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Corporate Records Bureau  
Division of Corporations  
Department of State  
P. O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32301

Re: M&L GAS, INC.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed are two original Articles of Incorporation for the above-named corporation, along with two original Certificates Designating Place of Business or Domicile for the Service of Process Within Florida, Naming Agent Upon Whom Process May Be Served, for this corporation.

Also, enclosed is our check in the amount of \$122.50, representing the following fees with respect to this corporation:

Filing Fee	\$ 35.00
Certified Copy	\$ 52.50
Registered Agent Fee	\$ 35.00

TOTAL \$122.50

Please file the original of the enclosed Articles of Incorporation and return a certified copy to our office.

Very truly yours,

*Don F. Zimmerman*

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Enclosures  
cc: Mrs. Nasrin M. Tehrani

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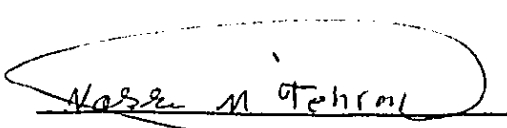
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MS. SANDRA B. MORTHAM  
SECRETARY OF STATE  
DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS  
FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
P. O. BOX 6327  
TALLAHASSEE , FLORIDA 32314

SUBJECT: M. & L GAS, INC.  
REF.: NUMBER W96000018330

We are mailing back to you the documents with the corrections requested,  
please return the certificate to our address : 318 S DALE MABRY HIGHWAY,  
TAMPA, FLORIDA 33609-2819  
Our Attorney DON F. ZIMMERMAN move away from this state, Please do not  
mail our documents to his address. Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,



NASRIM M. THERANI  
318 S DALE MABRY HIGHWAY

TAMPA, FLORIDA 33609-2819

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Sandra B. Mortham  
Secretary of State

September 3, 1996

DON F ZIMMERMAN, ESQ.  
2123 N.E. COACHMAN ROAD  
SUITE A  
CLEARWATER, FL 34625

SUBJECT: M & L GAS, INC.  
Ref. Number: W96000018330

We have received your document for M & L GAS, 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):

The registered agent must sign accepting the designation.

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

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
M&L GAS, INC.

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The undersigned for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

**ARTICLE 1: NAME:**

The name of this Corporation is: M&L GAS, INC.

**ARTICLE 2: DURATION:**

The term of existence of the Corporation is perpetual.

**ARTICLE 3: PURPOSE:**

This Corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any and all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the Florida Business Corporation Act.

**ARTICLE 4: CAPITAL STOCK:**

This Corporation is authorized to issue One Thousand (1000) shares of common stock, having a par value of One Dollar (\$1.00) per share.

**ARTICLE 5: INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT:**

A. Principal Place of Business: The principal place of business and/or mailing address of this Corporation is 318 S. Dale Mabry Highway, Tampa, Florida 33629 and its registered office address is 318 S. Dale Mabry Highway, Tampa, Florida 33629.

B. Registered Agent: The name of the initial registered agent of this Corporation at that address is NASRIN M. TEHRANI.

**ARTICLE 6: INCORPORATOR:**

The name and post office address of the sole incorporator is:

NASRIN M. TEHRANI

318 S. Dale Mabry Highway  
Tampa, Florida 33629

**ARTICLE 7: INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS:**

This Corporation shall have two (2) directors initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the Shareholders, but shall never be less than one (1). The names and addressses of the initial directors of this Corporation are:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
NASRIN M. TEHRANI	318 S. Dale Mabry Highway Tampa, FL 33609
LUISA VERGARA	318 S. Dale Mabry Highway Tampa, FL 33629

**ARTICLE 8: INDEMNIFICATION:**

The Corporation shall indemnify any officer or director, or any former officer or director, to the full extent permitted by law.

**ARTICLE 9: AMENDMENT:**

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 the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 22 day of April, 1996.

BY: Nasrin M. Tehrani  
NASRIN M. TEHRANI  
Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF PINELLAS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 22 day of April, 1996, by NASRIN M. TEHRANI, as incorporator of M&L GAS, INC., a Florida corporation to be formed, who is personally known to me, or who has produced a valid Florida State Driver's License as identification.

Luisa G. Vergara  
Signature

LUISA G. VERGARA  
Print or Type Name of Notary  
Notary Public-State of Florida  
My Commission Expires: 4/22/2000

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LUISA G. VERGARA  
My Commission CC549576  
Expires Apr. 22, 2000

**CERTIFICATE**  
Designating Place of Business or Domicile  
for the  
Service of Process Within Florida,  
Naming Agent Upon Whom Process May be Served

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In compliance with Section 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted with respect to this corporation's replacement Registered Agent:

That M&L GAS, INC., desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its place of business at 318 S. Dale Mabry Highway, City of Tampa, State of Florida, has named NASRIN M. TEHRANI, located at 318 S. Dale Mabry Highway, City of Tampa, State of Florida, as its agent to accept service of process within Florida.

Signature: Nasrin M. Tehrani  
Title: Incorporator  
Date: April 22, 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: Nasrin M. Tehrani  
Registered Agent  
Date: April 22, 1996

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF PINELLAS

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me  
this 22 day of April, 1996 by NASRIN M. TEHRANI, who is personally  
known to me, or who has produced a Florida State Driver's License as  
identification.

Luisa G. Vergara  
Signature

LUISA G. VERGARA  
Print or Type Name of Notary  
Notary Public-State of Florida  
My Commission Expires: 4/22/2000

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LUISA G. VERGARA  
My Commission CC849676  
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