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VIA CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Department of State Division of Corporations Post Office Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Filing of Articles of Incorporation for Ruark Construction & Re: Engineering, Inc. Our File No: 4467.001

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Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed herewith for filing please find an original and one copy of the executed and duly notarized Articles of Incorporation and Acceptance of Registered Agent for Ruark Construction & Engineering, Inc. Also enclosed is our check payable to the Florida Department of State in the amount of \$78.75 for the filing fee and certified copy.

Please return one certified copy of the Articles of Incorporation as filed, to the attention of the undersigned in the enclosed pre-addressed envelope.

Should you require any further information in order to proceed, please contact me.

Your assistance in this matter is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Mark D. Bowen

MDB:sgn Enclosures

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

RUARK CONSTRUCTION & ENGINEERING, INC.

The undersigned, acting as incorporator, signs the following Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I

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The name of the corporation shall be:

RUARK CONSTRUCTION & ENGINEERING, INC.

ARTICLE II

The existence of the corporation shall commence upon the filing of these Articles of Incorporation by the Department of State and shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE III

The corporation may engage in any and all businesses and activities permitted by the laws of the State of Florida. The corporation shall have all of the powers vested in a corporation organized under and existing by virtue of such laws.

ARTICLE IV

The maximum number of shares which the corporation shall have authority to issue shall be 1000 shares of common stock with a par value of \$1.00 per share.

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ARTICLE V

The initial registered agent and street address of the initial registered agent of the corporation shall be:

Mark D. Bowen, Esquire Steanrs, Weaver, Miller, Weissler, Albadeff & Sitterson, P.A. 200 East Broward Boulevard Suite 1900 Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

ARTICLE VI

This corporation shall have one (1) officer and one (1) director initially. The name and

address of the initial officer and director of the corporation, who shall hold office until his/her

successor is elected and qualified or until the earlier resignation or removal from office, is:

Officer:

Edward Royce Ruark, President, Secretary, Treasurer 110 Dunbar Street Suite C Oldsmar, FL 34677

Director:

Edward Royce Ruark, Director 110 Dunbar Street Suite C Oldsmar, FL 34677

The number of officers and/or directors may be increased or decreased from time to time

pursuant to the bylaws of the corporation, but shall not be less than one.

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the incorporator of the corporation is:

Edward Royce Ruark 110 Dunbar Street Suite C Oldsmar, FL 34677

ARTICLE VIII

The principal place of business and mailing address of the corporation shall be:

110 Dunbar Street, Suite C Oldsmar, FL 34677

ampa, Florida this 18 day of December, 2000. Executed at

Edward Royce Ruark, Incorporator

By: Edward Royce Ruark

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18^{12} brenhor day of , 2000.

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large

My commission expires:

Patricia Ann Lindsey My Commission CC699128 Expires November 30, 2001

Print type or stamp Commissioned Name of Notary Public

YPersonally known ORProduced identification

Produced identification Type of identification produced: _

ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated, 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 I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Dated this 29 day of <u>December</u> , 2000.

Mark D. Bowen, Esq. REGISTERED AGENT

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