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May 10, 2005

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

> Re: R & J AMERICAN CASH, INC.

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed please find the original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation of R & J AMERICAN CASH, INC. I have also enclosed my check in the sum of \$78.75, made payable to the Department of State. Please file same and return the certified copy of the Articles of Incorporation to my office, as soon as practical.

Thank you for your time and assistance.

Sincerely yours,

JOHNEL K. MARTIN obo Joan Howell, Vice-President

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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OF

R & J AMERICAN CASH, INC.

SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

In compliance with Chapter 607 and/or Chapter 621, F.S. (Profit), I, THE UNDERSIGNED, being of full age, do hereby agree to become a corporation for profit under the laws of the State of Florida, by and under the provisions and statutes of that State, providing for the formation, liability rights, privileges, benefits and obligations conferred and imposed by said law on corporations organized pursuant to the provisions hereof, and hereby make, subscribe and acknowledge and file these Articles of Incorporation as follows:

ARTICLE I

NAME OF CORPORATION: The name of this corporation shall be: R & J AMERICAN CASH, INC.

ARTICLE II

ADDRESS OF CORPORATION: The address of the principal office of this corporation is P. O. Box 60074, Jacksonville, FL 32236.

ARTICLE III

<u>PURPOSE</u>: The purpose for which the corporation is organized is: To carry on any business, occupation, undertaking or enterprise and to exercise any power of authority which may be done by a private corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of Chapter 607, Florida Statutes, and it is intended that this corporation may conduct and transact any business lawfully authorized and not prohibited by Chapter 607, Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE IV

SHARES: The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation shall be authorized to issue and have outstanding at any one time shall be limited to One Hundred (100) Shares of common stock with a nominal or par value of One (\$1.00) Dollar per share.

ARTICLE V

<u>INITIALOFFICERS/DIRECTORS</u>: This corporation shall have Two (2) directors initially. The number of directors may be increased or diminished from time to time by the By-Laws adopted by the stockholders, but shall never be less than Two.

The name and address of the member(s) of the first Board of Director(s) who shall hold office for the first year of existence of the corporation, or until his/her successors shall have been elected and qualified are:

NAME & ADDRESS	<u>OFFICE</u>	SHARES
ROBERT LOVEDAY 5545 Milar Drive Jacksonville, FL 32211	President/Treasurer/ Director	50%
JOAN HOWELL 4887 Timothy Street Middleburg, FL 32068	Vice-President/Secretary/ Director	50%

ARTICLE VI

<u>REGISTERED AGENT</u>: The name and address of the registered agent of this corporation is JOAN HOWELL, 4887 Timothy Street, Middleburg, FL 32068.

ARTICLE VII

INCORPORATOR: The name and address of the Incorporators are:

NAME ADDRESS

JOAN HOWELL 4887 Timothy Street Middleburg, FL 32068

ARTICLE VIII

AMENDMENT: These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in any manner provided by law. Every amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors, proposed to them by the stockholders, and approved at a stockholder's meeting by a majority of the stock entitled to vote thereupon, unless all the directors and all the stockholders sign a written statement manifesting their

intention that a certain amendment of these Articles of Incorporation be made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the Incorporator, hereunto set my hand and seal this 10, day of 100.

JOAN HOWELL, Incorporator

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

Pursuant to Chapter 607.0501(3), Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

That R & J AMERICAN CASH, INC., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal office being, P. O. Box 2522, Orange Park, Florida 32067, has named, JOAN HOWELL, of 4887 Timothy Street, Middleburg, FL 32068, as its agent to accept services of process within this state.

I, JOAN HOWELL, of 4887 Timothy Street, Middleburg, FL 32068, having been named to accept services of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Joan Howell, Registered Agent

Date: May 10, 2005