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# TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

SUBJECT: RAY ADKINS TRUCKING, INC.

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for:

(X) \$ 70.00 Filing Fee

( ) \$ 78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate

( ) \$122.50 Filing Fee & Certified Copy
( ) \$131.25 Filing Fee, Certified Copy, & Certificate

Ray Adkins FROM:

> 5017 First Street N.W. Lakeland, FL 33809

863-859-7951 Daytime Number

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

#### **FOR**

## RAY ADKINS TRUCKING, INC.

The undersigned Incorporator, being a person competent to contract, subscribes to these Articles of Incorporation to form a Corporation for profit under the laws of the State of Florida.

#### ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the corporation is RAY ADKINS TRUCKING, Inc.

## ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal office of the corporation is 5017 First Street N.W., Lakeland, FL 33809. The mailing address of the corporation is 5017 First Street N.W., Lakeland, FL 33809.

#### ARTICLE III - CAPITAL STOCK

The maximum number of shares of stock that the corporation is authorized to issue is 100 shares of common stock having no par value per share. The consideration to be paid for each share shall be fixed by the Board of Directors.

The percentage of ownership of stock is set forth as follows:

Raymond R. Adkins 50% Judith R. Adkins 50%

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

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 5017 First Street N.W., Lakeland, FL 33809 and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation is Tracie Rae Adkins.

#### ARTICLE V - INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the Incorporator of the corporation is:

Name Address

Raymond R. Adkins 5017 First Street N.W. Lakeland, FL 33809

#### ARTICLE VI - DIRECTORS

The corporation shall have initially have one (1) director. The method of electing (e.g., cumulative, non-cumulative), removing and replacing directors shall be prescribed by the By-Laws of the corporation. The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time by the By-Laws of the corporation. The names and street addresses of the initial director who shall hold office until the first annual meeting of the stockholders of the corporation or until their successors are elected or appointed and qualified are:

Name Address

Raymond R. Adkins 5017 First Street N.W. Lakeland, FL 33809

#### ARTICLE VII - GENERAL PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation has been formed is: To engage in and transact any and all lawful business permitted under the laws of the State of Florida and of the United States.

#### ARTICLE VIII - TERM OF EXISTENCE

The corporation shall commence its corporate existence on the date these Articles of Incorporation are filed with the Department of State, and shall have perpetual existence thereafter unless dissolved according to law.

#### ARTICLE IX - AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in such manner as provided in the By-Laws of the corporation.

day of <u>Johnnay</u> 2003.
Kaynord R. Adkins.
Raymond R. Adkins

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF Polk

Before me, the undersigned authority, an officer duly authorized to administer oaths and take acknowledgements, personally appeared Raymond R. Adkins, as Incorporator for RAY ADKINS TRUCKING, INC., who is known to me and is known by me to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and acknowledged before me that he executed the same freely and voluntarily for the purposes therein stated.

This the 8th day of February, 2003.

Notary Public Daisy y. anderson

My Commission Expires. 4-5-06

OFFICIAL NOTARY SEAL DAISY Y ANDERSON NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF FLORIDA COMMISSION NO. DD102641 MY COMMISSION EXP. APR. 5,2006

# ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT

I, Tracie Rae Adkins, certify that I am an individual resident in this state and that my residence is identical with the registered office of the corporation which is 5017 First Street N.W., Lakeland, FL 33809.

I hereby accept the appointment to serve as the initial registered agent of RAY ADKINS TRUCKING, INC. As registered agent, I agree to accept service of process on behalf of RAY ADKINS TRUCKING, INC., to keep the registered office open during the prescribed hours, and to post my name in some conspicuous place in the Registered Office as required by law.

I also accept the obligations provided for in Sections 607.0505 and 607.325, Florida Statutes (concerning the production of corporate documents pursuant to subpoena).

Dated this 8th day of Library, 2003.

TRACIE RAE ADKINS

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