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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

#### MELON KEY GROWERS, INC.

THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY MAKE, SUBSCRIBE, ACKNOWLEDGE AND FILE THIS CERTIFICATE FOR THE PURPOSE OF BECOMING A CORPORATION UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

#### ARTICLE

NAME

The name of this corporation is MELON KEY GROWERS, INC.

PURPOSE

This corporation may engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United and of the State of Florida. States and of the State of Florida.

#### CAPITAL STOCK

The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any time is 100,000 shares of common stock of 1.00 Dollar per share par value.

#### **ARTICLE IV**

#### DURATION

This corporation is to exist perpetually, and its existence is to commence on the date of execution.

#### ARTICLEV

## PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The principal office and mailing address of the corporation shall be located at 325 Sunset Way, Palm Harbor, Florida 34683.

The name and street address of the initial registered agent of the corporation in the State of Florida is: Frank J. Greco, Esquire, 4047 Henderson Boulevard, Tampa, Florida 33629. The Board of Directors may, from time to time, appoint a substitute registered agent and move the registered office or the principal office, or both, to any other address in the State of Florida.

#### **ARTICLE VI**

#### INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have one (1) or more director(s) as provided by the By-Laws. This corporation shall have two (2) directors, as follows:

NAME

**ADDRESS** 

Wilbur Eugene Hatcher

P.O.Box 465

Ozona, Florida 34660

Patti Brower Hatcher

P.O.Box 465

Ozona, Florida 34660

#### **ARTICLE VII**

#### **INCORPORATORS**

The name and address of the incorporator of this corporation is:

NAME

**ADDRESS** 

Wilbur Eugene Hatcher

P.O.Box 465

Ozona, Florida 34660

#### ARTICLE VIII

#### INDEMNIFICATION

The corporation shall indemnify all directors and officers, whether or not then in office, who are or become a party, or are threatened to be made a party, to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceedings, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative by reason of the fact that such person is or was a director or officer, or is or was serving at the request of the corporation as an officer or director against expenses (including attorneys' fees, including hourly charges for paralegals and other staff members operating under the supervision of an attorney, whether at trial or appeal), judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with such action, suit or proceeding, including any appeal thereof to the fullest extent permitted by law.

#### **ARTICLE IX**

#### **BY-LAWS**

The initial By-Laws shall be adopted by the Board of Directors. The power to alter, amend or repeal the By-Laws or adopt new By-Laws is vested in the Board of Directors, subject to repeal or change by action of the shareholders.

### ARTICLE X

#### <u>AMENDMENT</u>

The right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, is reserved to the Board of Directors and the Shareholders as specified under the laws of Florida.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, these Articles of Incorporation have been signed, as Incorporator, by:

Wilbur Eugene Hatcher.

Dated this 18 day of November, 2003.

Wilbur Eugene Hatcher, Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

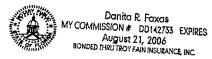
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 18 day of November, 2003, by Wilbur Eugene Hatcher, who is personally known to me or who has produced as identification.

Printed Name: Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

Serial Number:

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# CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

In pursuance of Chapter 48.09i, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted, in compliance with said Act:

First -- That **Melon Key Growers, Inc.** desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its principal place of business in Pinellas County, Florida, has named **Frank J. Greco**, located at **4047 Henderson Boulevard, Tampa, Florida 33629**, as its agent to accept service of process within this state.

Wilbur Eugene Hatchei Incorporator

## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, at place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provision of said Act relative to keeping open said office.

