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November 27, 2000

CAPITAL CONNECTION, INC. 417 E VIRGINIA ST, STE 2 TALLAHASSEE, FL 32302

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We have received your document for NICKERSON POOL SERVICES, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

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## **ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

OF

## NICKERSON POOL SERVICES, INC.

The undersigned, ROBERT F. NICKERSON and KENNETH A. NICKERSON, subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation, each being natural persons competent to contract, hereby subscribe to and form a corporation for profit under the laws of the State of Florida.

### ARTICLE I.

#### CORPORATE NAME

The name of this corporation is NICKERSON POOL SERVICES, INC.

#### ARTICLE II.

### ADDRESS OF CORPORATION

The address of the principal office of the Corporation, or the mailing address of the Corporation of the principal office is not yet known, is Post Office Box 1398, Marco Island, FL 34145.

### ARTICLE III.

#### **DURATION**

The corporation shall have perpetual existence, commencing upon filing.

## ARTICLE IV.

#### **PURPOSE**

The corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting a pool service business.

## ARTICLE V.

## NUMBER AND CLASS OF STOCK

The corporation is authorized to issue one class of stock which shall consist of 100 shares of \$1.00 par value common stock, and which shall be designated "common shares".

#### ARTICLE VI.

#### PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS

Every shareholder, upon the sale for cash of any new stock of the corporation of the same kind, class, or series as that which he holds, shall have the right to purchase his pro rata share thereof (as nearly as may be done without issuance of fractional shares) at the price at which it is offered to others.

#### ARTICLE VII.

## INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 3430 27<sup>th</sup> Ave. S.W., Naples, FL 34117, and the name of the initial registered agent of the corporation at that address is Robert F. Nickerson. The officers may from time to time select and so communicate by appropriate notice to the Department of State, another registered office or registered agent or both.

### **ARTICLE VIII.**

### INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The corporation shall have two directors initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the bylaws but shall never be less than two. The names and addresses of the initial directors of the corporation are:

Name

Address

Robert F. Nickerson

 $3430\ 27^{th}$  Avenue S.W. Naples, FL  $\ 34117$ 

Kenneth A. Nickerson

## ARTICLE IX.

## INCORPORATOR

The names and addresses of the person signing these Articles are:

Name

Address

Robert F. Nickerson

3430 27th Avenue S.W., Naples, FL 34117

Kenneth A. Nickerson

## ARTICLE X.

#### **BYLAWS**

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal bylaws shall be vested in the Board of Directors.

## **ARTICLE XI.**

## **AMENDMENT**

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholders, except the Preemptive Rights created in Article VI, is subject to this reservation.

day of Nucenter, 2000.  Robert F. Nickerson  Kenneth A. Nickerson
STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF COLLIER
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this // day of, 2000, by Robert F. Nickerson and Kenneth A. Nickerson, who are personally known to me or who have produced as identification.

Notary Public

Typed Name:

My Commission Number is: My Commission Expires:

## CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 607.0501 OR 617.0501, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED CORPORATION, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED OFFICE/REGISTERED AGENT, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

- 1. The Name of the corporation is: Nickerson Pool Services, Inc.
- 2. The Name and address of the registered agent and office is:

Robert F. Nickerson 3430 27<sup>th</sup> Avenue S.W. Naples, FL 34117 OO NOV 27 AM 9: 23
SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

#### **ACCEPTANCE**

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and Lam familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.