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November 08, 1996

Gilles Bergeron 2397 Knoll Drive Spring Hill, Florida 34606

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Division Of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Dear Sirs,

Please find enclosed the Articles of Incorporation for THE GARDEN PATCH, INC.

Also please find a check in the amount of \$70.00 to cover the various expenses of incorporation.

As registered agent for this corporation, you may contact me if necessary at (352) 666-0800.

Sincerely,

Gilles Bergeron

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SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

THE GARDEN PATCH, INC.

ARTICLE I: NAME

The name of this corporation shall be $\underline{\text{The Garden}}$ $\underline{\underline{\text{Patch, Inc.}}}$.

ARTICLE II: PURPOSE

This corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any and all lawful business within the State of Florida or elsewhere, and to have, use, exercise, and enjoy all of the general powers of like corporations, under Chapter 607 of the Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE III: DURATION

This corporation shall have perpetual existance.

ARTICLE IV: CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation is authorized to issue 10,000 shares of \$1.00 par value common stock, which shall be designated as "Common Shares".

ARTICLE V: PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

ARTICLE VII: DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors of this corporation shall consist of one or more members, and the exact number thereof to be fixed by the bylaws of said corporation.

ARTICLE VIII: INITIAL DIRECTORS

The names of the members of the first Board of Directors of this corporation are as follows:

> Gilles Bergeron Lucille Bergeron

President Vice President

ARTICLE IA:

The name and address of the subscribing incorporator

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2397 Knoll Drive Spring Hill, F1 3460

ARTICLE X: REGISTERED AGENT

The initial designation of the registered office of the corporation shall be 2397 Knoll Drive, Spring Hill, Florida, 34606, and the registered agent shall be Gilles Bergeron.

Pursuant to Florida Statutes Section 607.164, having been named to accept process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in these Articles of Incorporation, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provision of said act relative to keeping open said office.

Registered Agent

or any amendments thereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I the undersigned subscribing incorporator, have executed these Articles of Incorporation this 15 day of 1000.

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF HERNANDO

Commission Expiration Date:

The foregoing Articles of Incorporation were acknowledged before me this 1574 day of 1000., 19% by 11165 BERGERON, who is personally known to me or who has produced FIDI as identification, and who acknowledged before me that he executed the same for the purpose therein expressed.

Signature of person taking oath viells

Name of person taking oath, typed, printed or stamped:

Title or rank:

Commission No.

Totary Public JANET M. MEADER

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OFFICIAL NOTARY SEAL
JANET M MEADER
NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF FLORIDA
COMMISSION NO. CC301376
MY COMMISSION EXP. AUG. 19,1997