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August 22, 2002

Secretary of State Division of Corporations Post Office Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

RE: Mechanical Planters of the Glades, Incorporated

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed herewith, please find the Articles of Incorporation for the above referenced corporation, along with a check (#1855), in the amount of \$78.75, which represents the filing fee and Registered Agent Designation Fee. Also enclosed is one (1) copy of said Articles of Incorporation to be returned to me after filing in the self-addressed, stamped envelope I have provided for your convenience.

Thank you for your cooperation herein and should you have any questions or concerns regarding the above, do not hesitate to contact our office.

Very Truly Yours

Jessica L. Otto Legal Assistant

Enclosures

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

MECHANICAL PLANTERS OF THE GLADES, INCORPORATED 26 AM 10: 30

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation under Chapter 60% of the FLORIDA laws of the State of Florida, does hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this Corporation shall be:

MECHANICAL PLANTERS OF THE GLADES, INCORPORATED

The address of the principal office of this corporation shall be 209 South Main Street, Belle Glade, Florida 33430, and the mailing address shall 209 South Main Street, Belle Glade, Florida 33430.

ARTICLE II - NATURE OF BUSINESS

This corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any or all lawful activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States, the State of Florida or any other state, country territory or nation.

ARTICLE III - CAPITAL STOCK

The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is 100 shares of common stock having \$1 par value per share.

ARTICLE IV - ADDRESS

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation shall be 209 South Main Street, Belle Glade, Florida 33430, and the name of the initial registered agent of the Corporation at the address shall be Stephen L. Pate.

ARTICLE V - TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE VI - DIRECTORS

All corporate powers shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of the corporation managed under the direction of its Board of Directors, subject to any limitation set forth in these Articles of Incorporation. This corporation shall have four (4) Directors initially. The name and street address of the initial members of the Board of Directors is:

Stephen L. Pate 209 South Main Street Belle Glade, Florida 33430

Jonathan S. McNiell 209 South Main Street Belle Glade, Florida 33430

James S. McNiell 209 South Main Street Belle Glade, Florida 33430

Craig D. Pate 209 South Main Street Belle Glade, Florida 33430

ARTICLE VII - OFFICERS

The names and addresses of the initial officers of the corporation who shall hold office for the first year of the corporation, or until their successors are elected or appointed are:

Stephen L. Pate
President
209 South Main Street
Belle Glade, Florida 33430

Jonathan S. McNiell
Vice President
209 South Main Street
Belle Glade, Florida 33430

Craig D. Pate
Secretary
209 South Main Street
Belle Glade, Florida 33430

James S. McNiell Treasurer 209 South Main Street Belle Glade, Florida 33430

ARTICLE VIII - INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation

Stephen L. Pate 209 South Main Street Belle Glade, Florida 33430

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 22 day of August, 2002.

Stephen L.\Pate
INCORPORATOR

STATE OF FLORIDA)
COUNTY OF PALM BEACH)

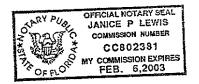
BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, authorized to administer oaths and take acknowledgments, personally appeared Stephen L. Pate, to me known to be the person herein and who after being duly cautioned and sworn according to law deposed and stated that he executed these Articles of Incorporation for the purposes expressed herein, who produced is personally known to me and who did not take an oath.

Printed Notary Name

is:

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Commission Expires



CERTIFICATE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF REGISTERED AGENT

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTERED AGENT

OF

MECHANICAL PLANTERS OF THE GLADES, INCORPORATED

Pursuant to Florida Statutes Sections 48.091 and 607.0501, the following is submitted:

The above corporation, desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its registered office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation as, Mechanical Planters of the Glades, Incorporated, has named Stephen L. Pate, located at 209 South Main Street, Belle Glade, Florida 33430, as its Registered Agent to accept service of process within this state.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Having been named as Registered Agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, and being familiar with the obligations of that position, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provisions of Florida Law in keeping open said office.

Stephen II. Pate

REGISTERED AGENT

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