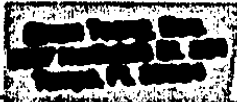


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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FILED

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Germino's Auto Repair Service, Inc. TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

I, Victor V. Germino, the undersigned, hereby make, subscribe, acknowledge and file with the Secretary of State of the State of Florida these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a corporation for profit in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of this corporation shall be:

Germino's Auto Repair Service, Inc.

The principal office and mailing address of this corporation shall be 10703 North 46th Street, Tampa, Florida 33617.

ARTICLE II

Existence of Corporation

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE III

Purposes

The corporation may engage in the transaction of any or all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE IV

General Powers

The corporation shall have power:

- (a) To sue and be sued, complain, and defend in its corporate name.
- (b) To have a corporate seal, which may be altered at will and to use it or a facsimile of it, by impressing or affixing it or in any other manner reproducing it.
- (c) To purchase, receive, lease, or otherwise acquire, own, hold, improve, use, and otherwise deal with real or personal property or any legal or equitable interest in property wherever located.
- (d) To sell, convey, mortgage, pledge, create a security interest in, lease, exchange, and otherwise dispose of all or any part of its property.
- (e) To lend money to, and use its credit to assist, its officers and employees in accordance with Section 607.0833, Florida Statutes.
- (f) To purchase, receive, subscribe for, or otherwise acquire; own, hold, vote, use, sell, mortgage, lend, pledge, or otherwise dispose of; and deal in and with shares or other interests in, or obligations of, any other entity.
- (g) To make contracts and guarantees, incur liabilities, borrow money, issue its notes, bonds, and other obligations (which may be convertible into or include the option to purchase other securities of the corporation), and secure any of its obligations by mortgage or pledge of any of its property, franchises, and income and make contracts of guaranty and suretyship which are necessary or convenient to the conduct, promotion, or attainment of the business of a corporation the majority of the outstanding stock of which is owned, directly or indirectly, by the contracting corporation; a corporation which owns, directly or indirectly, a majority of the outstanding stock of the contracting corporation; or a corporation the majority of the outstanding stock of which is owned, directly or indirectly, by a corporation which owns, directly or

indirectly, the majority of the outstanding stock of the contracting corporation, which contracts of guaranty and suretyship shall be deemed to be necessary or convenient to the conduct, promotion, or attainment of the business of the contracting corporation, and make other contracts of guaranty and suretyship which are necessary or convenient to the conduct, promotion, or attainment of the business of the contracting corporation.

(h) To lend money, invest and reinvest its funds, and receive and hold real and personal property as security for repayment.

(i) To conduct its business, locate offices, and exercise the powers granted by law within or without this state.

(j) To elect directors and appoint officers, employees, and agents of the corporation and define their duties, fix their compensation, and lend them money and credit.

(k) To make and amend bylaws, not inconsistent with its Articles of Incorporation or with the laws of the State of Florida, for managing the business and regulating the affairs of the corporation.

(l) To make donations for the public welfare or for charitable, scientific, or educational purposes.

(m) To transact any lawful business that will aid governmental policy.

(n) To make payments or donations or do any other act not inconsistent with law that furthers the business and affairs of the corporation.

(o) To pay pensions and establish pension plans, pension trusts, profit-sharing plans, share bonus plans, share option plans, and benefit or incentive plans for any or all of its current

or former directors, officers, employees, and agents and for any or all of the current or former directors, officers, employees, and agents of its subsidiaries.

(p) To provide insurance for its benefit on the life of any of its directors, officers, or employees, or on the life of any shareholder for the purpose of acquiring at his or her death shares of its stock owned by the shareholder or by the spouse or children of the shareholder.

(q) To be a promoter, incorporator, partner, member, associate, or manager of any corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, or other entity.

ARTICLE V

Capital Stock

(a) The total number of shares of capital stock authorized to be issued by the corporation shall be 10,000 shares having a par value of \$1.00 per share. Each of the said shares of stock shall entitle the holder thereof to one (1) vote at any meeting of the stockholders. The Board of Directors may authorize shares to be issued for consideration consisting of any tangible or intangible property or benefit to the corporation, including cash, promissory notes, services performed, promises to perform services evidenced by a written contract, or other securities of the corporation. Before the corporation issues shares, the Board of Directors shall determine that the consideration received or to be received for shares to be issued is adequate. All stock when issued shall be paid for and shall be nonassessable.

(b) In the election of directors of this corporation there shall be no cumulative voting of the stock entitled to vote at such election.

