#### TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

SUBJECT:	L & J TRANSPORT	Seevices, Juc
	(Proposed corpor	ate name - must include suffix)
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Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for :		
	S78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status	S78.75
FROM: JAWES STANFORD		
Name (Printed or typed)		
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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF L & J TRANSPORT SERVICES, INC.

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We the undersigned, hereby certify that we have formed an association for the purpose of becoming a corporation for profit under the laws of the state of Florida, and DO HEREBY CERTIFY that we have become such corporation under and pursuant to the following ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

#### **ARTICLE I**

#### NAME

The name of the corporation shall be: L & J TRANSPORT SERVICES, INC.

#### **ARTICLE II**

#### **PURPOSE**

The general nature of the business is perpetual and the business to be transacted by the said corporation shall be and is as follows:

- (a) To engage in the business of trucking, motor transport, distribution and other related enterprises.
- (b) To buy, sell, lease, exchange and own any and all equipment, personal property, real estate, lands and buildings incidental and necessary to the conduct of said business.
  - (c) To enter into contracts with reference to purchase or sale of real estate.
- (d) To have, use, exercise and enjoy all the general powers of a like corporation; to do any and all of the things herein set forth to the same extent as natural persons might do, as principal, agent, or otherwise, alone or in company with others.
- (e) To buy, sell, own and exchange any motor vehicle or equipment necessary

for use in the business.

- (f) To do all other such things and acts as may be necessary, preferable or expedient in carrying on the business or acts above named.
- (g) The intention is that none of the objects and powers hereinabove specified and clauses contained in this Article, except where otherwise specified in this Article, shall be in anywise limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the Terms of any other Article in this Certificate, but that the objects and powers specified in each of the clauses of this Article shall be regarded as independent objects and powers; and the enumeration of any specified objects, purposes or powers shall not be held to limit, abridge or restrict in any manner the general powers expressed herein or conferred on this Association by the laws of the State of Florida, or of the United States of America, all of which powers are hereby expressly claimed.
- (h) To borrow money for any and all purposes of this corporation, without limits, subject, however, to the restrictions contained herein and in the by-laws of this corporation.
- (i) To buy, sell and deal in stocks, bonds and other securities of every kind and character, and, as the owner of such stocks, to exercise all the rights, powers and privileges of ownership, including the right to vote thereon.
- (j) To enter into and become a member of any partnership or joint venture for sharing profits with any person, firm or corporation.
- (k) To purchase, hold, sell and transfer shares of its own capital stock, provided such purchase shall be made only from the surplus of its assets over its liabilities, including capital; and do all and everything necessary and proper for the accomplishment of the objects enumerated in these ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION or any Amendment thereof, or necessary or incidental to the protection and benefit of this corporation.

#### **ARTICLE III**

#### **CAPITAL STOCK**

The amount of authorized capital stock shall be 100 shares.

#### **ARTICLE IV**

#### **AMOUNT OF CAPITAL TO BEGIN BUSINESS**

The amount of capital with which this corporation shall begin business is \$100.00.

#### **ARTICLE V**

#### **CORPORATE EXISTANCE**

The term for which this corporation shall exist shall be perpetual.

#### **ARTICLE VI**

#### PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

The principal place of business, principal office and/or mailing address of this Corporation shall be 2873 west 15<sup>th</sup> Street, in Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida. 32254.

#### **ARTICLE VII**

#### **DIRECTORS**

The business of this corporation shall be conducted by a Board of Directors of not less than Three (3) nor more than five (5) Directors. The first Board of Directors shall consist of Three (3) members.

#### **ARTICLE VIII**

#### NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF FIRST BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

The names and post office addresses of the first Board of Directors and of the Officers of this corporation, who shall hold office for the first year of this corporation's existence, or until their successors are elected and qualified are as follows:

President-Director James Stanford 2873 west 15<sup>th</sup> Street Jacksonville, Florida 3254

Vice President-Director Leon Searcy Sr. 2873 west 15<sup>th</sup> Street Jacksonville, Florida 3254

Secretary/Treasure Gwendolyn B. Stanford 2873 west 15<sup>th</sup> Street Jacksonville, Florida 3254

#### **ARTICLE IX**

### NAMES AND ADDRESS OF SUBSCRIBERS AND NUMBER OF SHARES OF STOCK

The names and post office addresses of all the subscribers to the ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, and the number of shares of stock subscribed for by each are as follows:

James Stanford 2873 west 15<sup>th</sup> Street Jacksonville, Florida 3254

50 shares

Leon Searcy Sr. 2873 west 15<sup>th</sup> Street Jacksonville, Florida 32218

50 shares

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscribing incorporator has hereunto set his hand and seal this 4th day of August A.D. 2002 for the purpose of forming this corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, and he hereby makes and files in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Florida, this ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, and certify that the facts herein are true.

lames Stanford



## CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS AND SEP -4 PM 4: 04 NAMING REGISTERED AGENT

Pursuant to the provisions of Florida Statutes, Chapter 48.091 and Chapter 607.034, L & J TRANSPORT SERVICES INC., hereby designates 2873 west 15<sup>th</sup> Street, Jacksonville, Florida 32254, as its Registered Office and hereby names James Stanford, whose address is 2873 West 15<sup>th</sup> Street, Jacksonville, Florida 32254, as its Registered Agent for the service of process within the State.

### ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT NAMING REGISTERED AGENT

I, James Stanford, whose address is 8367 New Kings Road, Jacksonville, Florida 32218, hereby accept the appointment as registered agent for the above named corporation.

James Stanford