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Department of State Division of Corporations Corporate Records Bureau Post Office Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32301

RE: BLACK DIAMOND CERTIFIED BUILDERS, INC.

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation for Black Diamond Certified Builders, Inc. Pleased file the original and return a certified copy to the undersigned at the address below.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$122.50.

On January 29, 1996, the name availability was checked with your office for Black Diamond Certified Builders, Inc. and was confirmed as being available. Please apply the check for \$122.50 for this name.

Sincerely,

Leslie Pittman

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Enclosure

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### FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Sandra B. Mortham Secretary of State

Fobruary 6, 1996

LESLIE PITTMAN AFFORDABLE PARALEGAL SERVICES POST OFFICE BOX 141 SHARPES, FL 32959

SUBJECT: BLACK DIAMOND CERTIFIED BUILDERS, INC.

Ref. Number: W96000002726

We have received your document for BLACK DIAMOND CERTIFIED BUILDERS, INC. and check(s) totaling \$122.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned to you for the following reason(s):

According to section 607.0202(1)(b) or 617.0202(1)(b), Florida Statutes, you must list the corporation's principal office, and if different, a mailing address in the document. If the principal address and the registered office address are the same, please indicate so in your document.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (904) 487-6878.

Terri Buckley Corporate Specialist

Letter Number: 996A00005083

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

## BLACK DIAMOND CERTIFIED BUILDERS, INC.

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act, hereby adopts the forlowing Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE ONE: NAME: The name of the corporation shall be BLACK DIAMOND CERTIFIED BUILDERS, INC.

ARTICLE TWO: DURATION: The term of existence of the corporation shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE THREE: PURPOSE: The purpose of the corporation is to transact any and all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the Florida General Corporation Act.

BLACK DIAMOND CERTIFIED BUILDERS, INC. also may own, buy and sell parts or all of other businesses, real estate and investments; conduct research; develop equipment; design, construct, own, sell and lease equipment; and hold patents. BLACK DIAMOND CERTIFIED BUILDERS, INC., may do writing of all types, including printing, publishing, distributing, buying and selling; enter into textiles and their manufacture, distribution, sales, etc.; and take advantage of any and all opportunities, ventures and spin-offs that are legally available.

ARTICLE FOUR: CAPITAL STOCK: The aggregate number of shares which the corporation has authority to issue is 100 shares, all of which shall be common shares with no par value.

ARTICLE FIVE: REGISTERED OFFICE: The street address of the initial Registered Office of the corporation is 4680 Kumquat Street, Cocoa, Florida 32926, and the name of the Registered Agent is KIMBERLY A. MARCUM.

ARTICLE SIX: DIRECTORS: The Board of Directors of the corporation shall consist of no less than one (1) and no more than four members. The names and addresses of the initial Board of Directors are:

Kimberly A. Marcum - President 4680 Kumquat Street Cocoa, FL 32926

Torry O. Marcum - V. Pres. 4680 Kumquat Street Cocoa, FL 32926

ARTICLE SEVEN: INCORPORATORS: The incorporator(s) of the corporation and the subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation is/are:

Kimberly A. Marcum 4680 Kumquat Street Cocoa, FL 32926

ARTICLE EIGHT: BY-LAWS AND ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION: The shareholders shall have the exclusive authority to formulate, approve and/or amend By-Laws of the corporation and shall have the exclusive authority to formulate, approve and/or adopt these amendments to these Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE NINE: COMMENCEMENT OF EXISTENCE: The corporation shall be deemed to commence its existence upon the filing of these Articles in the Office of the Secretary of State of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE TEN: PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: The principal place of business for said corporation is: 4680 Kumquat Street, Cocoa, Florida 32926 and the mailing address is the same.

#### DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

BLACK DIAMOND CERTIFIED BUILDERS, INC., a Florida corporation, pursuant to Florida Statute §48.091, and its Articles of Incorporation, hereby designates KIMBERLY A. MARCUM whose address is 4680 Kumquat Street, Cocoa, Florida 32926 as its Registered Agent and Registered Office for the service of process as required by law.

#### **ACCEPTANCE**

I, KIMBERLY A. MARCUM, of 4680 Kumquat Street, Cocoa, Florida 32926, having been named in the foregoing Designation of Registered Agent by BLACK DIAMOND CERTIFIED BUILDERS, INC., a Florida corporation, and being fully advised and apprised of the duties of a Resident Registered Agent for the service of process as prescribed by Florida Statute §48.091, do hereby accept said designation and agree to accept service of process as Resident Registered Agent, to keep the office open during prescribed hours, to post my name in a conspicuous place in the office as required by law and to otherwise comply with the obligations of a Resident Registered Agent to maintain a Registered Office as heretofore indicated.

KIMBERLY A. MARCUM, Registered Agent

DATED this 29 day of January, 1996.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have subscribed my name this and day of Tankary, 1996.

KIMBERLY A.MARCUM, Incorporator