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Florida Department of State
Division of Corporations
409 East Gaines Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32301

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Re: Strickland Blueberries, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Please find enclosed the original Articles of Incorporation for Strickland Blueberries, Inc., together with one copy of same for certification. We would further like to request a Certificate of Status. Our check in the amount of \$87.50, representing the costs of the requested services is also enclosed. Please return the certified copy to our office in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this request.

Brenda M. Bess
AUTHORIZATION BY PHONE TO
CORRECT *Corp. Suffix*
DATE *6-8-01*
DOC. EXAM *1/91*

Very truly yours,

Brenda M. Bess

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Assistant to James H. Buzbee

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF**

STRICKLAND BLUEBERRIES, INC.

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The undersigned, acting as incorporators of a corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

1. The name of the corporation is Strickland Blueberries, Inc.
2. The period is perpetual.
3. The purpose of the corporation is to engage in any activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States and Florida.
4. The corporation shall have authority to issue 200 shares, all one class, \$1.00 par value.
5. The address of its initial registered office is 4956 Slaten Road, Plant City, Florida 33567, and the name of its initial registered agent at said address is Janis K. Strickland. The principal office and mailing address is 4956 Slaten Road, Plant City, Florida 33567.
6. The number of directors constituting its initial board of directors is two (2), whose names and addresses are:

| <u>NAME</u> | <u>ADDRESS</u> |
|---------------------|--|
| James F. Strickland | 4956 Slaten Road Plant City, FL 33567 |
| Janis K. Strickland | 4956 Slaten Road Plant City, FL 33567 |

7. The names and addresses of the incorporators are:

| <u>NAME</u> | <u>ADDRESS</u> |
|---------------------|--|
| James F. Strickland | 4956 Slaten Road Plant City, FL 33567 |
| Janis K. Strickland | 4956 Slaten Road Plant City, FL 33567 |

DATED this 30 day of April, 2001.


JAMES F. STRICKLAND


JANIS K. STRICKLAND

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared JAMES F. STRICKLAND, who produced FL DLS 362 446 47-286 0 as identification or is personally known to me, and who is known to me to be the person described in and who subscribed the above Articles of Incorporation, and he did freely and voluntarily acknowledge before me according to the law that he made and subscribed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and my official seal, in said County and State this 30th day of April, 2001.


NOTARY PUBLIC



Brenda M. Bess
Commission # DD 006220
Expires March 29, 2005
Bonded Thru
Atlantic Bonding Co., Inc.

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared JANIS K. STRICKLAND, who produced FL DL S362 431 49 567 as identification or is personally known to me, and who is known to me to be the person described in and who subscribed the above Articles of Incorporation, and she did freely and voluntarily acknowledge before me according to the law that she made and subscribed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and my official seal, in said County and State this 30th day of April, 2001.

Brenda M. Bess
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ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

I HEREBY ACCEPT designation as registered agent.

Janis K. Strickland
JANIS K. STRICKLAND