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December 21, 1995

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS  
P O BOX 6327  
TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA 32314

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In Re: EMCO Lawn Maintenance, Inc.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed are the original and one copy of the *Articles of Incorporation* and the *Acceptance of Appointment as Registered Agent* of the above-captioned corporation. Also enclosed is signed and notarized permission from the holder of the fictitious name holder to approve the Articles.

Also enclosed, please find our check in the amount of \$122.50 which comprises the filing fee of \$35.00, certified copy fee of \$52.50, and registered agent designation fee of \$35.00; all for the above-captioned corporation.

Please file the enclosed documents and return a certified copy to the undersigned.

Should you have any questions or wish to discuss this matter further, please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely yours,

GOTTLIEB & GOTTLIEB, P.A.

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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**1 CORPORATE NAME** - The name of the Corporation is:

**EMCO Lawn Maintenance, Inc.**

**2 PRINCIPAL OFFICE** - The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

**8303 West Forest Circle  
Tampa, FL 33615**

**3 CAPITAL STOCK** - The number of shares of stock that the Corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is One Thousand (1,000). The Corporation elects to have preemptive rights.

**4 INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND ADDRESS** - The name and address of the initial registered agent is:

**GOTTLIEB & GOTTLIEB, P.A.  
Attorneys and Counselors at Law  
2475 Enterprise Road, Suite 100  
Clearwater, Florida 34623**

**5 INITIAL DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES** - The name and street address of each of the initial Directors of the Corporation are:

**Emilio Coton  
8303 West Forest Circle  
Tampa, FL 33615**


**6 INCORPORATOR** - The name and street address of each incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation are:

**Richard Gottlieb, Esq.  
2475 Enterprise Road, Suite 100  
Clearwater, Florida 34623**

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation on December 20, 1995.

  
Richard Gottlieb, Esq.  
Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA     )  
COUNTY OF PINELLAS )     ss.

The foregoing Articles of Incorporation were acknowledged before me on December 20, 1995, by Richard Gottlieb, Esq., who is personally known to me.

  
Notary Public



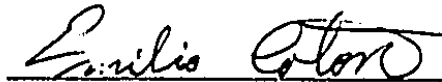
TO: SECRETARY OF STATE  
STATE OF FLORIDA

The undersigned, the registered owner of the name *EMCO LAWN MAINTENANCE SERVICE*, under the laws of the State of Florida, does hereby grant permission and approve the filing of the Articles of Incorporation for the following named corporation:

EMCO LAWN MAINTENANCE, INC.

I understand that this approval is necessary due to the similarity of the names.

Dated: December 21, 1995

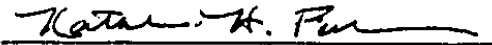


Emilio Coton  
8303 West Forest Circle  
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ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF FLORIDA     )  
COUNTY OF PINELLAS )     ss.

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me on December 21, 1995, by Emilio Coton, who is personally known to me.



Notary Public



**ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT  
AS REGISTERED AGENT**

for

**EMCO Lawn Maintenance, Inc.**

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above-named corporation at the place designated in this certificate, we hereby accept the appointment as Registered Agent and agree to act in this capacity. We further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of our duties, and we are familiar with, and accept, the obligations of our position as Registered Agent.

**GOTTLIEB & GOTTLIEB, P.A.  
Attorneys and Counselors at Law  
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By: 

**Richard Gottlieb, Esq.**

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