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RICHARD THOMAS

P. O. Box 624  
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July 15, 1996

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Division of Corporations  
409 E. Gaines Street  
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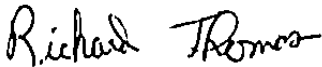
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Ladies and Gentlemen:

Please find enclosed the Articles of Incorporation for Thomas Fire Sprinkler Company, the Acceptance of Appointment as registered agent, and a check in the amount of \$122.50.

After filing, please send a certified copy of the documents to me at the above address.  
Thank you.

Yours truly,



Richard Thomas

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
THOMAS FIRE SPRINKLER COMPANY

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

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

Thomas Fire Sprinkler Company

ARTICLE II. NATURE OF BUSINESS

This corporation may engage or transact in any or all lawful activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States, the State of Florida or any other state, country, territory or nation.

ARTICLE III. CAPITAL STOCK

The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is 6,000 shares of common stock having a par value of \$1 per share.

ARTICLE IV. ADDRESS

The street address of the principal office and the initial registered office of the corporation shall be 926 North Main Street, Trenton, Florida 32693 and the name of the initial registered agent of the corporation at that address is Joseph Richard Thomas. The mailing address is P.O. Box 524, Trenton, Florida 32693.

ARTICLE V. TERM OF EXISTENCE

Corporate existence shall begin on the date these Articles of Incorporation are executed. The duration of this corporation is perpetual.

ARTICLE VI. INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator signing these Articles of Incorporation is Joseph Richard Thomas, 926 North Main Street, Trenton, Florida 32693

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ARTICLE VII. 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 shareholders is subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July 1996.

Joseph Richard Thomas  
Joseph Richard Thomas

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF ALACHUA

The foregoing Articles of Incorporation were subscribed before me, the undersigned authority, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1996, by Joseph Richard Thomas, who produced Driver's License # T520-496-53-068-0 as identification.



MARY ANN KELLY  
COMMISSION # CC 463816  
EXPIRES JUN 11, 1999  
BONDED THRU  
ATLANTIC BONDING CO., INC.

Mary Ann Kelly  
Mary Ann Kelly, Notary Public  
Commission Number CC463816  
State of Florida at Large  
My Commission Expires 6/11/99

Department of State  
The Capitol  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Pursuant to Florida Statutes Section 607.0501, the undersigned hereby accepts the appointment of registered agent of Thomas Fire Sprinkler Company. I hereby confirm that I am familiar with and accept the obligation of that position.

Dated this 5<sup>th</sup> day of July 1996.

Joseph Richard Thomas  
Joseph Richard Thomas

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF ALACHUA

The foregoing Acceptance of Appointment was acknowledged before me, the undersigned authority, this 5<sup>th</sup> date of July, 1996, by Joseph Richard Thomas, who produced Driver's License # 1520-1196-53-068-0 as identification.

 MARY ANN KELLY  
COMMISSION # CC 463816  
EXPIRES JUN 11, 1999  
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