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Secretary of State Corporate Division Post Office Box 6327 The Capitol Tallahassee, Florida 32304

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(004) 488-4844

Re: Pearson & Sons Outfitters, Inc. Our File Number: M-6279-M

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am enclosing herewith an original and one copy of Articles of Incorporation for the above-named corporation. In addition, a check in the sum of \$122.50 is enclosed which represents the following fees:

Filing fee 35.00
Certified copy 52.50
Registered agent fee 35.00
TOTAL \$122.50

Please file the original of the enclosed Articles of Incorporation and return a certified copy to the undersigned.

Please do not hesitate to contact this office should you have any questions or require any additional information. Your prompt attention to this matter would be greatly appreciated.

Jenice L. Cook

Legal Assistant to

EDSEL F. MATTHEWS, JR., ESQUIRE

/jc Enclosure(s) May b. 96

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

**OF** 

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# PEARSON & SONS OUTFITTERS, INC.

The undersigned acting as incorporator of a corporation/under the Florida General Corporation Act, adopts the following articles f incorporation for such corporation:

# ARTICLE I - NAME & ADDRESS

The name of this corporation is Pearson & Sons Outfitters, Inc. and the address of the corporation is 7155 Blue Angel Parkway, Pensacola, Florida 32526.

# ARTICLE II - DURATION

This corporation shall exist perpetually, commencing upon the date of subscription and acknowledgment of these articles of incorporation.

## ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

The purpose of this corporation is to engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United States and the State of Florida.

#### ARTICLE IV - CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation is authorized to issue 10,000 shares of \$1.00 par value common stock, all of one class and series.

# ARTICLE V - AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

# ARTICLE VI - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of this corporation's initial registered office is 308 South Jafferson Street, Pensacola, Florida 32501, and the name of this corporation's initial registered agent is Edsel F. Matthews, Jr.

# ARTICLE VII - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors is one (1) whose name and address is Robert L. Pearson, of 7155 Blue Angel Parkway, Pensacola, Florida 32526.

## ARTICLE VIII - INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator is Edgel F. Matthews, Jr., 308 Jefferson Street, Pensacola, Florida 32501.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these articles of incorporation this 16th day of May, 1996.

EDSEL F. MATTHEWS, JR.

#### STATE OF FLORIDA

## COUNTY OF ESCAMBIA

Before me the undersigned authority in and for the said State and County personally appeared Edsel F. Matthews, Jr. to me well known to be the person described in and who freely and voluntarily subscribed the foregoing articles of incorporation for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.



Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

## ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT

I, Edsel F. Matthews, Jr., hereby accept the appointment as registered agent for Pearson & Sons Outfitters, Inc. as set forth in its Articles of Incorporation filed simultaneously herewith?

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 10th day of May, 1996.

Forel F. Matthews

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