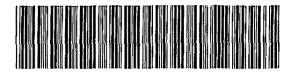
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May 25, 2004

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

RE: Corporation of Richard's Tree Service, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed, please find the original Articles of Incorporation along with one copy. We have also enclosed a check in the amount of \$70.00 for this filing fee and designation of registered agent.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions please feel free to contact my office.

Andrew Pozzuło, Esquire

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AP/cr encl.

## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF RICHARDS TREE SERVICE, INCORPORATED

#### ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation is Richards Tree Service.

ARTICLE II DURATION

The period of duration of the corporation is perpetual.

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## ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose is to engage in any activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States and Florida.

## ARTICLE IV PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS

The principal office, if known, and the mailing address of the corporation is 3160 NE 44<sup>th</sup> Place, Ocala, Florida 34479.

#### ARTICLE V CAPITAL STOCK

The corporation is authorized to issue 1,000 shares, all of one class, at ONE and 00/100 (\$1.00) DOLLAR par value.

#### ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE

The name and address of the initial registered office and agent of this corporation

A. Registered Agent:

Andrew Pozzuto

B. Registered Office:

20 South Magnolia Avenue

Ocala, Florida 34474

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### ARTICLE VII INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have one (1) director initially. The number of directors may be either increased or decreased from time to time by an amendment of the Bylaws of the corporation in the matter provided by law, but shall never be less than one (1). The name and addresses of the one (1) directors of this corporation are

 Richard Loyd Smithson 3160 NE 44<sup>th</sup> Place Ocala, Florida 34479

## ARTICLE VIII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator signing these Article of Incorporation is:

Richard Loyd Smithson
 3160 NE 44th Place
 Ocala, Florida 34479

## ARTICLE IX AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment to these Articles, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS WHEREFOR, the undersigned incorthis 25 day of, 2004.	porator has executed these Articles Richard Loyd Smithson
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STATE OF FLORIDA)
COUNTY OF Marion ()

BEFORE ME, a notary public duly authorized to take acknowledgments in the state and county set forth above, personally appeared, kideal Substitution on that Executed the same freely and voluntarily.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 25  Colette Repko MY COMMISSION # CC954512 EXPIRES August 12, 2004 **EONDED THRU THOY FAIN INSURANCE INC	Day of MCM 2004.  Colette KcKO  Notary Public  Colette Repro
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Personally Known or produced identify	fication

#### ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named as the registered agent for the above corporation for the purpose of accepting service of process at the registered office designated in the Articles of Incorporation, I accept such appointment and am familiar with and accept the obligations provided for in §607.325, Florida Statutes.

DATED this 25tay of May, 2004.

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