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Department of State Division of Corporations P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: Red Diamond Genological Services Company

(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for: \$70.00 **□** \$78.75 \$87.50 Filing Fee Filing Fee Filing Fee Filing Fee, & Certificate of Status & Certified Copy Certified Copy & Certificate of Status ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED Name (Printed or typed) PALM HARBOR FZ
City, State & Zip 727-442-7184

NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

Daytime Telephone number

### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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**OF** 

SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

#### RED DIAMOND GEMOLOGICAL SERVICES COMPANY

## ARTICLE I - NAME and PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

The name of this corporation is Red Diamond Gemological Services Company and its principal place of business shall be located at 40 Baywood Court, Palm Harbor, Florida, 34683.

#### ARTICLE II - DURATION

This corporation shall have perpetual existence commencing on the date of this filing of these Articles of Incorporation with the Department of State.

#### **ARTICLE III - PURPOSE**

This corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any or all lawful business.

#### ARTICLE IV - CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation is authorized to issue One Hundred (100) shares of common stock at Ten Cents (\$.10) par value, which shall be designated as "Common Shares."

#### ARTICLE V - PRE-EMPTIVE RIGHTS

Every shareholder, upon the sale for cash of any new stock of this corporation shall have the right to purchase his pro-rata share thereof (as nearly as may be done without issuance of fractional shares) at the price at which it is offered to others.

#### ARTICLE VI - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 40 Baywood Court, Palm Harbor, Florida 34683, and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address is Scott E. Kirkland.

#### ARTICLE VII - DIRECTORS

Initially, this corporation shall have two (2) Directors who shall serve until their successors shall be elected/appointed at the first meeting of the stockholders and thereafter this corporation shall have no less than one (1) director constituting the initial Board of Directors. The number of

Directors may be either increased or decreased from time to time by the Bylaws. The name and address of the initial director is as follows:

Name

Address

Scott E. Kirkland

40 Baywood Court

Palm Harbor, FL 34683

Lisa Kirkland

40 Baywood Court

Palm Harbor, FL 34683

#### **ARTICLE VIII - OFFICERS**

The names and addresses of the initial officers of the corporation, who shall serve until their successors shall be elected or appointed, are:

Name Address

Scott E. Kirkland 40 Baywood Court

President/Treasurer Palm Harbor, FL 34683

Lisa Kirkland Vice President/Secretary 40 Baywood Court Palm Harbor, FL 34683

#### ARTICLE IX - INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator signing these articles is:

Name

Address

Scott E. Kirkland

40 Baywood Court, Palm Harbor, FL 34683

# ARTICLE X - INDEMNIFICATION

The corporation shall indemnify any Officer or Director, or any former Officer or Director, to the full extent permitted by law. No officer or director shall be personally liable for monetary damages to the corporation or any other person for any statement, vote, decision, or failure to act, regarding corporate management or policy, unless that officer or director breached or failed to perform his duties as an officer or director as provided §607.0831, Florida Statutes (1990).

#### ARTICLE XI - AMENDMENT

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation. Articles may be amended at any time by a majority vote of the shareholders.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporators have executed these Articles of Incorporation on the date of signing.

Dated:	11-12-01	, 2001

Printed Name: Scott E. Kirkland

Incorporator

# CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE AND NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED 01 NOV 13 AM 11: 53

In compliance with Section 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitt SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

First, that Red Diamond Gemological Services Company desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, has named Scott E. Kirkland, located at 40 Baywood Court, Palm Harbor, Florida 34683, as its agent to accept service of process within Florida.

By Oliver Printed Name: Scott E. Kirkland

Incorporator

# ACCEPTANCE OF DESIGNATION BY REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named as registered agent and 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. 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: //-/2-0/ ,2001

Printed Name: Scott E. Kirkland

Registered Agent