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# July 20, 2001 VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Florida Division of Corporations Department of State 409 E. Gaines Street Tallahassee, Florida 32399

RE: TROPICAL POOLS & SPAS OF THE SUNCOAST, INC.

Dear Sir/Madam:

I have enclosed for your review and filing the original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation for TROPICAL POOLS & SPAS OF THE SUNCOAST, INC., and a check in the amount of \$78.75 payable to The Florida Department of State for the following:

Filing Fee for Articles of Incorporation, F.S.

\$35.00

Filing Fee for Resident Agent F.S.

\$35.00

Certificate of Good Standing

<u>8.75</u>

TOTAL:

\$78.75

Please return a copy of the Articles of Incorporation and the original Certificate of Good Standing to this office.

Thank you for your prompt attention to and cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

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Stephen F. Voigt, Sr.

SFVsr/mmz Enclosures

Signed in Mr. Volgt's Absence to Avoid Delay

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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

# TROPICAL POOLS & SPAS OF THE SUNCOAST, INC.



#### ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this corporation is TROPICAL POOLS & SPAS OF THE SUNCOAST, INC.

#### **ARTICLE II - TERM**

This corporation shall commence to exist on the time of the filing of these Articles of Incorporation by the Department of State of the State of Florida, and shall exist perpetually or until legally dissolved.

### **ARTICLE III - PURPOSE**

This is a corporation for the purpose of conducting any or all lawful business, and doing all acts and things as are incidental to the foregoing or necessary or convenient to carry on the business of the corporation or to effect or promote the purpose for which the corporation is formed.

### ARTICLE IV - CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation is authorized to issue SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY (750) SHARES of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) PAR VALUE per share common stock.

# ARTICLE V - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The street address of the principal office of this corporation is 586 LYONS LANE, LONGBOAT KEY, FL 34228.

### ARTICLE VI - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address and the initial registered agent of office of the registered agent of this corporation is ROBERT A. KIRK, JR., whose address is 586 LYONS LANE, LONGBOAT KEY, FL 34228.

### ARTICLE VII - MANAGEMENT OF CORPORATION BY SHAREHOLDERS

All corporate powers shall be executed by or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of this corporation shall be managed under the direction of, the shareholders of this corporation. This corporation shall have no directors.

ONE HUNDRED PERCENT (100%) of the shares entitled to vote, represented in

person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum at a meeting of the shareholders.

# ARTICLE VIII - INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the person signing these Articles is:

ROBERT A. KIRK, JR. 586 LYONS LANE LONGBOAT KEY, FL 34228

## **ARTICLE IX - AMENDMENT**

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment thereof, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has executed these Articles of Incorporation this  $20^{4}$  day of July, 2001.

ROBERT A. KIRK, JR

STATE OF FLORIDA

SS.

COUNTY OF SARASOTA )

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this day of July, 2001 by ROBERT A. KIRK, JR., who is personally known to me or who has produced a Driver's License as identification and who did take an oath.

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES:

Official Seal
MELISSAM. ZELLER
Notary Public, State of Florida
My comm. expires May 11, 2005
No. DD 016067

Notary Public

Print Name

# **CONSENT OF REGISTERED AGENT**

Having been named as registered agent for this corporation at the registered office designated in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, the undersigned accepts the designation.

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ROŚERT A KIRK JŔ