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TRICO VIII PETROLEUM, INC.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF TRICO VIII PETROLEUM, INC.

THE UNDERSIGNED subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation, a natural person competent to contract, forms a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I. NAME: The name of this Corporation is: TRICO VIII PETROLEUM, INC.

ARTICLE II. NATURE OF BUSINESS:

The corporation may engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United States and the State of Florida.

ARTICLE III. CAPITAL STOCK:

The Capital Stock of this corporation shall be divided into ONE THOUSAND (1,000) shares of stock with \$1.00 par value.

ARTICLE IV. INITIAL CAPITAL:

The amount of capital with which this corporation will begin business is ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000.00) DOLLARS.

ARTICLE V. TERM OF EXISTENCE:

This corporation shall exist perpetually from the date of the filing of these Articles.

ARTICLE VI. ADDRESS:

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is:
7284 WEST PALMETTO PARK ROAD - SUITE 101S
BOCA RATON, FLORIDA 33433

The name of the initial resident agent of this corporation at that address is:
ALI M. JAFERI

The street address of the principal place of business shall be:
7284 WEST PALMETTO PARK ROAD - SUITE 101S
BOCA RATON, FLORIDA 33433

ARTICLE VII. DIRECTORS:

This corporation shall have one (1) Director initially. The number of directors May be increased or diminished

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from time to time, as provided in the By-Laws.

ARTICLE VIII. INITIAL ADDRESS:

The name and address of the members of the first Board of Directors are:

ALI M. JAFERI
7284 WEST PALMETTO PARK ROAD - SUITE 101S
BOCA RATON, FLORIDA 33433

ARTICLE IX. SUBSCRIBERS:

The name and address of each Subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation is:

ALI M. JAFERI
7284 WEST PALMETTO PARK ROAD - SUITE 101S
BOCA RATON, FLORIDA 33433

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Subscriber has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 5th day of December, 2000.



ALI M. JAFERI**ACCEPTANCE**

HAVING BEEN NAMED to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation, at a place designated in this Certificate, I hereby accept said designation as Registered Agent and agree to comply with the provisions relative to keeping said office open.



ALI M. JAFERI

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