77 JONES AVE MILTON, FL 32570

SUBJECT: CHEROKEE HOMES, INC. Ref. Number: W0000000688

We have received your document for CHEROKEE HOMES, INC. and check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned to you for the following reason(s):

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity.

Please select a new name and make the correction in all appropriate places. One or more major words may be added to make the name distinguishable from the one presently on file.

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

### <u>OF</u>

# CHEROKEE HOMES OF NORTHWEST FLORIDA, INC.

### ARTICLE - I

The name of this corporation is: CHEROKEE HOMES OF NORTHWEST FLORIDA, INC.

### ARTICLE - II

The purpose of this corporation is to construct and sell residential structures, and any and all other lawful business.

### ARTICLE III - CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation is authorized to issue 1,000 shares of \$1.00 par value common stock

### ARTICLE IV - PRE EMPTIVE RIGHTS

Each shareholder upon the sale for cash of any new stock of this corporation of the same kind, class or series of that which he already holds, shall have the right to purchase his pro rata share (as nearly as may be done without issuance of fractional shares) at the price of which it is offered to others.

### ARTICLE V - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 6029 Arnie's Way, Milton, Florida 32570 and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation

at that address is Randy W. Grant. The principal office is the same as the registered office.

### ARTICLE VI - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have one director, initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the Bylaws, but shall never be less than one. The names and addresses of the initial directors of this corporation is:

### NAME

#### ADDRESS

Randy W. Grant

6029 Arnie's Way Milton, FL 32570

#### **ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATORS**

The name and address of the person signing these Articles of Incorporation is Randy W. Grant, 6029 Arnie's Way, Milton, Florida 32570.

#### **ARTICLE VIII - BYLAWS**

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal Bylaws shall be vested in the Board of Directors and the shareholders.

#### **ARTICLE IX - AMENDMENT**

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment to them, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has executed these Articles of Incorporation on the <u>14</u> day of January, 2000. <u>Manshy W</u>-Randy W. Grant

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF SANTA ROSA

BEFORE ME the undersigned Notary Public in and for the State of Florida at large, personally appeared Randy W. Grant, to me well known and known to me to be the individual described in or who presented Anders lecense as identification, and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation of Cherokee Homes of Northwest Florida, Inc. and being duly sworn acknowledged that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

GIVEN under my hand and official seal this the \_/ 4 day of January, 2000.

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Mv commission expires:

NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF FLORIDA M. JEANETTE LAWS SION # CC750160 ES #10/2002 BONDED THRU ASA 1-888-NOTARY1

# CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS FILED FOR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, AND NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

Pursuant to Chapter 48.09I, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

Cherokee Homes of Northwest Florida, Inc., desiring to organize under the Laws of the State of Florida with its principal office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at Milton, Santa Rosa County, Florida, has named Randy W. Grant, 6029 Arnie's Way, Milton, Florida 32570, as agent to accept service of process within the state.

Dated this the  $\underline{//}$  day of January, 2000.

# CHOKEE HOMES OF NORTHWEST FLORIDA, INC.

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# ACCEPTANCE

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation,

at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept to act in this capacity and agree

to comply with the provisions of the act relative to keeping open an office.

Randy W. Gráni