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

Re: BE THE BALL, INC.

Our File No: 95-6047

Dear Sir/Madam:

You will find enclosed herewith an original executed Articles of Incorporation for BE THE BALL, INC., along with a copy of same. Also enclosed is our firm's check in the amount of \$122.50 to cover the following:

Filing Fee of Articles \$35.00 Certified Copy of Articles 52.50 Certificate Designating 35.00 Resident Agent

Please return the certified copy of the Articles, together with your Certification of Incorporation at your earliest convenience.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,

JOHŃ D. CASSELS, JR.

JDC/tlr

Enclosures: As stated.

cc: George J. May, Jr.

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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# BE THE BALL, INC.

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act, does hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

# ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation is BE THE BALL, INC.

# ARTICLE II

The duration of the Corporation is perpetual.

#### ARTICLE III

The general purposes for which the Corporation is organized are:

- 1. To such extent as a corporation organized under the Business Corporation Law of this state may now or hereafter lawfully do, to do, either as principal or agent and either alone or in connection with other corporations, firms, or individuals, all and everything necessary, suitable, convenient, or proper for, or in connection with, or incident to, the accomplishment of any of the purposes or the attainment of any one or more of the objects herein enumerated, or designed directly or indirectly to promote the interests of this Corporation or to enhance the value of its properties; and in general to do any and all things and exercise any and all powers, rights, and privileges which a corporation may now or hereafter be organized to do or to exercise under the Business Corporation Law of this state or under any act amendatory thereof, supplemental thereto, or substituted therefor.
- 2. To do such other things that are incidental to the foregoing or necessary or desirable in order to accomplish the foregoing.

#### ARTICLE IV

The aggregate number of shares which the corporation is authorized to issue is ONE THOUSAND (1,000). Such shares shall be of a single class, and shall have \$1.00 par value.

Every shareholder, upon the sale for cash of any new stock of this Corporation, shall have the right to purchase his pro rata share (as nearly as may be done without issuance of fractional shares) at the price at which it is offered to others.

The Corporation is authorized to issue only one class of stock, and all issued stock shall be held of record by not more than thirty-five (35) persons.

# **ARTICLE V**

The address of the initial registered office of the Corporation is: Be The Ball, Inc., 16753 Northwest 38th Avenue, Okeechobee, Florida 34972. This also represents the mailing address of the Corporation.

# **ARTICLE VI**

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation are two. The name and address of the persons who are to serve as the member of the initial Board of Directors are:

GEORGE J. MAY, JR. 16753 Northwest 38th Avenue

Okeechobee, Florida 34972

SUSAN B. MAY
16753 Northwest 38th Avenue
Okeechobee, Florida 34972

# **ARTICLE VII**

Directors - Removal by Stockholders. The stockholders shall have the right at any regular meeting, or at any special meeting called for such purpose, to remove any director of the Corporation with or without cause.

## **ARTICLE VIII**

Directors - Indemnification. The Corporation shall indemnify any officer or director, or any former officer or director to the full extent permitted by law.

## **ARTICLE IX**

Stockholders - Meetings. The presence, at any stockholders' meeting, in person or by

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proxy, of persons entitled to vote all of the shares of the Corporation then issued and outstanding shall constitute a quorum, for the transaction of business.

The affirmative vote of all of the outstanding shares of the Corporation shall be considered the act of the stockholders.

# ARTICLE X

Directors - Meetings. All of the authorized number of directors shall constitute a quorum of the Board of Directors for the transaction of business.

The consent of all of the directors shall be required to constitute any act or decision of the Board of Directors.

# **ARTICLE XI**

The name and address of the incorporator is: GEORGE J. MAY, JR., 16753 Northwest 38th Avenue, Okeechobee, Florida 34972.

Executed by the undersigned at Okeechobee, Florida on this  $\frac{\partial c}{\partial x}$  day of July, 1995.

GEORGE J. MAY, JR.

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF OKEECHOBEE

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 3c day of July, 1995, by GEORGE J. MAY, JR. () who is personally known to me, or (1) who has produced as identification.

SWORN TO and SUBSCRIBED before me this at day of July, 1995.

Signature of NOTARY PUBLIC

Printed name of NOTARY PUBLIC

My commission expires:

Official Seal
TRACY LYNH ROBBINS
Notary Public, State of Fiorida
My comm. expires Oct. 20, 1997
Comm. No. CC324956

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# **CONSENT OF RESIDENT AGENT TO ACCEPT SERVICE**

I, GEORGE J. MAY, JR., hereby agree to be the resident agent for BE THE BALL, IND., and further hereby agree to accept any and all correspondence directed to said corporation and addressed to the registered office at 16753 Northwest 38th Avenue, Okeechobee, Florida 34972.

GEORGE J. MAY, JR.

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF OKEECHOBEE

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 20 day of July, 1995, by GEORGE J. MAY, JR., () who is personally known to me or (4) who has produced as identification.

SWORN TO and SUBSCRIBED before me this 20 day of July, 1995.

Signature of NOTARY PUBLIC

Printed name of NOTARY PUBLIC

My commission expires:

Official Soal
TRACY LYNN ROBBINS
Notary Public, State of Fiorida
My comm. expires Oct. 20, 1987
Comm. No. CC324966

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