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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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#### RAM MARINE SERVICES, INC.

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, Chapter 607 of the Florida Statutes, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

Article 1. Name. The name of the Corporation is:

RAM MARINE SERVICES, INC.

Article 2. Mailing Address. The mailing address of the Corporation is:

494 Riverview Road Nokomis, Florida 3427 4

Article 3. Duration. The duration of the Corporation is perpetual.

Article 4. Purpose. The general purposes for which the Corporation is organized are the following:

- A. To engage in and transact any lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the Florida Business Corporation Act. No other purpose limits this general purpose in any way.
- B. To do such other things as are incidental to the purposes of the Corporation or necessary or desirable in order to accomplish them.

Prepared by:

David M. Silberstein, Esq.

Kirk Pinkerton

720 South Orange Avenue Sarasota, Florida 34236

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Article 5. Capital Stock. The aggregate number of shares which the Corporation is authorized to issue is 10,000 shares of common stock. Such shares shall be of a single class and shall have \$0.10 par value.

Article 6. Initial Registered Office and Agent. The street address of the initial Registered Office of the Corporation is 720 South Orange Avenue, Sarasota, Florida 34236, and the name of its initial Registered Agent at that address is David M. Silberstein.

Article 7. Incorporator. The name and address of the Incorporator is as follows:

David A. Lowell

494 Riverview Road Nokomis, Florida 3427 4

Article 8. Amendment. The Corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisious contained in these Articles of Incorporation or any amendment to them, and any right conferred upon the Shareholders is subject to this reservation.

Article 9. Indemnification. The Corporation shall indemnify each Officer and Director, including former Officers and Directors, to the full extent permitted by law.

Article 10. Commencement of Corporate Existence. In accordance with Section 607.0203, Florida Statutes, the date when corporate existence shall commence is the date of execution by the incorporator of these Articles of Incorporation. In the event these Articles of Incorporation are not filed within the time period set forth in Section 607.0203, Florida Statutes, the date when corporate existence shall commence is the date of filing by the Secretary of State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has signed these Articles of Incorporation on this 3/ day of August, 2000.

DAVID A. LOWELL, incorporator

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#### ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned hereby accepts the appointment as Registered Agent of RAM MARINE SERVICES, INC., which is contained in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and agrees to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of his duties, and accepts the duties and obligations of Section 607.0505, Florida Statutes.

DATED this 31 day of August, 2000

DAVID M. SILBERSTEIN

Registered Agent

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#### **AFFIDAVIT**

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF SARASOTA

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, duly authorized to administer oaths and take acknowledgements as a Notary Public in the above state, personally appeared this 31 day of personally known to me, or [] who produced
as identification, and having been duly swom, deposes and says as follows:
1. Affiant is the President of a company formerly known as RAM MARINE SERVICE, INC.
2. RAM MARINE SERVICE, INC. filed Articles of Amendment changing the name of the corporation with the Florida Division of Corporations on
<ol> <li>Affiant no longer desires to use the name of RAM MARINE SERVICE, INC. and has relinquished all right, title and interest in and to such name, including all tradenames, trademarks and logos.</li> </ol>
4. Affiant agrees that DAVID A. LOWELL and MARGARET ECKENBRECHT LOWELL shall be permitted to use such name, and the name "RAM MARINE SERVICES, INC.," at their discretion without any claim by Affiant.
5. The Articles of Amendment referred to above will not be revoked at any time.
FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.
ROBERT A. MARKUSON
Signature of Notary Public
Print Name of Notary Public and Affix Seal My Commission Expires:

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