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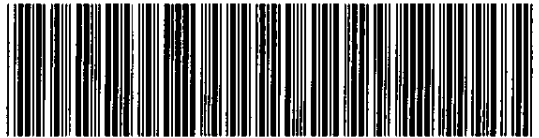
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SUBJECT: Ryan-Markland Signs, Inc.

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed are an original and one (1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for:

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FROM: George L. McCormick, Esq.

Name (Printed or typed)

P.O. BOX 49165

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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

**RYAN-MARKLAND SIGNS, INC.**

**ARTICLE I. CORPORATE NAME:**

The name of the corporation shall be **RYAN-MARKLAND SIGNS, INC.**

**ARTICLE II. NATURE OF BUSINESS AND POWERS:**

The corporation is authorized to engage in any and all lawful business activities, as permitted under the laws of the State of Florida. The corporation shall exercise any and all powers granted by Florida law.

**ARTICLE III. CAPITAL STOCK:**

The maximum number of shares authorized to be issued or outstanding at any one time is 1,000 shares of common stock having a par value of \$1.00 per share.

**ARTICLE IV. EFFECTIVE DATE / TERM OF EXISTENCE:**

The corporation shall exist perpetually, commencing upon February 18, 2009.

**ARTICLE V. PRINCIPAL OFFICE:**

The principal office for the Corporation shall be as follows:

7358 S. Florida Avenue  
Floral City, Florida 34436

**ARTICLE VI. BOARD OF DIRECTORS:**

The corporation shall have two directors initially. The number of directors may be increased or diminished from time to time by bylaws adopted by the directors, but shall never be less than one.

**ARTICLE VII. DIRECTORS:**

Initially the following shall be the directors and shareholders of the corporation:

William D. Ryan, Director  
Bobbi K. Ryan, Director

The persons named as initial directors shall hold the office for the first year of the existence of the corporation, or until such time as successor(s) may be elected.

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ARTICLE VIII – OFFICERS

Initially the corporation shall have the following officers, subject to change by action of the Directors:

President:	William D. Ryan
Vice President / Treasurer:	Bobbi K. Ryan
Secretary:	Chad Markland

ARTICLE IX. INCORPORATOR:

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

George L. McCormick, Esq.  
1002 62nd Street South  
Gulfport, Florida 33707

ARTICLE IX. AMENDMENT:

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended from time to time in the manner provided by law. Any amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors, proposed by them to the stockholders and approved at a stockholders' meeting by at least a majority of the stockholders eligible to vote, unless all of the directors and stockholders sign a written statement manifesting their clear intention that such an amendment to these Articles of Incorporation be made.

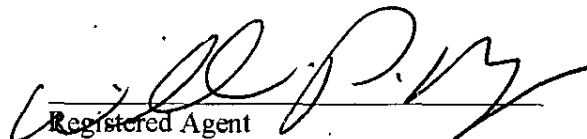
REGISTERED AGENT:

The Name and Address of the Registered Agent are:

William D. Ryan  
7358 S. Florida Avenue  
Floral City, FL 34436

OATH OF REGISTERED AGENT:

Having been named as Registered Agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the oath of Registered Agent and agree to act in this capacity, this 14 day of February, 2009.

  
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Registered Agent

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned, as Incorporator, has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 18<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2009.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'G. L. McCormick', written over a horizontal line.

GEORGE L. McCORMICK, ESQ.  
Incorporator