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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF

Automotive Services of N.W. FL, Inc.

In compliance with the requirements of chapter 607, Florida Statutes, the undersigned, being a natural person, hereby acts as an incorporator in adopting and filing the following articles of incorporation for the purpose of organizing a business corporation.

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ARTICLE I

The name of the Corporation ("Corporation") is Automotive Services of N.W. FL, Inc.

ARTICLE II

The existence of the Corporation shall begin on the date the Articles of Incorporation are filed with the Secretary of State of Florida and shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE III

The street address of the principal office of the Corporation is 221 Racetrack Road N. E., Fort Walton Beach, Florida 32547.

ARTICLE IV

The maximum number of shares this Corporation is authorized to issue is 1,000, par value \$.01 per share, all of which shall be Common Shares. All Common Shares shall be identical with each other in every respect and the holders of Common Shares shall be entitled to one vote for each share on all matters on which shareholders have the right to vote.

ARTICLE V

The initial street address of the Corporation's registered office is 3 West Garden Street, Suite 700, Pensacola, Florida 32501. The initial registered agent for the Corporation at that address is J. Nixon Daniel, III.

ARTICLE VI

The initial board of directors shall consist of one member. This number may be increased or decreased from time to time in accordance with the Corporation's bylaws, but shall never be less than one. The name and address of the person who will serve on the initial board of directors are:

Mr. Buddy Burks
221 Racetrack Road N. E.
Fort Walton Beach, Florida 32547

ARTICLE VII

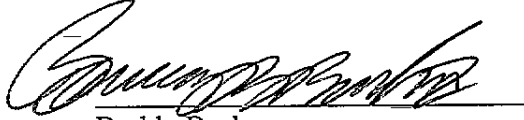
The name and street address of the person signing these articles of incorporation are:

Mr. Buddy Burks
221 Racetrack Road N. E.
Fort Walton Beach, Florida 32547

ARTICLE VIII

The corporation shall indemnify its directors, officers, employees, and agents to the fullest extent permitted by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these articles of incorporation on December 1, 2000.



Buddy Burks

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF OKALOOSA

The foregoing Articles of Incorporation was subscribed and sworn to before me by Buddy Burks on December 1, 2000; Buddy Burks is personally known to me or has produced _____ as identification.

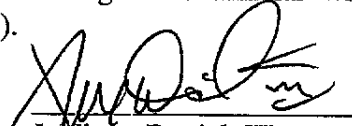
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ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for Automotive Services of N.W. FL, Inc. at the place designated in the articles of incorporation, the undersigned is familiar with and accepts the obligations of that position under F.S. 607.0501(3).


J. Nixon Daniel, III


STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF ESCAMBIA

The foregoing Acceptance of Registered Agent was subscribed and sworn to before me by J. Nixon Daniel, III on December 8, 2000; J. Nixon Daniel, III is personally known to me or has produced _____ as identification.

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