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October 21, 1996

Secretary of State Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

RE:

Allstate Painting and Drywall, Inc.

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To whom it may concern:

Enclosed please find the Articles of Incorporation for the above referenced corporation. Additionally, a check in the amount of \$122.50 has been enclosed to cover the cost of filing same.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Michelle Rio-Patterson 113 Ravenway Drive Seffner, Florida 33584 FILED
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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

# ALLSTATE PAINTING & DRYWALL, INC.

The undersigned subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation, desiring to form a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, does hereby accept all of the rights and privileges, benefits and obligations conferred and imposed by said laws and hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation as the Charter of the corporation hereby organized.

# **ARTICLE I**

#### NAME AND ADDRESS

The name and address of the Corporation is ALLSTATE PAINTING & DRYWALL, INC., 113 Ravenway Drive, Seffner, Florida 33584.

#### **ARTICLE II**

#### DURATION

The corporation shall have perpetual existence, commencing with the filing of these Articles of Incorporation, unless terminated earlier.

#### **ARTICLE III**

#### **PURPOSES AND POWERS**

This corporation is organized for the purpose of engaging in all lawful business activities permitted to a Corporation under the Florida General Corporation Law, as in effect from time to time.

#### **ARTICLE IV**

#### **CAPITAL STOCK**

The amount of capital stock authorized shall consist of 100 Shares of common voting stock with a par value of \$100.00 (\$1.00) each.

Dividends to shareholders may, in the discretion of the Board of Directors, be paid in cash or in property, but no dividend may be made which would impair the restricted or reserved uneamed surplus of the Corporation, except as provided by Florida law.

# **ARTICLE V**

#### SHARES NOT TO BE DIVIDED INTO CLASSES

The shares of the capital stock of the Corporation are not to be divided into classes.

# **ARTICLE VI**

#### **RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER**

The Board of Directors may, in its discretion, include within the Bylaws of the Corporation restrictions on the transfers of shares of stock in the Corporation.

# **ARTICLE VII**

#### NO SHARES ISSUED IN SERIES

The shares of the capital stock are not to be issued in series.

#### **ARTICLE VIII**

#### **INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT**

The initial registered office of this corporation is 113 Ravenway Drive, Seffner, Florida 33584. The initial registered agent shall be Vernon E. Patterson, Jr.

# **ARTICLE IX**

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

This corporation shall have two (2) director(s) initially. The number of directors may be either increased of decreased from time to time by action of the board and in accordance with the provision of the Bylaws. The name and address of the initial director(s) of this Corporation are:

- A. Vemon E. Patterson, Jr.113 Ravenway DriveSeffner, Florida 33584
- B. Michelle Rio-Patterson113 Ravenway DiveSeffner, Florida 33584

#### **ARTICLE X**

#### **MEETINGS**

The shareholders and directors of this Corporation shall meet at least once annually at the corporations's principal office on the annual date of the execution of these articles or at such other time and place as may be provided in the Bylaws.

# **ARTICLE XI**

#### **OFFICERS**

This Corporation shall have two (2) officer(s): a President and a Vice-President, with such duties as shall be by the laws of the State of Florida. The initial officer and office of this corporation is:

President Michelle Rio-Patterson 113 Ravenway Drive Seffner, Florida 33584

Vice-President Vemon E. Patterson, Jr. 113 Ravenway Drive Seffner, Florida 33584

### **ARTICLE XII**

#### **BYLAWS**

The Board of Directors may adopt and amend Bylaws for the corporation as provided in the Florida General Corporation Law, by majority vote.

# **ARTICLE XIII**

# **INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the incorporator of this corporation is:

Michelle Rio-Patterson 113 Ravenway Drive Seffner, Florida 33584

# **ARTICLE XIV**

# **INDEMNIFICATION**

This corporation shall indemnify any officer or director, or any former officer or director to the full extent permitted by the laws of the State of Florida.

this A day of Othor, 19 96

MICHELLE RIO-PATTERSON, INCORPORATOR

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this ZISt ay of OctOU 1996 by MICHELLE RIO-PATTERSON, who did not take an oath, and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and acknowledged before me that he executed the same for the purposes therein expressed.

Signature of Notary

DAWN L. HARRISON

Notary Public State of Florida

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# CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA

In compliance with Section 48.091, Fla. Stat. (1985), the following is submitted:

MICHELLE RIO-PATTERSON, desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal place of business at 113 Ravenway Drive, Seffner, Florida 33584 has named VERNON E. PATTERSON, JR., as its agent to accept service of process within the state of Florida.

ALLSTATE PAINTING & DRYWALL, INC.

Name:MICHELLE RIO-PATTERSON

Title: President

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.

Name: VERNON E. PATTERSON, JR.

Date: 10/21/96

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