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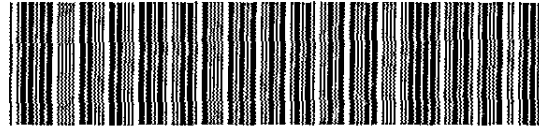
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Re: Bernie Sanitation Landfill, Inc.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find the original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation of the above referenced corporation, together with the Acceptance of Registered Agent and our check in the amount of \$78.75 to cover the cost of filing. Please file these Articles at your earliest convenience, **with an effective date of April 4, 2003**, and return a certified copy to us.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter. If there are any questions, please do not hesitate to call collect.

Sincerely,

HARMON & SLOAN, P. A.



Lani Weaver, Assistant to  
Timothy J. Sloan

TJS/lw

Enclosures

cc: Gayle B. Paynter

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
BERNIE SANITATION LANDFILL, INC.,  
a Florida corporation**

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The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a corporation pursuant to Chapter 607 of the Florida Statutes, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

**ARTICLE I - NAME**

The name of this corporation is BERNIE SANITATION LANDFILL, INC.

**ARTICLE II - PURPOSE**

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

**ARTICLE III - TERM OF EXISTENCE**

This corporation shall exist perpetually. The corporation shall commence its existence on April 4, 2003.

**ARTICLE IV - CAPITAL STOCK**

The aggregate number of shares of capital stock which this Corporation is authorized to issue is One Thousand (1,000) shares of common stock having a par value of One Dollar (\$1.00) per share, which shall be designated "Common Shares."

**ARTICLE V - PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT**

The street address of the initial principal office of the corporation in the State of Florida is 111 Harrison Avenue, Panama City, Florida 32401. The registered agent for this corporation is Timothy J. Sloan, Esq., whose address is 427 McKenzie Avenue, Panama City, Florida 32401.

**ARTICLE VI - BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The number of directors of the initial Board of Directors of this corporation is two (2). The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time in accordance with the Bylaws, but shall never be less than one (1). The name and address of the initial directors of this corporation are as follows:

BRIAN L. HUMBOLDT  
111 Harrison Avenue  
Panama City, Florida 32401

GAYLE B. PAYNTER  
111 Harrison Avenue  
Panama City, Florida 32401

**ARTICLE VII - INDEMNIFICATION**

This corporation shall indemnify any officer or director, or any former officer or director, to the full extent permitted by law.

**ARTICLE VIII- INCORPORATOR**

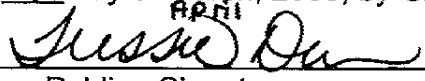
The name of the person signing these Articles is Gayle B. Paynter, whose address is 111 Harrison Avenue, Panama City, Florida 32401.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 4<sup>th</sup> day of ~~March~~ April, 2003.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
GAYLE B. PAYNTER, Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF BAY

The foregoing instrument was sworn to, subscribed, and acknowledged before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of ~~March~~ April, 2003, by GAYLE B. PAYNTER, who is personally known to me.

  
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Notary Public - Signature  
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Commission Number & Expiration Date

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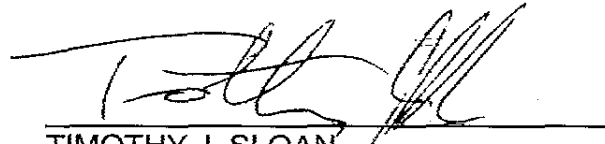
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**ACCEPTANCE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT  
OF  
BERNIE SANITATION LANDFILL, INC.,  
a Florida corporation**

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Having been named to accept service of process for the above-named corporation, at the place designated in the Articles of Incorporation, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provisions of Chapter 607 of the Florida Statutes relative to keeping open said office.

Dated as of the 4th day of April, 2003.

  
TIMOTHY J. SLOAN  
Registered Agent

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