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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

Merlyn Nurseries, Inc.

The undersigned subscribes to these Articles of Incorporation, natural person competent to contract, does hereby form a corporation for profit under the laws of the State of Florida. Corporate existence shall begin upon acceptance of these Articles. This corporation is to be a Small Business Corporation as defined in Section 1244 Subdivision (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code.

ARTICLE I. Name. The name of the corporation is

Merlyn Nurseries, Inc.

ARTICLE II. <u>Term of Existence</u>. This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE III. <u>Nature of Business</u>. This corporation may engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United Sates and of this State.

ARTICLE IV. <u>Capital Stock</u>. This corporation is authorized to issue 1.000 shares with \$1.00 par value.

ARTICLE V. <u>Voting Rights</u>. Except as otherwise provided by law, the entire voting power for the election of Directors and for all other purposes shall be vested exclusively in the holders of the outstanding common shares.

ARTICLE VI. <u>Preemptive Rights</u>. Every shareholder upon the sale for cash of any new stock of this corporation of the same kind, class or series as that which he already holds, shall have the right to purchase his pro-rate share thereof (as nearly as may be done without issuance of fractional shares) at the price at which it is offered to others.

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ARTICLE VII. <u>Initial Registered Office and Agent.</u> The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 5030 S.W. 188th Avenue, SW Ranches, FL 33332 and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address is Maureen Murphy.

ARTICLE VIII. Initial Board of Directors. The corporation shall have 2 Director (s) initially. The number of Directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the by-laws but never be less than one. The name and address of the initial Directors of this corporation are:

Maureen Murphy/Lynne F. Carlson 5030 S.W.188th Avenue SW Ranches, FL 33332

ARTICLE IX. Officers. The initial officers of the Corporation will be: Maureen Murphy, President and Lynne F. Carlson, Secretary/Treasurer.

ARTICLE X. <u>Incorporator</u>. The person signing these Articles of Incorporation has the following name and address.

Maureen Murphy 5030 S.W. 188th Avenue SW Ranches, FL 33332

ARTICLE XI. <u>By Laws</u>. The power to adopt, alter, amend or re-peal by-laws shall be vested in the Board of Directors and the shareholders.

ARTICLE XII. <u>Amendment</u>. The Corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment thereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

ARTICLE XIII. The Street address of the Principal place of business is: 5030 S.W. 188th Avenue, SW Ranches FL 33332.

ARTICLE XIV. The registered agent and the corporate officers are the same, at the place of business.

ARTICLES XV. The corporation shall be effective upon acceptance by the state of Florida of these articles.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has executed these articles of Incorporation this November 2, 2004.

x Manuer & Mary his (SEAL)

STATE OF Florida
COUNTY OF BROWARD

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Maureen Murphy, known to be and known by me to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and he acknowledged before me that he executed the same for the use and purpose therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this day of November 2, 2004.

	NOTARY PUBLIC	
My Commission Expires:		

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CONSENT TO APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT

To: Secretary of State of Florida
Division of Corporation Department of State
Tallahassee, Florida 32304

I, Maureen Murphy, do hereby consent to serve as registered agent for the Corporation, Merlyn Nurseries, Inc. this November 2, 2004.

Maureen Murphy

Address of registered agent:

5030 S.W. 188th Avenue SW Ranches, FL 33332 TALLAHASSEE, FLORIE

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