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Northern Pipelayers, Inc. 14405 Tripp Road Loxahatchee, Florida 33470 561-798-1977

October 16, 2001

Department of State Division of Corporations PO Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

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Re: Northern Pipelayers, Inc.

To whom it may concern:

Enclosed herewith are the Articles of Incorporation together with a copy of said Articles for **Northern Pipelayers, Inc.** and our check in the amount of \$70.00.

Respectfully submitted,

David Rafferty, President

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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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Northern Pipelayers, Inc.

SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

The undersigned Incorporated does hereby make, subscribe, file and acknowledge these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of organizing a corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act.

#### ARTICLE I

## NAME OF CORPORATION

The name of this corporation shall be: Northern Pipelayers, Inc.

## ARTICLE II

# GENERAL NATURE OF BUSINESS

The general purpose for which this corporation is organized shall be to engage in any lawful activity or to transact any lawful business for which a corporation may be incorporated under the Florida General Corporation Act.

# ARTICLE III

# **AUTHORIZED SHARES**

The total authorized capital stock of this corporation shall consist of 1,000 shares of Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share.

# **ARTICLE IV**

# CAPITAL TO BEGIN BUSINESS

The amount of capital with which this corporation will begin business shall be determined by the initial Board of Directors.

#### ARTICLE V

#### ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL OFFICE

Address of the principal office of this corporation is 14405 Tripp Road, Loxahatchee, Florida 33470.

#### **ARTICLE VI**

#### TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

## ARTICLE VII

#### ADDRESS OF REGISTERED OFFICE IN THIS STATE

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation in the State of Florida is 14405 Tripp Road, Loxahatchee, Florida 33470 and the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address shall be David Rafferty.

## **ARTICLE VIII**

#### NUMBER OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have not less than one (1) Director.

#### ARTICLE IX

## **INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The name and street address of the initial member of the Board of Directors are:

David Rafferty

14405 Tripp Road Loxahatchee, Florida 33470

## ARTICLE X

## INCORPORATOR

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The name and street address of the person signing these Articles of Incorporation is: OF STATE TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

David Rafferty

14405 Tripp Road Loxahatchee, Florida 33470

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my hand and seal, this the Mrember, 2001. day of

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF

BEFORE ME, the undersigned Notary Public of the State of Florida personally appeared David Rafferty to me well known and known to me to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and he acknowledged before me that he executed the same freely and voluntarily for the purpose therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this

Kathy Simmons MY COMMISSION # CC877553 EXPIRES Ober 10, 2003

State of Florida

THE UNDERSIGNED, named as the registered agent in Article VII of these Articles of Incorporation hereby consents to act as such registered agent.