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Division of Corporations
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SUBJECT: Tomlinson Hardy Irrigation Inc.
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for :

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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
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☐ \$87.50
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Status

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: James C. Tomlinson
Name (Printed or typed)

Po Box 14291
Address

Bradenton FL 34280-4291
City, State & Zip

941-387-3730
Daytime Telephone number

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
of
TOMLINSON HARDY IRRIGATION, INC.**

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The undersigned person(s), acting as incorporator(s) of a corporation organized under the laws of Delaware, hereby adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation:

**ARTICLE I
CORPORATE NAME**

The name of this corporation is Tomlinson Hardy Irrigation, Inc..

**ARTICLE II
INITIAL PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal place of business of the corporation's initial principal office is:

3408 48th Street West
Bradenton, FL 34209

The mailing address of the corporation's initial principal office is:

P.O. Box 14291
Bradenton, FL 34280-4291

**ARTICLE III
SHARES**

The total number of shares which the corporation shall have authority to issue is 10,000 shares of no par value stock.

**ARTICLE IV
REGISTERED AGENT**

The street address of the corporation's initial registered office and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is:

James C. Tomlinson
3408 48th Street West
Manatee County
Bradenton, FL 34209

ARTICLE V PURPOSE

The purpose of the corporation is to engage in any lawful activity permitted by the laws of this state.

ARTICLE VI DIRECTORS

The names and residence addresses of the persons constituting the initial board of directors are:

James C. Tomlinson
3408 48th Street West
Bradenton, FL 34209

Bobby M. Hardy
910 64th Street West
Bradenton, FL 34209

After the initial board of directors, the board shall consist of such number of directors as shall be determined by the shareholders from time to time at each annual meeting at which directors are to be elected.

ARTICLE VII LIABILITY OF DIRECTORS

To the fullest extent permitted by law, no director of this corporation shall be personally liable to the corporation or its shareholders for monetary damages for breach of any duty owed to the corporation or its shareholders, except that a director may be held personally liable for (i) breaches of the duty of loyalty, (ii) acts or omissions not in good faith or which involve intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law, (iii) declaration of unlawful dividends or unlawful stock repurchases or redemptions, or (iv) a transaction from which the director derives an improper personal benefit.

Any director or officer who is involved in litigation or other proceeding by reason of his or her position as a director or officer of this corporation shall be indemnified and held harmless by the corporation to the fullest extent permitted by law.

ARTICLE VIII OTHER PROVISIONS

Preemptive Rights. The corporation elects to have preemptive rights so that each shareholder has the right to acquire a proportional amount of any shares that are issued.

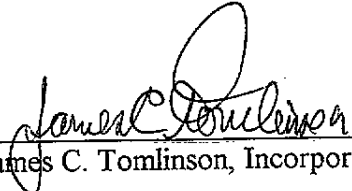
Director or Officer Interest. In the absence of fraud, no transaction between (a) this corporation and (b) any other association, corporation or any director or officer of this corporation individually, shall be affected by the fact that any director or officer of this corporation is individually a party to the transaction or is interested in or is a director or officer of such other association or corporation.

Stock Transfer Restriction. No shareholder of this corporation shall sell any shares of stock held by him or her in this corporation without first offering to sell such stock to the corporation on the same terms and conditions and at the price offered in good faith and in writing, by any proposed purchaser. The written offer by such proposed purchaser shall be delivered to the corporation at the time the stock is offered to the corporation for sale. The corporation shall have the right to accept the offer any time within thirty (30) days from and after the date on which the offer is made to the shareholder and shall exercise the option to purchase by notifying the shareholder in writing. If the corporation shall not exercise its option to purchase the shares of stock, it shall notify the shareholder in writing within the thirty (30) day period and the shares may then be sold by the shareholder, but only to the proposed purchaser on the same terms and conditions as offered to the corporation, and only within thirty (30) days from and after the date on which the corporation declines to exercise its option.

Corporate Seal. The corporation shall have no corporate seal.

Execution of Written Instruments. All instruments that are executed on behalf of the corporation which are acknowledged and which affect an interest in real estate shall be executed by the President or any Vice-President and the Secretary or Treasurer. All other instruments executed by the corporation, including a release of mortgage or lien, may be executed by the President or Vice-President. Notwithstanding the preceding provisions of this section, any written instrument may be executed by any officer(s) or agent(s) that are specifically designated by resolution of the board of directors.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Incorporator has signed these Articles of Incorporation on this 10th day of October, 2000.

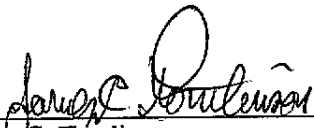


James C. Tomlinson, Incorporator

ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned hereby accepts the appointment as Registered Agent of TOMLINSON HARDY IRRIGATION, 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 10th day of October, 2000.



James C. Tomlinson
Registered Agent

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