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SPRING HILL, FLORIDA 34606

LOUIS W. HIGH ALAN W. UNDERWOOD WILLIAM B. EPPLEY

April 27, 1995

PLEASE REPLY TO Brooksville

Bureau of Corporate Records Post Office Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

In re: Incorporation of Spring Hill Florist, Inc.

Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed the Articles of Incorporation for Spring Hill Florist, Inc., together with this firm's trust account check made payable to your office in the amount of \$122.50 which represents the incorporation fee for the above corporation.

Please return a certified copy of the Articles of Incorporation to our office.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,

andrea & Susty

Andrea B. Trusty Legal Assistant

/at Enclosures

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SECRETARI STATE
TALLAHASSEE. FLORIDA

SPRING HILL FLORIST,

The undersigned, acting as the incorporators of a corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act, adopt the following articles of incorporation for such corporation:

- 1. The name of the corporation is SPRING HILL FLORIST, INC.
- 2. The period of its duration is perpetual.
- 3. The purpose is to engage in any activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States and Florida.
- 4. The corporation shall have authority to issue 1,000 shares, all of one class, \$10.00 par value.
- 5. The address of its initial registered office is 5340 Spring Hill Drive, Spring Hill, FL  $\,$  34606, and the name of its initial registered agent is LEWIS V. GALES.
- 6. The number of directors constituting its initial board of directors is two whose names and addresses are:

Name	Address
LEWIS V. GATES	4321 Biscayne Drive Spring Hill, FL 34607
LANA D. GATES	4321 Biscayne Drive Spring Hill, FL 34607

7. The names and addresses of the incorporators are:

LEWIS V. GATES

4321 Biscayne Drive
Spring Hill, FL 34607

LANA D. GATES

4321 Biscayne Drive

Spring Hill, FL 34607

LEWIS V. GATES 4321 Biscayne Drive President Spring Hill, FL 34607

LANA D. GATES Secretary/Treasurer 4321 Biscayne Drive Spring Hill, FL 34607

DATED: March 15, 1995.

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STATE OF FLCRIDA COUNTY OF HERNANDO

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared

LEWIS V. GATES and LANA D. GATES

who are personally known to be or who produced as identification

and who subscribed the above Articles of Incorporation; and they did freely and voluntarily acknowledge before me according to law that they made and subscribed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth. Said persons took an oath.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Spring Hill, Hernando County, Florida, this 15th day of March, 1995.

Signature of Notary Publi

OFFICIAL NOTARY SEAL Name of Notary Jublic

My commission expires:

LOUIS W HIGH NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF FLORIDA COMMISSION NO. CC190886 MY COMMISSION EXP. APR. 10,1956

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, Florica Statutes, the following is submitted:

First - That SPRING HILL FLORIST, INC., desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal

place of business at 5340 Spring Hill Drive, Spring Hill, FL 34607, has named LEWIS V. GATES as its agent to accept service of process within Florida.

EUIS V GATES

LANA D GATES

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.

LEWIS V. GATES