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STATE OF FLORIDA  
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
SOUTHCOAST SERVICES, INC.

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FIRST: The corporate name that satisfies the requirements of section 607.0401 is: SOUTHCOAST SERVICES, INC.

SECOND: The address of the principal office, if known, and the mailing address of the corporation is:

16381 Ontario Place, Davie, Florida 33331

THIRD: The number of shares the corporation is authorized to issue is: One Hundred (100) common shares at One Dollar (\$1.00) par value.

FOURTH: The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 16381 Ontario Place, City of Davie, Florida 33331, and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is Jerome Palazzolo.

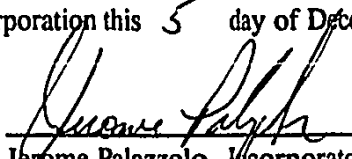
FIFTH: The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors is one (1), and the name and address of each person who is to serve as director until the first annual meeting of shareholders or until a successor is elected and shall qualify is as follows:

Jerome Palazzolo 16381 Ontario Place, Davie, Florida 33331

SIXTH: The name and address of each incorporator is:

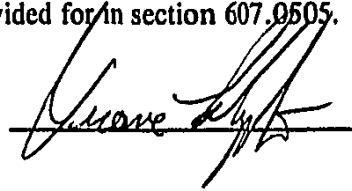
Jerome Palazzolo 16381 Ontario Place, Davie, Florida 33331

The undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 5 day of December, 1996.

  
Jerome Palazzolo, Incorporator

Acceptance by the registered agent as required in section 607.0501 (3) F.S.: Jerome Palazzolo is familiar with and accepts the obligations provided for in section 607.0505.

Dated December 5, 1996



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Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find the Articles of Incorporation of Atlantic Coast Flooring, Inc. along with the statement of registered agent and check for the appropriate fee.

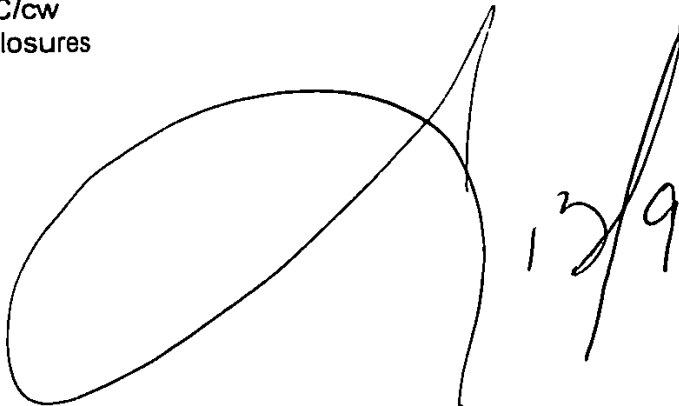
Enclosed is a copy of a certificate of registration issued to Albert N. Miller, promoter of the corporation.

Sincerely,



Howard A. Caplan

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October 10, 1996

ALBERT N. MILLER  
ACOUSTICAL CONCEPTS, INC.  
P. O. BOX 47995  
JACKSONVILLE, FL 32247-7995

The name ATLANTIC COAST FLOORING, INC. has been reserved for 120 days beginning October 10, 1996. The reservation number is R96000004824 and this reservation is **NONRENEWABLE**.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
ATLANTIC COAST FLOORING, INC.

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The undersigned incorporator of these Articles of Incorporation, a natural person competent to contract, hereby presents these Articles for the formation of a for profit corporation under the Business Corporations Act and other laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is Atlantic Coast Flooring, Inc.

ARTICLE II

The general nature of the business that will be transacted by the corporation is any legally permissible activity, including selling and installing custom floors.

To invest the funds of the corporation in real estate, mortgages, stocks, bonds, or any other type of investment, and to own real and personal property necessary for the operation of the corporation's business.

To do all and everything necessary and proper for the accomplishment of any of the purposes or the attaining of any of the objects for the furtherance of any of the purposes enumerated in these Articles of Incorporation or any amendments hereto, and either alone or in association with other corporations, firms, or individuals, to carry on any lawful pursuit necessary or incidental to the accomplishment of the purposes and objects of this corporation.

The foregoing enumeration of objects and purposes shall not be held to limit or restrict in any manner the purposes of this corporation otherwise permitted by law.

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### ARTICLE III

The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is ten thousand (10,000) shares of common stock having no par value. The Board of Directors is authorized to issue "Section 1244 Stock" as defined by section 1244 of the Internal Revenue Code.

