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August 30, 1996

Florida Department of State Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314 410000000151300600064 -09/04/96--01096--015 ****122.50 ****122.50

Re: New Corporation For Profit - RITCHIE WATER WORKS, INC.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find two copies (Original and one) of the Charter of RITCHIE WATER WORKS, INC, a corporation for profit. Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$122,50 in payment of:

- a. Filing fee
- b. Certified copy of Charter
- c. Resident agent designation

Kindly rush processing and return at your very earliest convenience.

Thank you.

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September 5, 1996

RALPH G. MITCHELL, ESQ. 3149 N. PONCE DE LEON BLVD SUITE 9 ST. AUGUSTINE, FL 32095

SUBJECT: RITCHIE WATER WORKS, INC.

Rof. Number: W96000018620

We have received your document for RITCHIE WATER WORKS, 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):

According to section 607.0202(1)(b) or 617.0202(1)(b), Florida Statutes, you must list the corporation's principal office, and if different, a mailing address in the document. If the principal address and the registered office address are the same, please indicate so in your document.

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) 487-6932.

Kimberly Rolfe Document Specialist

Letter Number: 296A00041641

REPLY:

September 10, 1996

Please see Article V wherein the registered office and principal office of the corporation are the same at 22 Bay View Drive, St. Augustine FI, 320951 TMANK YOU. Please rush return.

RALPH G. MITCHELL, ESQUIRE

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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RITCHIE WATER WORKS, INC.

DAVID S. RITCHIE

a natural

person or persons competent to contract, do hereby make, acknowladge and file in the Office of the Secretary of State of Florida,
for the purpose of forming a corporation for profit in accordance
with the laws of the State of Florida and pursuant to the Florida
General Corporation Act, these Articles of Incorporation, as by
law provided.

ARTICLE I

NAME

The name of this Corporation shall be: RITCHIE WATER WORKS, INC.

ARTICLE II

DURATION

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE III

GENERAL NATURE OF BUSINESS, POWERS & PURPOSE

This Corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any or all lawful business or activity, such activities shall he in any manner related to and associated with, but not necessarily limited to, the installation and repair of water treatment systems and irrigation

Prepared by: Ralph G. MitchellEsq.

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ARTICLE TY

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL STOCK

The maximum number of shares of stock that this Corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any time shall be (5000) Five thousand shares of common stock, all of a single class, such shares to be of one (\$1.00) Dollar par value each, all of which shares shall be issued fully paid and non-assessable. Each of said shares of common stock shall entitle the holder thereof to one (1) vote at any meeting of the stockholders. No holder of common stock shall be entitled to any right of cumulative voting. capital stock of this Corporation may be paid for in lawful money of the United States of America, or in property, labor or services at a fair and just valuation to be fixed by the stockholders, or by unanimous vote of the Board of Directors, at any regular or special meeting of this Corporation. Property, labor or services may also be purchased with the capital stock of this Corporation at such variations as shall be fixed by the stockholders, or by unanimous vote of the Board of Directors at any regular or special meeting of this Corporation.

ARTICLE V

INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE

The street address of the principal office of this Corporation is

22 Bay View Drive, St. Augustine, FL. 32095 , but this

Corporation shall have the power to move the registered office to

any other address in the State of Florida that may be deemed

expedient.

ARTICLE VI

INTTTAL REGISTERED AGENT

The name of the initial registered agent of this Corporation at the same address as stated in Article V hereinabove stated is:

DAVID S. RITCHIE

but this Corporation shall have the power to change the name of the registered agent to any other person located in the registered office of this Corporation in the State of Florida that may be deemed expedient.

ARTICLE VII

NUMBER OF DIRECTORS

The number of Directors of this Corporation shall be not less than one (1) nor more that five (5), the number to be fixed as provided in the By-Laws of this Corporation. Any Director may be removed at any annual or special meeting of the stockholders by the same vote as is required to elect a Director. The Directors shall have their compensation fixed by the stockholders of this Corporation.

ARTICLE VIII

INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The name and street address of the first member(s) of the first Board of Directors, who, unless otherwise provided by the By-Laws, or removed as provided herein, shall hold office for the first year of existence of this Corporation, or until his or her

successors are elected or appointed and have qualified, shall be:

NAME

STREET ADDRESS

DAVID S. RITCHIE

22 Bny Vlew Drive, St. Augustine, FL 32095

BETH E. RITCHLE

22 Bay View Drive, St. Augustine, Fl. 32095

ARTICLE IX

INCORPORATOR (S)

The name and street address of the incorporator(s) of these Articles of Incorporation are:

NAME

STREET ADDRESS

DAVID S. RITCHIE

22 Bay View Drive, St. Augustine, Fl. 32095

ARTICLE X

CLASSES OF DIRECTORS

The Directors of this Corporation may be divided into classes as shall be more specifically provided for in the By-Laws of this Corporation.

ARTICLE XI

This corporation shall indemnify any officer, incorporator, or director, or any former officer, incorporator or director, to the full extent permitted by law. In addition, and not by way of limitation of the foregoing, this Corporation shall have the power, at its sole discretion to purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of any person who is or was serving at the request of this Corporation as a director, officer, employee or agent of

another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, against any liability asserted him or her and incurred by him or her in any such capacity, or arising out of his status as such, whether or not this Corporation would have the authority to indemnify him or her against such liability under the provisions of the Articles, or under law. Nothing contained herein shall prevent the stockholders from purchasing such insurance policies or other manners of indemnification as they may deem proper. The foregoing right of indemnification shall be in addition to, and not exclusive of, all other rights to which a director or officer or stockholder may be entitled to as a matter of law or otherwise.

ARTICLE XII

BY-LAWS

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal the By-Laws of this Corporation shall be vested in the Board of Directors and the Stockholders; however, the stockholders may repeal or change the By-Laws adopted by the Board of Directors and the stockholders my prescribe in any By-Laws made by them that such By-Laws may not be altered, amended or repealed by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE XIII

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

This Corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, in the manner provided by law, and any and all

subject to this reservation. Every Amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors, proposed by them to the stockholders, and approved at a stockholder's meeting by at least a majority of the stockholders sign a written statement manifesting their intention that a certain Amendment to these Articles of Incorporation be made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I (we) the undersigned, the incorporator(s),
have executed these Articles of Incorporation this 30th day of
August , 1996 at St. Augustine , Florida and
having been named to accept service of process for the above
stated Corporation, at the place designated in this certificate,
I, DAVID S. RITCHIE hereby accept to act in this
capacity and agree to comply with the provisions of said Act
relative to keeping open said office

Incorporator & Registered Agent
DAVID S. RITCHIE

Incorporator

BTATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF ST. JOHNS BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared DAVID S. RITCHIE well known and know to me to be the individual(s) described in and who executed the above and foregoing Articles of Incorpora-RITCHIE WATER WORKS, INC. DAVID S. RITCHIE ___ accepted to act as Registered Agent of said Corporation, and he or she acknowledged before me that he or she executed the same for the purposes therein expressed. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 30th day of August 1996 atSt. Augustine, St. Johns County, Florida. Personally known to me. NOTARY PUBLIC State of Florida at Large Bonded by NFNU

My commission expires:

800-224-4368