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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

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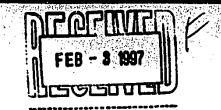
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## FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Sandra B. Mortham Secretary of State

January 29, 1997

DENISE R. RAKICH GRADY & ASSOCIATES 3411 TAMIAMI TRAIL NORTH, SUITE 200 NAPLES, FL 34103

The name RECYCLED FASHIONS, INC. has been reserved for 120 days beginning January 29, 1997. The reservation number is R97000000448 and this reservation is **NONRENEWABLE**.

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**Becky McKnight** 

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF RECYCLED FASHIONS, INC.

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THE UNDERSIGNED, acting as sole incorporator of a corporation to be formed under the Florida Business Corporation Act, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

FIRST: The name of the corporation is **RECYCLED FASHIONS**, **INC**. (the "Corporation").

SECOND: The address of the corporation is 4304 South Dale Mabry Highway, Tampa, Florida 33611.

THIRD: The Corporation is organized for the purpose of engaging in the transaction of any or all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the provisions of the Florida Business Corporation Act.

FOURTH: The aggregate number of shares which the Corporation is authorized to issue is 7,500 shares of a single class of common stock and the par value of each such share is \$1, amounting in the aggregate to \$7,500, which class of shares shall have unlimited voting rights and shall be entitled to receive the net assets of the Corporation upon dissolution.

FIFTH: The street address of the initial registered office of the Corporation is 3411 Tamiami Trail North, Suite 200, Naples, Florida 34103 and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is Thomas R. Grady.

SIXTH: The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation are three (3), and the names and addresses of the person who are to serve as directors until the first annual meeting of shareholders or until their successor or successors shall have been elected and qualified are as follows:

Christopher L. Pearson 16123 Vanderbilt Drive Odessa, FL 33556

Larry R. Pearson 4351 Sanctuary Way Bonita Springs, FL 34134

Michelle Pearson 16123 Vanderbilt Drive Odessa, FL 33556

SEVENTH: The name and address of the sole incorporator is Christopher L. Pearson, 16123 Vanderbilt Drive, Odessa, Florida 33556.

EIGHTH: The Corporation elects to have preemptive rights to the full extent provided by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the sole incorporator hereinbefore named, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, has executed these Articles of Incorporation this //th day of february, 1997.

Christopher L. Pearson

Sole Incorporator

Thomas R. Grady, having been designated to act as Registered Agent, hereby agrees to act in this capacity.

Thomas R. Grady

Registered Agent

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