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Division of Corporations  
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Tallahassee, FL 32314

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Re: Choice Mower Sales & Service Inc., Inc.  
(Name of Corporation)

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find the original and one copy of Articles of Incorporation,  
together with my check in the amount of \$122.50.

This represents the cost of the Filing Fees, Certified Copy of Articles of  
Incorporation and Fee for Registered Agent Designation for the above named  
corporation.

Very truly yours,

*Carl J. [Signature]*  
(Individual's Name)

Choice Mower Sales & Service Inc.  
(Name of Corporation)

MAILING ADDRESS OF CORPORATION

18260 Paulson Drive

Port Charlotte, FL 33954

PHONE

( 941 ) 255-5521  
Area Code Number Ext.

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
of

Choice Mower Sales & Service Inc.  
(Name of Corporation)

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The undersigned subscriber(s) to these Articles of Incorporation, natural person(s) competent to contract, hereby form a corporation under laws of the State of Florida.

**ARTICLE I - CORPORATE NAME**

The name of the corporation is:

Choice Mower Sales & Service Inc.

**ARTICLE II - DURATION**

This corporation shall exist perpetually unless dissolved according to Florida law.

**ARTICLE III - PURPOSE**

The corporation is organized for the purpose of engaging in any activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States and the State of Florida.

**ARTICLE IV - CAPITAL STOCK**

The corporation is authorized to issue 100 shares ( ) of \$1.00 (ONE) Dollar(s) (\$1.00) par value common stock, which shall be designated "Common Shares."

**ARTICLE V - INITIAL  
REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT**

The principal office, if known, or the mailing address of the corporation is:

NAME Choice Mower Sales & Service Inc.

ADDRESS 18260 Paulson Drive

CITY, STATE, ZIP Port Charlotte, Florida 33954

The name and street address of the Initial Registered Agent of this Corporation is:

NAME Carl J. Johnson Jr.

ADDRESS 18260 Paulson Drive

CITY, STATE, ZIP Port Charlotte, Florida 33954

ARTICLE VI - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have one (1) directors initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than one (1). The names and addresses of the initial director(s) of the corporation are as follows:

NAME Carl J. Johnson Jr.

ADDRESS 23207 Abrade Ave.

CITY, STATE, ZIP Port Charlotte, Florida 33980

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATORS

NAME Carl J. Johnson Jr. d.b.a. Choice Mower Sales & Service Inc.

ADDRESS 18260 Paulson Drive

CITY, STATE, ZIP Port Charlotte, Florida 33954

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

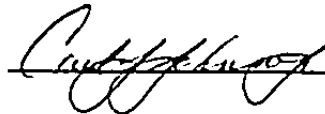
CITY, STATE, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber(s) have executed these Articles of Incorporation this 23rd day of February, 1996.

 (Seal)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (Seal)

STATE OF FLORIDA )  
COUNTY OF Charlotte ) SS

before me, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgments in the State and County set forth above, personally appeared:

[Signature]  
Signature

FL DL 5520-130-53-015-0  
Form of Identification

Signature

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known to me and known to be the person(s) who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, who acknowledged before me that \_\_\_\_\_ executed these Articles of Incorporation, that I relied upon the form \_\_\_\_\_ of identification of the above named person \_\_\_\_\_ as indicated opposite each name, and that an oath (was) (was not) taken.



Witness my hand and official seal in the County and State last aforesaid this 10th day of March 1996

[Signature]  
Notary Signature

Concetta T. Fracasso  
Printed Notary Signature

**CERTIFICATE AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT  
OF REGISTERED AGENT**

**CERTIFICATE OF REGISTERED AGENT  
OF**

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA**

Choice Mower Sales & Service Inc.

(Name of Corporation)

Pursuant to Florida Statutes Sections 48.091 and 607.0501, the following is submitted:

The above corporation, desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its registered office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at 18260 Paulson Drive, Port Charlotte, Florida 33954

has named Carl J. Johnson Jr.

located at the aforesaid address, as its Registered Agent to accept service of process within this state.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

Having been named as Registered Agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, and being familiar with the obligations of that position, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provisions of Florida Law in keeping open said office.

  
(Registered Agent)