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RE: R. & I. TRUCKING, INC.

#### Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find a check in the amount of \$78.75 in payment of the \$70.00 incorporation fee and \$8.75 for a certified copy of the articles for the above corporation.

Following filing, please return a certified copy of the articles to me at the following address:

John I. Merritt 1500 East Orange Avenue Eustis, Florida 32726

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

John I. Merritt

JIM/jdn Enclosures

Sincerely

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF R.& I. TRUCKING, INC.

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In compliance with the requirements of F.S. Chapter 607, the undersigned, being a natural person, hereby acts as an incorporator in adopting and filing the following articles of incorporation for the purpose of organizing a business corporation.

#### ARTICLE I

The name of the Corporation ("Corporation") is R. & I. TRUCKING, INC.

#### ARTICLE II

The existence of the Corporation shall begin on September 23, 2005.

#### **ARTICLE III**

The street address of the principal office of the Corporation is 36426 Leslye Lane, Eustis, Fl. 32726.

#### ARTICLE IV

The maximum number of shares this Corporation is authorized to issue is 1,000, par value \$.01 per share, all of which shall be Common Shares. All Common Shares shall be identical with each other in every respect and the holders of Common Shares shall be entitled to one vote for each share on all matters on which shareholders have the right to vote.

#### ARTICLE V

The initial street address of the Corporation's registered office is 36426 Leslye Lane,
Eustis, Fl.32726. The initial registered agent for the Corporation at that address is RICHARD R.
RANSOM.

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#### ARTICLE VI

The initial board of directors shall consist of 2 members. This number may be increased from time to time in accordance with the Corporation's bylaws, but shall never be less than one. The names and addresses of the persons who will serve on the initial board of directors are:

Name		Address
RICHARD R. RANSOM	the second second	36426 Leslye Lane,
		Eustis, Fl. 32726

INGRID P. RANSOM	36426 Leslye Lane
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	Eustis, Fl. 32726

#### **ARTICLE VII**

The names and street addresses of the persons signing these articles of incorporation are:

Name				Address
RICHARD R. RANSOM	****	 -	a compression of the second	36426 Leslye Lane,
				Eustis, Fl 32726.

#### ARTICLE VIII

The Corporation shall indemnify its directors, officers, employees, and agents to the fullest extent permitted by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these articles of incorporation on September 13, 2005.

RICHARD R. RANSOM

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#### ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for R. & I. TRUCKING, INC. at the place designated in the articles of incorporation, the undersigned is familiar with and accepts the obligations of that position pursuant to F.S. 607.0501.

RICHARD R. RANSOM September 23, 2005

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