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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

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MENESES AUTOMOTIVE & TRANSMISSION, INC

ARTICLE I - Name

The name of the corporation is:

MENESES AUTOMOTIVE & TRANSMISSION, INC.

ARTICLE II - Nature of Business

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

ARTICLE III - Capital Stock

The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any time is Seven Thousand Five Hundred (7,500) shares of common stock, each share having a par value of One Dollar (\$1.00).

Authorized capital stock may be paid for in cash, services, or property, at a just to be fixed by the Board of Directors of this corporation at any regular or special meeting.

ARTICLE IV - Term of Existence

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE V - Initial Registered Agent & Principal Office

The street address of this initial registered and principal office of this corporation is 7284 N.W. 25th Street, Miami, FL 33122 and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address is JORGE LUIS MENESES.

ARTICLE VI - Initial Board of Directors

This corporation shall have two directors initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the bylaws but shall never be less than one. The names and addresses of the initial directors of this corporation are:

JORGE LUIS MESENES 7284 N.W. 25th Street, Miami, FL 33122 RODOLFO SARDUY 7284 N.W. 25th Street, Maimi, FL 33122

ARTICLE VII - Initial Officers

The names and addresses of the officers are as follows:

PRESIDENT: JORGE LUIS MENESES

7284 N.W. 25th Street

Miami, FL 33122

TREASURER: RODOLFO SARDUY

7284 N.W. 25th Street

Miami, FL 33122

SECRETARY: RODOLFO SARDUY

7284 N.W. 25th Street

Miami, FL 33122

ARTICLE VIII - Incorporator

The names and addresses of the person signing these articles are: JORGE LUIS MENESES and RODOLFO SARDUY, 7284 N.W. 25th Street, Miami, FL 33122.

ARTICLE IX - Distribution

The names and addresses of the subscribers of this Articles of Incorporation, and the number of shares of stock which they agree to take and the sums subscribed to and paid are as follows:

NAME	ADDRESS	SHARE
JORGE LUIS MENESES	7284 N.W. 25th Street Miami, FL 33122	250
RODOLFO SARDUY	7284 N.W. 25th Street Miami, FL 33122	250

ARTICLE X - Effective Date

These Articles of Incorporation shall be effective immediately upon approval of the Secretary of State, State of Florida.

ARTICLE XI - Amendment

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law. Every amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors, proposed by them to the stockholders, and approved at a stockholder's meeting by a majority of the stock entitled to vote thereon, unless all the directors and all the stockholders sign a written statement manifesting their intention that a certain amendment of these Articles of Incorporation be made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 8th day of October, 1996.

ORGE LULE MENESES

RODOLFO SARDUY

STATE OF FLORIDA

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The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 8th day of October, 1996 by JORGE LUIS MENESES and RODOLFO SARDUY, who are personally known to me, or who have produced the following type of identification Driver's License and who did did not take an oath.

NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF FLORIDA WILLIAM A. CHIARIA JR. COMMISSION NO.CC-244007 MY COMMISSION EXPIRES DEC. 2, 1996

NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:

CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 48.091, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED:

FIRSTTHAT MENESES AUTOMOTIVE & TRANSMISSION, INC. (NAME OF CORPORATION)
DESIRING TO ORGANIZED OR QUALIFY UNDER THE LAWS OF OF THE STATE OF FLORI
WITH ITS PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS AT CITY OF Miami
STATE OF Florida , HAS NAMED JORGE LUIS MENESES (STATE)
(STATE) (NAME OF RESIDENT AGENT)
LOCATED AT 7284 N.W. 25th Street
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CITY OF Miami , STATE OF FLORIDA, AS ITS AGENT ACCEPT
SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN PLORIDA.
SIGNATURE OF THE STATE OF THE S
(CORPORATE OFFICER)
TITLEPresident
DATEOctober 8, 1996
HAVING BEEN NAMED TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION, AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY, AND I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATIVE TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF MY DUTIES.
SIGNATURE (RESIDENT AGENT)
DATE October 8 36