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TIMOTHY STEPP  
STEPP CARPET INSTALLATION, INC  
9136 WOLLITZ PLAZA  
JACKSONVILLE, FL 32220

March 10, 2000

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Hon. Sandra P. Mortham Secretary of State  
ATTN: Corporate Records  
P.O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

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RE: STEPP CARPET INSTALLATION, INC.

Dear Madam:

Enclosed please find the original Articles of Incorporation for the above referenced corporation.

Also please find a check in the amount of \$70.00 for filing the same. Your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Yours truly.

*Timothy Stepp*  
Timothy Stepp

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Katherine Harris  
Secretary of State

March 20, 2000

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SUBJECT: STEPP CARPET INSTALLATION, INC.  
Ref. Number: W00000007404

We have received your document for STEPP CARPET INSTALLATION, INC.. However, the document has not been filed and is being returned for the following:

The effective date is not acceptable since it is not within five working days of the date of receipt.

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) 487-6973.

Claretha Golden  
Document Specialist

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
STEPP CARPET INSTALLATION, INC.**

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I, the undersigned subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation, natural person competent to contract, hereby form a corporation under the Laws of the State of Florida.

**ARTICLE I - NAME**

The name of this corporation shall be: **STEPP CARPET INSTALLATION, INC.**

**ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS**

The principal place of business of this corporation shall be:

9136 WOLLITZ PLAZA JACKSONVILLE, FL 32220

**ARTICLE III - DURATION**

This corporation shall have perpetual existence commencing on the date of this filing of these Articles with the Department of State.

**ARTICLE IV - PURPOSE**

This corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any and all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under Chapter 607, Florida Statutes, as now exists or may after be amended.

**ARTICLE V - CAPITAL STOCK**

The maximum number of shares this corporation is authorized to issue is 100 shares of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) par value common stock which will be designated as "Common Shares."

**ARTICLE VI - PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS**

Every shareholder, upon the sale for cash of any new stock of this Corporation of the same kind, class, or series as that which he already holds, shall have the right to purchase his pro rata share thereof at the price at which it is offered to others.

**ARTICLE VII - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT**

The initial registered agent and office of this Corporation shall be:

TIMOTHY STEPP  
9136 WOLLITZ PLAZA  
JACKSONVILLE, FL 32220

**ARTICLE VIII - BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

This Corporation shall have no directors, initially. The affairs of the Corporation will be managed by the shareholders until such time directors are designated as provided by the Bylaws.

**ARTICLE IX - INCORPORATORS**

The name and address of the Incorporator signing these Articles is:

TIMOTHY STEPP  
9136 WOLLITZ PLAZA  
JACKSONVILLE, FL 32220

**ARTICLE X - INDEMNITY**

The Corporation shall indemnify any Officer or Director to the full extent permitted by law.

**ARTICLE XI - AMENDMENT**

This Corporation reserves the right to amend or appeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, by a majority vote of the Board of Directors, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

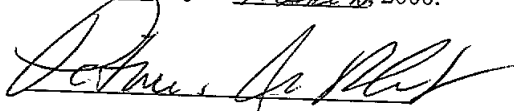
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation on this 10<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2000.

  
TIMOTHY STEPP

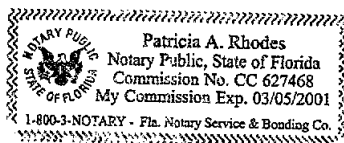
**STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF DUVAL**

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgments in the State and County set forth above, personally appeared TIMOTHY STEPP, known to be and known by me to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and they acknowledged before me that he executed those Articles of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and seal in the State and County above, this 10<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2000.



NOTARY PUBLIC, State of  
Florida at Large.  
My Commission Expires:



**CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING REGISTERED AGENT AND  
PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF  
PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA, AND ACCEPTANCE OF  
AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED**

In compliance with Sections 48.091 and 607.034, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

FIRST that STEPP CARPET INSTALLATION, INC desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal place of business at 9136 WOLLITZ PLAZA, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32220 has named TIMOTHY STEPP as its agent to accept service of process within Florida.

Dated: 3-10-02

Timothy Stepp  
TIMOTHY STEPP.

Having been named to accept service of process for the above named 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 performance of my duties.

Timothy Stepp  
TIMOTHY STEPP  
Registered Agent

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