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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

**OF**

**UNIVERSAL FOUNTAINS AND STATUARY, INC.**

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The undersigned incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation, a Florida corporation, hereby forms a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

**ARTICLE I - CORPORATE NAME**

The name of the Corporation is UNIVERSAL FOUNTAINS AND STATUARY, INC.

**ARTICLE II - NATURE OF BUSINESS AND POWERS**

The general nature of the business to be transacted by this Corporation is to engage in the business of decorative garden products by engaging in the construction, manufacture, repair, installation, servicing, and sale, wholesale and retail, of decorative concrete and ceramic pots, planters, fountains, columns, birdbaths, sconces, statuary, figures, and any other related garden decorative products, and otherwise deal with all kind of merchandise, inventory related thereto, and to engage in any other lawful activities within the purposes for which corporations may be organized under the Florida Business Corporation Act.

The corporation shall exercise any and all powers that corporations have and may exercise under the laws of the State of Florida and as the same may be amended. To do all and everything necessary, suitable, or proper for the accomplishment of any of the purposes, the attainment of any of the objects, or the exercise of any of the powers herein set forth, either alone or in conjunction with other corporations, firms, individuals, and with principals or agents, and to do every other act or acts, thing or things, incidental or appurtenant to or growing out of or connected with the above mentioned objects, purposes, or powers.

**ARTICLE III - CAPITAL STOCK**

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The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to issue and have outstanding at any one time is One Thousand (1,000) shares of common stock having a par value of One Dollar (\$1.00) per share.

Shares may be issued only for a consideration having value, in the judgment of the Board of Directors, at least equivalent to the full par value of the stock to be issued. All shares issued shall be fully paid and non-assessable.

#### **ARTICLE IV - TERM OF EXISTENCE**

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

#### **ARTICLE V - REGISTERED AGENT AND INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE**

The initial Registered Agent and the registered address of the corporation in the State of Florida shall be:

SYLVIA ALARCON SPARLER, Esq.  
4100 S. Dixie Highway, Suite C  
West Palm Beach, FL 33405

#### **ARTICLE VI - CORPORATION'S PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The initial principal office of the corporation shall be at 11555 U.S. Highway 1, North Palm Beach, Florida 33408. The Board of Directors may, from time to time, move the principal office of the corporation to any other address in the State of Florida.

The Board of Directors may, from time to time, move the Registered Office to any other address in the State of Florida.

#### **ARTICLE VII - BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

This corporation shall have one (1) director initially. The number of directors may be increased or diminished from time to time by laws adopted by the stockholders, but shall never be less than one (1).

#### **ARTICLE VIII - INITIAL DIRECTORS**

The name of the initial director of this corporation and her street address is:

Silvia Wilson  
3810 Addison Drive, Perland, TX 77584

The person named as initial director shall hold office for the first year of existence of this corporation or until their successors are elected or appointed and have qualified, whichever occurs first.

#### **ARTICLE IX - INCORPORATOR**

The name and street address of the individual signing these Articles of Incorporation as the Incorporator is:

Silvia Wilson  
3810 Addison Drive, Perland, TX 77584

#### **ARTICLE X - PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS**

The corporation elects to have preemptive rights, pursuant to Section 607.0630, Florida Statutes, as amended from time to time.

#### **ARTICLE XI - CONFLICT OF INTEREST**

No contract between this corporation and another corporation or another individual shall be invalidated by reason of the fact that the one or more of the officers or directors of this corporation are officers or directors of the said other corporation, or by reason of the fact that one or more of the officers or directors of this corporation may be the other individual or individuals contracting with this corporation.

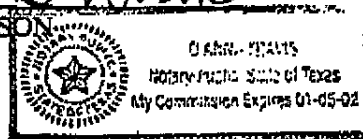
#### **ARTICLE XII - AMENDMENT**

The Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law. Every amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors, proposed by them to the stockholders, and approved at a stockholders' meeting by at least a majority of the stock entitled to vote thereon, unless all of the directors and all of the stockholders sign a written statement manifesting their intention that a certain amendment of these Articles of Incorporation be made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, as the Incorporator, has executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation as of the 29<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2001.

Silvia B. Wilson  
SILVIA WILSON

STATE OF TEXAS)  
COUNTY OF Harris



BEFORE ME, a Notary Public, personally appeared SILVIA WILSON, to me known to be the person described as Incorporator and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and acknowledged before me that she subscribed to these Articles of Incorporation.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at Houston, Texas 29<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2001.

Danna Travis  
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF TEXAS

My Commission Expires:

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**CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS  
OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE  
NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED**

Pursuant to Sec. 607.0501, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted, in compliance with said Act:

That UNIVERSAL FOUNTAIN AND STATUARY, INC., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation, at West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida, has named SYLVIA ALARCON SPARLER, 4100 S. Dixie Highway, Suite C, West Palm Beach, Florida 33405, as its agent to accept service of process within this state.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:**

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provisions of said Act relative to keeping open said office.

  
SYLVIA ALARCON SPARLER

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