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February 18, 1997

LAZARUS CORPORATE INDUSTRIES, INC. 890 SW 87 AVE STE 16 MIAMI, FL 33174

SUBJECT: XIMA CORPORATION Ref. Number: W97000003955

We have received your document for XIMA CORPORATION and your check(s) totaling \$122.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

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February 21, 1997

LAZARUS CORPORATE INDUSTRIES, INC. 890 SW 87 AVE., STE. 16 MIAMI, FL 33174

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

97 FEB 24 AM 1: 48 natural person, competent to contract and desiring to form a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, hereby certify as follows:

I

The name of the proposed corporation is:

ELITE BEAUTY PRODUCTS CORP.

II

The Corporation may engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United States, and the State of Florida.

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The maximum number of shares of stock which the Corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any time shall be:

\$ 1,000.00 SHARE AT A PAR VALUE OF \$1.00 PER SHARE OUTSTANDING

IV

This Corporation shall have perpetual existence signing on the date of incorporation.

V

The principal business office of the Corporation shall be stated at:

1530 SOUTHWEST 86TH COURT MIAMI, FLORIDA 33144

that such other place as may later be designated by the Board of Directors, with branch offices in such other cities, towns, states, or countries as may, from time to time, be authorized by its Board of Directors.

The initial registered office address of this Corporation

1530 SOUTHWEST 86TH COURT MIAMI, FLORIDA 33144

A. The Registered Agent at such registered address is:

shall be:

ZAIRA ALVAREZ

VII

The business of this Corporation shall be conducted by the Board of Directors which shall consist of not less than one (1), and not more than nine (9) as shall from time to time by designated in the by-laws of this Corporation, and a majority thereof shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of all business.

VIII

The name and street address of each person who is to serve as a member of the initial Board of Directors, who, subject to the provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, the by-laws of this Corporation and the Laws of the State of Florida, shall hold office for the first year of corporate existence or until their successors are elected and are duly qualified, are:

ZAIRA ALVAREZ	1530 SOUTHWEST 86TH COURT, MIAMI, FL 33166
NAME	ADDRESS

SARA ALVAREZ
NAME

1530 SOUTHWEST 86TH COURT, MIAMI, FL 33166
ADDRESS

IX

The name and street address of each incorporator is:

ZAIRA ALVAREZ	1530 SOUTHWEST 86TH COURT, MIAMI, FL 33166
NAME	ADDRESS
SARA ALVAREZ	1530 SOUTHWEST 86TH COURT, MIAMI, FL 33166
NAME	ADDRESS

The by-laws of this Corporation may be created, amended, or changed by either the Stockholders or the Directors at any regular or duly scheduled special meeting.

ΧI

This Corporation shall have, in addition to a President, Vice-President, Secretary and/or Treasurer, such other additional officers as may be created from time to time by and under the authorization of its by-laws.

XII

All officers, agents and factors shall be chosen in such a manner, hold their officers for such terms, and have such powers and duties as may be prescribed by the by-laws or determined by the Board of Directors. Any person may hold two or more officers.

XIII

Every person who now is or hereafter shall become a director of this Corporation shall be indemnified by the Corporation against all costs and expenses (including attorney's fees) hereafter reasonably incurred by or imposed upon him in connection with, or resulting from any action, suit or proceedings of whatever nature, to which he is or shall be made part by reason of his being or having been a Director of the Corporation whether or not he is a Director of the Corporation at the time he is made a party to such cost or expense is incurred by or imposed upon him.

However, an exception is made to the above in relation to matters as to which he shall finally be adjudged in such action, suit or proceedings, to have been derelict in the performance of the duties imposed upon him as such Director.

The right of indemnification herein provided shall not be exclusive of other rights to which any such person may now or hereafter be entitled as a matter of law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has made, sub-acknowledged these Articles of Incorporation this 10th day of February, 1997.

PRESIDENT

(SEAL)

VICE-PRESIDENT

(SEAL)

STATE OF FLORIDA

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COUNTY OF DADE

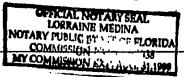
I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 10th day of February, 1997, personally appeared before me, an authorized officer duly commissioned to administer oaths and take acknowledgments,

to be well known and known to me to be the person(s) who executed the foregoing ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION and who acknowledged that it was signed and executed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Miami, Dade County, Florida, the day and year first above written.

NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF FLORIDA
- AT LARGE -

My Commission Expires:



CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE NAMING RESIDENT AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

In pursuance of Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted, in compliance with said Act:

THAT ELITE BEAUTY PRODUCTS CORP.

desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal office as indicated in the Certificate of Incorporation, at City of Miami, County of Dade, State of Florida, has named: ZAIRA ALVAREZ

LOCATED AT: 1530 SOUTHWEST 86TH COURT MIAMI, FLORIDA 33144

as its agent to accept service of process within this State.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT BY DESIGNATED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated Corporation, at the place designated in this Certificate, 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