ARTICLE VI

Affiliated Transactions

The corporation expressly elects, pursuant to Section 607.0901(5)(a) of the Florida Statutes, not to be governed by the rules pertaining to affiliated transactions contained in Section 607.0901, Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE VII

Control-Share Acquisitions

The corporation exercises its right, pursuant to Section 607.0902(5) of the Florida Statutes, to avoid the provisions pertaining to control-share acquisitions contained in Sections 607.0902, 607.1302(c) and 607.1320, Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE VIII

Registered Office and Registered Agent

The street address of the corporation's initial registered office is 10703 North 46th Street, Tampa, Florida 33617, and the name of the corporation's initial registered agent at such address is Victor V. Germino. The corporation may change its registered office or its registered agent or both by filing with the Department of State of the State of Florida a statement complying with Section 607.0502, Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE IX

Initial Board of Directors

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors shall be one (1), and the name and address of each person who is to serve as a member thereof is as follows:

Name

Address

Victor V. Germino 10703 North 46th Street, Tampa, Florida 33617

ARTICLE X

Incorporators

The name and address of the incorporator of this corporation is as follows:

Name

Address


Victor V. Germino 10703 North 46th Street, Tampa, Florida 33617

ARTICLE XI

Amendment of Articles of Incorporation

The corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by statute, and all rights conferred upon the stockholders herein are subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the undersigned, have executed these Articles for the uses and purposes therein stated.




Victor V. Germino, Incorporator

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

In compliance with Section 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:


Germino's Auto Repair Service, Inc., with its principal place of business at County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, has named Victor V. Germino, located at 10703 North 46th Street, County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, as its agent to accept service of process within Florida.



Victor V. Germino, Incorporator

Date: February 23, 1995

Having been named to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties.



Victor V. Germino, Registered Agent

Date: February 23, 1995

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PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM.

APPLICATION FOR REINSTATEMENT



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Sandra B. Northam
Secretary of State
DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS

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1. Corporation Name

GERMINO'S AUTO REPAIR SERVICE, INC.

Principal Place of Business

Mailing Address

16703 NORTH 46TH STREET
TAMPA FL 33617

16703 NORTH 46TH STREET
TAMPA FL 33617



If above addresses are incorrect in any way, line through incorrect information and enter correction below.

REINSTATEMENT

2. New Principal Office Address, if Applicable

3. New Mailing Office Address, if Applicable

4. Date Incorporated or Qualified To Do Business in Florida

08/01/1985

Suite, Apt. #, etc.

17414 US HWY 41N

Suite, Apt. #, etc.

17414 US HWY 41N

5. FEI Number

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6. CERTIFICATE OF STATUS DESIRED

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7. Names and Street Addresses of Each Officer and/or Director (Florida nonprofit corporations must list at least 3 directors)

1 Title(s)	2 Name of Officers and/or Directors	3 Street Address of Each Officer and/or Director (Do NOT Use Post Office Box Numbers)	4 City / State / Zip
D	GERMINO, VICTOR V	16703 NORTH 46TH STREET	TAMPA FL 33617
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8. Name and Address of Current Registered Agent

GERMINO, VICTOR V
16703 NORTH 46TH STREET
TAMPA FL 33617

9. Name and Address of New Registered Agent

Name: N/A
Street Address (P.O. Box Number is Not Acceptable): N/A
Suite, Apt. #, Etc.: N/A
City: N/A
State: FL Zip Code: 33617

I, being appointed the registered agent of the above named corporation, am familiar with and accept the obligations of Sections 607.0505, F.S.

Signature of Registered Agent

SIGNATURE REQUIRED

Date 12.04.96

11. Does this corporation pay any intangible tax to the Dept. of Revenue under S. 199.032, Florida Statutes. Yes No

(See other side for information on intangible tax.)

12. I certify that I am an officer or director or the receiver or trustee empowered to execute this application as provided for in chapter 607 or 617, F.S. I further certify that when filing this reinstatement application, the reason for dissolution has been eliminated, the corporate name satisfies the requirements of section 607.0401 or 617.0401, F.S., that all fees owed by the corporation have been paid and the names of individuals listed on this form do not qualify for an exemption under section 119.07(3)(f), F.S. The information indicated on this application is true and accurate, and my signature shall have the same legal effect as if made under oath.

SIGNATURE:

SIGNATURE REQUIRED

12.4.96

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SIGNATURE AND TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF OFFICER, DIRECTOR OR RECEIVER

Date Daytime Phone #

EMIDIO J. GERMINO