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Division of Corporations
Secretary of State
Post Office Box 6327
Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Re: J E P S, Inc.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find the following:

1. The original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation.
2. Check #101 from Mr. Babin in the sum of \$122.50, representing payment of the filing fee for the Articles of Incorporation, certified copy of the Articles of Incorporation and filing fee for Registered Agent.

Should you have any questions, or need anything further, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,
BURKE & BLUE, P.A.

Marty Bond
Marty Bond,
Closing Officer

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Sandra B. Mortham
Secretary of State

August 31, 1995

MARTY BOND
1234 AIRPORT ROAD, SUITE 215
DESTIN, FL 32541

SUBJECT: J E P S, INC.
Ref. Number: W95000017610

We have received your document for J E P S, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$122.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

In reviewing our records, we note there is a(n) JEPS, INC., Document number G19499, in existence.

Because of the similarities between the existing corporation and the one you are now seeking to file with us, and because it is our duty to assure that all fees due this office in accordance with section 607.0130(2)(c), Florida Statutes, are collected, we are returning the articles of incorporation unfilled and must request you return the existing corporation to good standing by completing the enclosed reinstatement application and submitting it with the appropriate fees.

The fees to reinstate the corporation are as follows: \$175 reinstatement fee, \$61.25 filing fee per year for the years 1985 through the current year, \$138.75 supplemental fee for the years 1992 forward. The total fee to file the reinstatement is \$1403.75, therefore, there is a balance of \$1281.25 due. Add an additional \$8.75 for each certificate of status requested.

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) 487-6928.

Agnes Lunt
Corporate Specialist

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March 27, 1996

Ms. Bobbie Eldridge
Secretary of State
Division of Corporations
Post Office Box 6327
Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Dear Ms. Eldridge:

Please find enclosed the original Articles of Incorporation for J E P S of Destin, Inc., that we have sent to you for filing. We realize this is unusual but are quite grateful for your assistance in this regard.

On August 22, 1995, we sent Articles for J E P S, Inc., along with a check for \$122.50 to be filed with the Division of Corporations office. The check was deposited into your account and therefore cashed on August 30, 1995.

This month when we checked the corporation's status, we were told the corporation was not active and existed only as a dissolved corporation. After several phone calls, we reached you and a copy of the clients cancelled check was faxed to you. It was then determined, by you that an error had been made.

I greatly appreciate your assistance in this regard and request that you apply the previous \$122.50 filing fee to the new filing of J E P S of Destin, Inc.

If there is any problem that you see, please call me immediately at 904-654-9888 so that I may advise our client. We are quite anxious to have this matter resolved and an active corporation in good standing.

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Thank you for your assistance in this regard.

Very truly yours,


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Encl. Articles of Incorporation
Copies of cancelled check

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SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

J E P S OF DESTIN, INC. EFFECTIVE DATE

3-26-96

The undersigned hereby makes, subscribes, acknowledges, and files this certificate for the purpose of becoming a corporation for profit under the laws of the State of Florida.

1. Name. The name of this corporation (the "Corporation") shall be:

J E P S OF DESTIN, INC.

2. Purpose. This Corporation may engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United States and of this State.

3. Stock. The capital stock of this Corporation shall consist of Seven Thousand Five Hundred (7,500) shares of common stock having a par value of One Dollar (\$100.00) per share.

4. Term. This Corporation shall have a perpetual existence.

5. Address. The initial street address of the principal office of this Corporation is 541 Calhoun Avenue Destin, Florida 32541, and Jerry J. Babin, 541 Calhoun Avenue, Destin Florida 32541, is hereby designated as resident agent for this Corporation.

6. Existence. The date when the corporate existence of this Corporation shall begin is at the time of subscription and acknowledgment of these Articles of Incorporation.

7. Number of Directors. This corporation shall initially have one (2) directors, but the By-Laws of this Corporation may provide for such increase in the number thereof as is authorized by law.

8. Directors. The name and street address of the first Board of Directors is as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Street Address</u>
Jerry J. Babin	541 Calhoun Avenue Destin, Florida 32541
Anna M. Babin	541 Calhoun Avenue Destin, Florida 32541

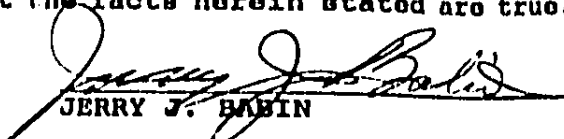
9. Subscriber. The name and street address of the subscriber to this Certificate of Incorporation is as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Street Address</u>
Jerry J. Babin	541 Calhoun Avenue Destin, Florida 32541

10. Officers. The officers of this Corporation shall be a President and Secretary and such other offices or agents as may be deemed necessary. All officers, agents or employees as may be necessary shall be chosen in such a manner, hold offices for such time, and have such power and duties as may be prescribed by the By-Laws or determined by the Board of Directors. Any person may hold two (2) or more offices.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the undersigned subscribing incorporator, have hereunto set my hand and seal this 3RD day of October, 1995, for the purpose of forming this corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, and I hereby make and file

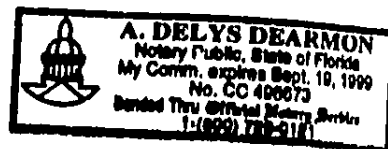
In the office of the Secretary of State of Florida this Certificate of Incorporation and certify that the facts herein stated are true.


JERRY J. BABIN

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF OKALOOSA

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 26 day of March, 1996, by Jerry J. Babin, who is personally known to me.


NOTARY PUBLIC



CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE
FOR THE SERVICE PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE
NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

In pursuance of Chapter 48.901, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted, in compliance with said Act:

FIRST, that J E P S, OF DESTIN, INC. desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at City of Destin, County of Okaloosa, State of Florida, has named Jerry J. Babin, located at 541 Calhoun Avenue Destin, County of Okaloosa, State of Florida, as its agent to accept service of process within this State

ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Having been named to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation, at the place designated in this Certificate, I hereby accept the Act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provision of said Act relative to keeping open said office.


JERRY J. BABIN
(Resident Agent)

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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