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January 31, 1997

Secretary of State Division of Corporations 409 East Gaines Street Tallahassee, FL 32399

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Re:

Biarritz Cigar Company

Our File No. 8044

### Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith for filing you will find three executed copies of the Articles of Incorporation to the above corporation together with my check for the filing fee of \$122.50.

Please be so kind as to issue your certificate and return it to me as soon as possible.

Thank you.

Seth Stope

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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# TALLANASSEE, FLORIDA

## **BIARRITZ CIGAR COMPANY**

The undersigned, acting as incorporator, signs the following Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

#### **ARTICLE I**

The name of the corporation shall be:

#### **BIARRITZ CIGAR COMPANY**

#### ARTICLE II

The existence of the corporation shall commence upon the filing of these Articles of Incorporation by the Department of State and shall be perpetual.

## **ARTICLE III**

The corporation may engage in any and all businesses and activities permitted by the laws of the State of Florida. The corporation shall have all of the powers vested in a corporation organized under and existing by virtue of such laws.

#### **ARTICLE IV**

The maximum number of shares which the Corporation shall have authority to issue shall be 10,000 shares of common stock with a par value of \$1.00 per share.

## **ARTICLE V**

The initial registered agent and street address of the initial registered office of the corporation shall be:

Professional Registered Agent Corporation c/o Seth Stopek, P.A.
First Union Financial Center
200 South Biscayne Boulevard, Suite 2350
Miami, Florida 33131

### **ARTICLE VI**

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

Professional Registered Agent Corporation c/o Seth Stopek, P.A. First Union Financial Center 200 South Biscayne Boulevard, Suite 2350 Miami, Florida 33131

## **ARTICLE VII**

The mailing address of the corporation shall be:

740 North Greenway Coral Gables, Florida 33134

Executed at Miami, Florida this 21 day of January, 1997.

PROFESSIONAL REGISTERED AGENT

CORP

SETH STOPHK President

## **ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT**

Having been appointed the registered agent of Biarritz Cigar Company, a Florida corporation, the undersigned accepts such appointment and agrees to act in such capacity.

Dated this day of January, 1997.

PROFESSIONAL REGISTERED AGENT

CORPORATION

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