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IMPERIAL TRUCKING & BACKHOE SERVICE, INC.

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

## IMPERIAL TRUCKING & BACKHOE SERVICE, INC.

#### ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this corporation is IMPERIAL TRUCKING & BACKHOE SERVICE, INC.

#### ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The address of the principal office of this corporation is 9950 Rockridge Road, Lakeland, Florida 33810, and the mailing address of this corporation is 9950 Rockridge Road, Lakeland, Florida 33810.

#### ARTICLE III - DURATION

This corporation shall have perpetual existence, commencing on the date of execution and acknowledgement of these Articles.

#### ARTICLE IV - PURPOSE

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

#### ARTICLE V - CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation is authorized to issue 10,000 shares of voting common stock having a par value of \$1.00 per share.

# ARTICLE VI - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 9950

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Rockridge Road, Lakeland, Florida 33810, and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that office is James Wesley Melton.

## ARTICLE VIL - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have one (1) director initially. 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 director of the corporation is:

James Wesley Melton 9950 Rockridge Road Lakeland, Florida 33810

#### ARTICLE VIII - INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Robert J. Bertrand, Esquire Gray Robinson, P.A. One Lake Morton Drive Lakeland, Florida 33801

#### ARTICLE IX - INDEMNIFICATION

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 440 day of World \_\_\_\_\_, 2004.

OBERT J. BERTRAND, Incorporator

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STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF POLK

The foregoing Articles of Incorporation were acknowledged before me this 4th \_ , 2004, by Robert J. Bertrand, who is personally known to me and who did not take an oath.

Official Seal

H. MARGARET DASINGER

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Interview Public State of Florida

Comm. No. DD123140

State of Florida at Large

Print name: H. Margaret Dasinger My commission expires: June 26, 2006

## ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING BEEN NAMED AS REGISTERED AGENT AND TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED\_CORPORATION AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THE FOREGOING ARTICLES INCORPORATION. HEREBY ACCEPTS THE APPOINTMENT AS SUCH REGISTERED AGENT AND AGREED TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY. UNDERSIGNED FURTHER AGREES TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATING TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF THE UNDERSIGNED'S DUTIES. THE UNDERSIGNED FURTHER CERTIFIES THAT THE UNDERSIGNED IS FAMILIAR WITH AND ACCEPTS THE OBLIGATIONS OF SUCH POSITION AS REGISTERED AGENT.

SIGNATURE:

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