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## FLORIDA PROFIT CORPORATION OR P.A.

Hamm's Fire Sprinkler Protection, Inc.

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

HAMM'S FIRE SPRINKLER PROTECTION, INC.

The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a Corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this corporation is HAMM'S FIRE SPRINKLER PROTECTION, INC.

ARTICLE II - PURPOSE

This corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any or all lawful business.

ARTICLE III - CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation is authorized to issue 100 shares of One Dollar (\$1.00) par value of common stock, which shall be designated "Common Shares".

ARTICLE IV - INITIAL PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY:  
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The street address of the initial principal office of the corporation in the State of Florida is 3982 Old Cottondale Road, Marianna, Florida 32446, and the name of the initial registered agent is Cheryl F. Hamm whose address is 3982 Old Cottondale Road, Marianna, Florida 32446.

#### ARTICLE V - MANAGEMENT BY SHAREHOLDERS

The business of this corporation shall be managed by its shareholders rather than a Board of Directors. In the management of the business of this corporation, the act of the shareholders representing the majority of the outstanding shares of the corporation entitled to vote, represented in person or by proxy, shall be the act of the shareholders, except as otherwise provided for in any Shareholders' Agreement which may be entered into. Each shareholder shall be entitled to one vote in person, or by proxy, for each share of voting stock held by him. A majority of the outstanding shares of the corporation entitled to vote, represented in person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum at any meeting of the shareholders for the management of the business of the corporation.

#### 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

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(as nearly as may be done without the issuance of fractional shares) at the price at which it is offered to others.

#### ARTICLE VII - CUMULATIVE VOTING RIGHTS

At each election for directors, every shareholder entitled to vote in the election shall have the right to cumulate his votes by giving one candidate as many votes as the number of directors to be elected at that time multiplied by the number of his shares, or by distributing the votes on the same principle among any number of the candidates.

#### ARTICLE VIII - INDEMNIFICATION

This corporation shall indemnify any officer or director, or any former officer or director, to the full extent permitted by law.

#### ARTICLE IX - TERM OF EXISTENCE

\*\*This corporation is to commence its existence on the date upon which these articles are filed with the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Florida. This corporation is to exist perpetually.

#### ARTICLE X - INCORPORATOR

The name of the person signing these Articles is Cheryl F. Hamm whose address is 3982 Old Cottondale Road, Marianna, Florida 32446.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has  
executed these Articles of Incorporation this 14th day of  
April, 2000.

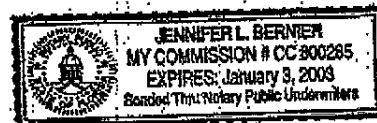
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STATE OF FLORIDA,  
COUNTY OF BAY.

BEFORE ME, a notary public, personally appeared CHERYL F.  
HAMM, known to me to be the person who executed the foregoing  
Articles of Incorporation, and she acknowledged before me the  
execution of same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and  
official seal this 4th day of April, 2000.

Jennifer L. Bernier  
Notary Public  
My Commission Expires: 01-03-03



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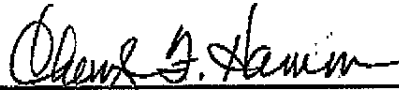
## ACCEPTANCE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT

OF

HAMM'S FIRE SPRINKLER PROTECTION, INC.

Having been named to accept service of process for the above-named corporation, at the place designated in the Articles of Incorporation, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provisions of the Florida Business Corporation Act relative to keeping open said office.

Dated this 4th day of April, 2000.



Cheryl E. Hamm  
Registered Agent

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