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October 31, 2003

Florida Secretary of State Division of Corporations P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

## RE: ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF LHL ENTERPRISES, INC.

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am enclosing, in duplicate, an original set of Articles of Incorporation of LHL ENTERPRISES, INC., as well as a check in the amount of \$78.75 for the filing fee and certified copy. After filing, please return a stamped copy of the Articles to my office.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. In the event of any questions, please call.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS W. RUGGLES

TWR/ksf

**Enclosures** 

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

#### OF

#### LHL ENTERPRISES, INC.

The undersigned incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation, a natural person competent to contract, hereby forms a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

## ARTICLE I Name of Corporation

The name of the corporation shall be:

LHL ENTERPRISES, INC.

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## ARTICLE II Purpose

The purpose is to engage in business as an owner and operator of convenient food stores and to engage in any activities and businesses permitted under the laws of the United States, the State of Florida, and as may be applicable in other states where it may duly qualify to do business.

## ARTICLE III Principal Place of Business

The initial street address in this state of the principal office of this corporation is: 2818 Pine Tree Avenue SE, Largo, FL 33771. The corporation may from time to time move the principal office to any other address in Florida, and may establish branch offices at such other places within or

without the State of Florida as may be determined and deemed expedient.

ARTICLE IV Capital Stock

The maximum number of shares the corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is: 1,000 shares of Five Dollars (\$5.00) par value, all of which shall be Common Shares. All shares shall have the same rights and privileges on all matters on which shareholders have the right to vote.

ARTICLE V
Term of Existence

This corporation is to exist perpetually.

ARTICLE VI
Directors

This corporation shall have one (1) director initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the Bylaws but shall never be less than one. The name and business address of the initial director of this corporation is:

LEONARD H. LEMPKA 2818 Pine Tree Avenue SE Largo, FL 33771

ARTICLE VII Incorporator

The name and the street address of the incorporator of these Articles of Incorporation is:

#### LEONARD H. LEMPKA

2818 Pine Tree Avenue SE Largo, FL 33771

## ARTICLE VIII <u>Designation of Registered Office and Agent</u>

The initial designation of the Registered Office of this corporation shall be 2818 Pine Tree Avenue S.E., Largo, Florida 33771 and the Registered Agent shall be Leonard H. Lempka to accept service of process within this State until changed according to law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the incorporator above named, has hereunto set his hand and seal this <u>31</u> day of October, 2003.

Leonard H. Lempha

STATE OF FLORIDA }
COUNTY OF PINELLAS }

The foregoing document was acknowledged before me on the <u>\$\mathcal{I}\$</u> day of October, 2003 by **LEONARD H. LEMPKA**, who: **\mathcal{I}** is personally known to me, or □ is not personally known to me, who produced \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as identification.

**NOTARY PUBLIC** 

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#### ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Thomas W. Ruggles does hereby accept the designation of Registered Agent and states that he is familiar with, and accepts, the obligations provided for in 607.0505, Florida Statutes.

DATED this 3 1 day of October, 2003.

LEONARD H. LEMPKA

**STATE OF FLORIDA** }

COUNTY OF PINELLAS }

The foregoing document was acknowledged before me on the <u>3/</u> day of October, 2003 by **LEONARD H. LEMPKA**, who: ★is personally known to me, or □ is not personally known to me, who produced \_\_\_\_\_\_ as identification.

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Thomas W. Ruggles
MY COMMISSION # DD805897 EXPIR:
April 8, 2005
BONDED THRU TROY FAIN INSURANCE, INC.

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