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STATE OF FLORIDA

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

U.S. SAND & GRAVEL INC.

FIRST:

The corporate name that satisfies the requirements of Section 607.0401

is:

U.S. Sand & Gravel Inc.

SECOND: The address of the initial principal office and, if different, the mailing address of the corporation is:

2450 South Shore Boulevard Suite 210 League City, Texas 77573

THIRD:

The number of shares the Corporation is authorized to issue is:

60,000,000.

FOURTH: (a) It the shares are to be divided into classes, the designation of each class is:

50,000,000 Common Shares 10,000,000 Preferred Shares

(b) Statement of the preferences, limitations and relative rights in respect of the shares of each class:

N/A

FIFTH: (a) If the corporation is to issue the shares of any preferred or special class in series, the designation of each series is:

N/A

(b) Statement of the variations in the relative rights and preferences as between series insofar as the same are to be fixed in the Articles of Incorporation:

N/A

(c) Statement of any authority to be vested in the Board of Directors to establish series and fix and determine the variations in the relative rights and preferences between series:

The Board shall have complete authority without need for shareholder consent.

SIXTH: Provisions granting preemptive rights are:

Preemptive rights are denied for Common Shares.

SEVENTH: Provisions for the regulation of the internal affairs of the corporation are:

Cumulative voting denied; directors may amend bylaws.

EIGHTH: The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

c/o CT Corporation System 1200 South Pinc Island Road City of Plantation, Florida 33324,

and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is:

CT Corporation System.

NINTH: The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is one (1), and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as directors until the first annual meeting of shareholders or until their successors are elected and shall qualify are:

Frank Moss 2450 South Shore Boulevard Suite 210 League City, Texas 77573

TENTH: The name and addresses of each incorporator is:

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Carri S. Schultz 811 Dallas Avenue Houston, Texas 77002

Jennifer J. McBuchett 811 Dallas Avenue Houston, Texas 77002

Paula Voss 811 Dallas Avenue Houston, Texas 77002

The undersigned have executed these Articles of Incorporation this <u>luth</u> day of August, 1996.

Carri S. Schultz, Incorporator

Jennifer J. McBurnett, Incorporator

Paula Voss, Incorporator

Acceptance by the Registered Agent is required in Section 607.0501(3)F.S.: CT Corporation System is familiar with and accepts the obligations provided for in Section 607.0505.

CT CORPORATION SYSTEM

Dated: 14th day of August, 1996

Name Daniel P. McMahan

Title ASSA Secy