Shareholders shall not have preemptive rights.

Cumulative voting shall not be permitted.

The shareholders may, by bylaw provision or by shareholders' agreement, impose such restriction(s) on the sale, transfer, or encumbrance of the stock of this corporation, as they may see fit.

### ARTICLE IV

This corporation shall exist perpetually.

### ARTICLE V

The principal office of the corporation initially shall be at 5105 Phillips Highway, Suite 201, Jacksonville, Florida 32207. The principal office may be moved to any address that the Board of Directors shall choose, provided however that the principal office shall be in the State of Florida. The mailing address of the corporation shall be P.O. Box 47995, Jacksonville, Florida 32247-9995.

### ARTICLE VI

The initial number of directors of the corporation shall be two (2). The number of directors may be changed by bylaw adopted by the shareholders, provided however that the number of directors shall never be less than one (1).

## ARTICLE VII

The initial Board of Directors shall be:

Name  
Albert N. Miller

Address  
P.O. Box 47995  
Jacksonville, FL 32247-7995

Teresa D. Miller

P.O. Box 47995  
Jacksonville, FL 32247-7995

Christopher L. Miller

P.O. Box 47995  
Jacksonville, FL 32247-7995

## ARTICLE VIII

The name and address of the incorporator and person signing these Article of Incorporation are:

Name  
Howard A. Caplan, Attorney, P.A.

Address  
3900 Atlantic Blvd.  
Jacksonville, FL 32207

## ARTICLE IX

No contract or other transaction between this corporation and any other corporation shall be affected by the fact that any director of this corporation is interested in or is a director or officer of such other corporation. Every person who may become a director of the corporation is hereby relieved from any liability that might otherwise exist from contracting with this corporation for the benefit of himself or any firm, association, or corporation in which he may be interested in any way.

#### ARTICLE X

This corporation shall have the power to enter into, for the benefit of its employees, one or more of the following: (1) a pension plan, (2) a profit-sharing plan, (3) a stock bonus plan, (4) a thrift and savings plan, (5) a restricted stock option plan, (6) health insurance plan, or other retirement or incentive compensation plans. This corporation shall have the power

to make loans, secured or unsecured, to its shareholders, providing said shareholders are active employees of the corporation.

#### ARTICLE XI

The corporation shall indemnify any and all persons who may serve or who have served at any time as directors or officers, or who at the request of the Board of Directors of the corporation may serve or at any time have served as directors or officers of another corporation in which the corporation at such time owned or may own shares of stock or of which it was or may be a creditor, and their respective heirs, administrators, successors, and assigns, against any and all expenses, including amounts paid upon judgments, counsel fees, and amounts paid in settlement (before or after suit is commenced), actually and necessarily incurred by such person(s) in connection with the defense or settlement of any claim, action, suit, or proceeding in which they, or any of them, are made a party, or parties, or which may be asserted against them or any of them, by reason of being or having been directors or officers of the corporation, or of such other corporation except in relation to matters as to which any such director or officer or former director or officer or person shall be adjudged in any action, suit, or proceeding to be liable by his own



negligence or misconduct in the performance of his duty. Such indemnification shall be in addition to any other rights to which those indemnified may be entitled under any law, bylaw, agreement, vote of shareholders, or otherwise, and the corporation shall indemnify any officer or director, or any former officer or director to the fullest extent permitted by law.

#### ARTICLE XII

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by the laws of the State of Florida.

#### ARTICLE XIII

The registered office shall be and the registered agent at that same address are:

<u>Agent</u>	<u>Registered Office Address</u>
Howard A. Caplan, Attorney, P.A.	3900 Atlantic Blvd. Jacksonville, FL 32207

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation, this 4 day of December, 1996.

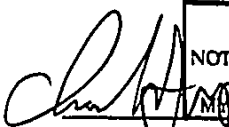
  
Howard A. Caplan, Attorney, P.A.

STATE OF FLORIDA

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The foregoing Articles of incorporation were executed and acknowledged before me this day by the incorporator, Howard A. Caplan, to me personally known.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 4<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1996.

  
OFFICIAL NOTARY SEAL  
CHARLES H MASON  
NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF FLORIDA  
COMMISSION NO. CC295851  
COMMISSION EXP. JUNE 20, 1997  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND ACCEPTANCE

OF REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, at the place designated in the Articles of Incorporation to which this is attached, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provisions of said law relative to keeping open said office.

  
Howard A. Caplan, Attorney, P.A.

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