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October 23, 2000

*DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS*  
**Florida Department of State**  
Post Office Box 6327  
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**RE: GEC PROPERTIES, INC.,**  
A FLORIDA CORPORATION

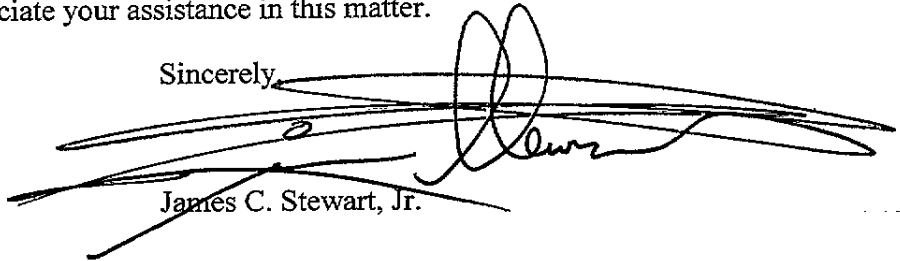
Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed herein please find articles of incorporation for the above referenced corporation. Also enclosed is this firm's check in the amount of \$122.50 to cover the cost of filing and the cost of a certified copy of the filed articles.

Please also note that corporate existence of the corporation commences October 23, 2000.

Please file the foregoing articles and send a certified copy of the filed articles to me at the above address. I appreciate your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



James C. Stewart, Jr.

cc: Mr. Glenn E. Caudill

**ENCLOSURES AS INDICATED**

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
**OF**  
**GEC PROPERTIES, INC.,**  
**A FLORIDA CORPORATION**

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**THE UNDERSIGNED**, acting as sole incorporator of a corporation to be formed under the *FLORIDA BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT*, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

**FIRST:** The name of the corporation (the "Corporation") is:

**GEC PROPERTIES, INC.,**  
**A FLORIDA CORPORATION**

**SECOND:** The principal office or mailing address of the Corporation is:

15451 Sweetwater Court  
Fort Myers, Florida 33912

**THIRD:** The aggregate number of shares that the Corporation is authorized to issue is **SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (7,500)** shares of common stock, the par value of each such share shall be **ONE AND NO/100S DOLLARS (\$1.00)**. Par value shall have no effect on the Corporation's capital structure.

**FOURTH:** The street address of the initial registered office of the Corporation is:

**STEWART & STORTER, ATTORNEYS AT LAW**  
Suite 101  
11925 Collier Boulevard  
Golden Gate, Florida 34116-6543,

and the name of the Corporation's initial registered agent at such address is:

**JAMES C. STEWART, JR.**

**FIFTH:** The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is **ONE (1)**, and the name and address of the person who is to serve as director of the Corporation until the first annual meeting of the shareholders of the Corporation, or until one or more successors have been elected and qualify, are as

follows:

**GLENN E. CAUDILL**  
15451 Sweetwater Court  
Fort Myers, Florida 33912

**SIXTH:** The name and address of the sole incorporator is:

**JAMES C. STEWART, JR., ESQUIRE**  
**STEWART & STORTER, ATTORNEYS AT LAW**  
Suite 101  
11925 Collier Boulevard  
Golden Gate, Florida 34116-6543

**SEVENTH:** The corporate existence of the Corporation shall commence on  
OCTOBER 23, 2000.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the undersigned, being the sole incorporator  
hereinbefore named, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the *Florida Business  
Corporation Act*, has executed these Articles of Incorporation, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of OCTOBER,  
2000.



**JAMES C. STEWART, JR.**  
Sole Incorporator

**I, JAMES C. STEWART, JR.,** having been designated to act as registered agent,  
hereby agree to act in such capacity.



**JAMES C. STEWART, JR.**

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