ATTORNEYS AT LAW

JAMES E. KIRK, 1902-1983

JOHN C. PINKERTON, 1916-1997

DONALD C. McCLELLAND, JR., RETIRED

1301 6th Avenue West

Bradenton, FL 34205

700004730067—1 -12/18/01—01026—014

\*\*\*\*\*70.00 \*\*\*\*\*70.00

Reply to:

941-364-2455

ROBERT J. CARR WILLIAM C. STRODE L. HOWARD PAYNE\*\*\* L. NORMAN VAUGHAN-BIRCH\*\*\*A TIMOTHY S. SHAW\* WILLIAM E. ROBERTSON, JR. DAVID M. SILBERSTEIN \*\*\* BRENDA L. PATTEN\* DANIEL A. BECHTOLD\* MARK P. BARNEBEY\* EVAN N. BERLIN THOMAS D. SHULTS DAVID W. PAYNE\* DAVID W. WILCOX MICHAEL A. ORTIZ

DAVID B. MARSHALL JULIE A. HORSTKAMP CHRISTOPHER E. BROWN™\*\* JAMIE A. EBLING DAVID C. MEYER

LAWRENCE B. WOLOV □OF COUNSEL, LICENSED IN PENNSYLVANIA ONLY

\*BOARD CERTIFIED IN WILLS, TRUSTS \*BOARD CERTIFIED IN WILLS, TRUSTS
AND ESTATES
AND ESTATES
AND ESTATES
AND ESTATES
AND ESTATES
AND ESTATES
ESTATES
AND ESTATES

\*BOARD CERTIFIED REAL ESTATE LAW LAWYER

\*BOARD CERTIFIED CIVIL TRIAL
ANTORNEY
\*BOARD CERTIFIED IN CITY, COUNTY
AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT LAW
\*ALSO ADMITTED IN NEW YORK

\*ALSO ADMITTED IN COLORADO
\*ALSO ADMITTED IN ESTATES
AND LOCAL GOVERN

\*ALSO ADMITTED IN ESTATES
ALSO ADMITTED IN ESTATES
ALSO ADMITTED IN DISTRICT
OF COLUMBIA

\*\*ALSO ADMITTED IN IDSTRICT

\*ALSO ADMITTED IN DISTRICT

\*ALSO ADMITTED IN DISTRICT

\*\*ALSO ADMITTED IN IDSTRICT

MAILING ADDRESS P.O. BOX 3798 SARASOTA, FLORIDA 34230

720 SOUTH ORANGE AVENUE SARASOTA, FLORIDA 34236 TELEPHONE 941 • 364 • 2400 FACSIMILE 941 • 364 • 2490 attorney@kirkpinkerton.com

1301-6TH AVE. W., SUITE 401 **BRADENTON, FLORIDA 34205** TELEPHONE 941 • 744 • 2288 FACSIMILE 941 • 744 • 9691

151 CENTER ROAD VENICE, FLORIDA 34292 TELEPHONE 941 • 408 • 8400 FACSIMILE 941 • 408 • 1970

941-744-9691fax December 14, 2001

Secretary of State Division of Corporations 409 East Gaines Street Tallahassee, Florida 32314

RE: Articles of Incorporation Candy Country, Inc.

Dear Sir/Madame:

Enclosed herewith please find an original and one copy of Articles of Incorporation of the above referenced corporation. enclosed is my check in the amount of \$70.00 for the filing fee. Please file the articles and return a stamped copy to me for my records.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Verly thuly you

DWW: bbw Enclosures

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF CANDY COUNTRY, INC.

O1DEC 18 PH 3: 14

SECRETALL OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

## ARTICLE 1 - NAME/ADDRESS

The name of this corporation is **CANDY COUNTRY**, **INC.**, and its mailing and principal office address is 3852 Golf Finch Court, Palm Harbor, Florida 34685.

### **ARTICLE 2 - PURPOSE**

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

#### ARTICLE 3 - POWERS

This corporation shall have all of the powers enumerated in the Florida Business Corporations Act.

#### ARTICLE 4 - CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation is authorized to issue 10,000 voting common stock with a par value of \$.001 per share.

## ARTICLE 5 - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered agent of this corporation is 1301 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue West, Suite 401, Bradenton, Florida 34205 and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address is **DAVID W. WILCOX, Esquire**.

#### ARTICLE 6 - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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

name and address of the initial Board of Directors is:

#### DAVID W. WILCOX

1301 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue West, Suite 401 Bradenton, Florida 34205

#### **ARTICLE 7 - INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

DAVID W. WILCOX, Esq.

1301 6th Avenue West, Suite 401

Bradenton, FL 34205

#### ARTICLE 8 - AMENDMENT

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

The undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation on the 14th day of December, 2001.

DAVID W. WILCOX

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF MANATEE

**BEFORE ME**, a Notary Public, appeared **DAVID W. WILCOX**, to me known to be the person described as the incorporator, who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and said person did acknowledge subscribing to same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 14th day of December, 2001.

Markaia B. Mells NOTARY PUBLIC



FILED

01DEC 18 PM 3: 14

SECRETARIA DE STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

## ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, at the place designated in the corporation's Articles of Incorporation, I hereby acknowledge and accept the appointment and agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with all the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties.

DATED: <u>12-14</u>, 2001

REGISTERED AGENT

Corporation\Candy Country-Articles