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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

THE PROTEIN CONNECTION, INC.

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The undersigned incorporator(s), for the purpose of forming a Profit Corporation under Chapter 607 of the Florida Statutes, hereby adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation shall be: THE PROTEIN CONNECTION, INC.

ARTICLE II

This corporation shall commence existence upon the date of filing with the Division of Corporations, state of Florida, and shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE III

The principal place of business of this corporation: 10 WEST ADAMS STREET, SUITE 108, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32202

ARTICLE IV

The general nature of business of this corporation is to transact any and all lawful business.

ARTICLE V

The aggregate number of shares which this corporation shall have authority to issue are 10,000 shares having an individual par value of \$1.00

Unless otherwise stated in these articles, or in an amendment to these articles, there shall be only one (1) class of stock of this corporation.

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ARTICLE VI

The name and street address of the initial Registered Agent of this corporation shall be: RICKY P. BATEH 10 WEST ADAMS STREET, SUITE 102, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32202

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the officers and initial board of director(s) shall be:

**PRESIDENT/TREASURER
SECRETARY/DIRECTOR
MICHAEL BRYAN**

10 WEST ADAMS STREET, SUITE 108
JACKSONVILLE, FL 32202

ARTICLE VIII

The name and address of the incorporator executing these Articles of Incorporation is:

Empire Corporate Kit of America, Inc.
2444 N.W. 7TH PLACE
MIAMI, FL 33127

The undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 25TH day of JULY, 2001.


INCORPORATOR

Ray Stormont Signing for
Empire Corporate Kit of America, Inc. _


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**Certificate of Designation and Acceptance
of Registered Agent / Registered Office**

Pursuant to the provisions of F.S. 607.0501, the undersigned corporation,
organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statements in
designating the registered office/registered agent in the State of Florida.

First that THE PROTEIN CONNECTION, INC. desiring to organize under the
laws of the State of Florida with its principal office, as indicated in the articles of
incorporation, has named Ricky P. Bateh located at 10 West Adams Street, Suite 102,
Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida 32202 as its agent to accept service of process
within this state.

Having been named as registered agent and designated to accept service of
process for the above corporation, 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.



Ricky P. Bateh
Registered Agent

Date: July 24, 2001

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