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RE: Articles of Incorporation Spaulding Enterprises, Inc.

Dear Sirs:

Please find enclosed the original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation of Spaulding Enterprises, Inc. for filing in the records of the Secretary of State. Also enclosed is the requisite filing fee.

Thank you for your assistance in processing this form at your earliest convenience.

Very truly yours.

Roger S. Spugnardi

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

### SPAULDING ENTERPRISES, INC.

The undersigned does hereby certify his intention to form a corporation under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Florida, and further certifies:

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be: SPAULDING ENTERPRISES, INC.

ARTICLE II TERM OF EXISTENCE

The corporation is to exist perpetually.

## ARTICLE III NATURE OF BUSINESS

The general nature of the business or businesses to be transacted under this Certificate of Incorporation shall be:

To sell gasoline and general convenience items at the retail level and to engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United States and State of Florida and to carry out said purposes in any state, territory, district, or possession of the United States, or in any foreign country, to the extent that these purposes are not forbidden by the law of the state, territory, district, or possession of the United States, or by the foreign country.

### ARTICLE IV AUTHORIZED SHARES

- A. Number. The aggregate number of the shares that the corporation shall have the authority to issue is Ten Thousand (10,000) shares of Capital Stock with a par value of One Dollar (\$1.00) per share.
- B. Initial Issue. One Thousand (1,000) shares of the Capital Stock of the corporation shall be issued for cash at a value of One Dollar (\$1.00) per share.
- C. Stated Capital. The sum of the par value of all shares of Capital Stock of the corporation that have been issued shall be the stated capital of the corporation at any particular time.
- D. Dividends. The holder of the outstanding Capital Stock shall be entitled to receive, when and as declared by the Board of Directors, dividends payable either in cash, in property, or in shares of the Capital Stock of the corporation.
  - E. No Classes Of Stock. The shares of the corporation are not divided into classes.
  - F. No Share In Series. The corporation is not authorized to issue shares in series.

# ARTICLE V MAILING ADDRESS

The mailing address of the corporation is: 1374 Vizcaya Circle, Palm City, Florida 34990.

#### ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT

The corporation's initial registered office and initial registered agent at that address shall be:

Roger S. Spugnardi

1374 Vizcaya Circle Palm City, Florida 34990

## ARTICLE VII INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The initial Board of Directors of the corporation shall consist of three (3) members. Directors need not be residents of the State of Florida.

# ARTICLE VIII NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF INITIAL DIRECTORS

The names and addresses of the persons who shall serve as Directors until the first annual meeting of the shareholders, and until their successors shall have been elected and qualified, are as follows:

Timothy E. Bryan

631 S.W. Bay Pointe Circle Palm City, Florida 34990

David E. Bryan

691 S.W. Bay Pointe Circle Palm City, Florida 34990

Brian L. Datson

3406 White Mountain Highway Wakefield, New Hampshire 03872

### ARTICLE IX INCORPORATOR

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

Roger S. Spugnardi

1374 Vizcaya Circle Palm City, Florida 34990

# ARTICLE X AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law. Every proposed amendment to these Articles shall require the approval of the Board of Directors, whereupon it shall be proposed by the Board to the Stockholders, and, for adoption, shall require approval at a Stockholders' meeting by a majority of the stock entitled to vote thereon; unless all the Directors and all the Stockholders sign a written statement adopting the proposed amendment to these Articles of Incorporation.

#### ARTICLE XI **BYLAWS**

The Bylaws of the corporation shall be made, altered or rescinded by two-thirds (2/3rds) majority vote of the Directors of the corporation.

### ARTICLE XII PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS

The holders of the common stock of this corporation shall have preemptive rights to purchase, at prices, terms and conditions that shall be fixed by the Board of Directors, such of the shares of the stock of this corporation as may be issued for money, or any property or services from time to time, in addition to that stock authorized and issued by the corporation. The preemptive right of any holder is determined by the ratio of the authorized and issued shares of common stock held by the holder to all shares of common stock then currently authorized and issued.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has hereunto set his hand and seal and subscribed to these Articles of Incorporation at Stuart, Martin County, Florida, this 25<sup>5</sup> day of March, 1997.

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF MARTIN

OUNTY OF MARTIN
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this day of March, 1997, by Roger S. Spugnardi who is personally known to me and who did take oath. He subscribed the above Articles of Incorporation, and he did freely and voluntarily acknowledge before me according to law that he made and subscribed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.

Commission Ex

CHRISTINE M. BARTLETT MY COMMISSION # CC 626606 EXPIRES: March 4, 2001 Bonded Thru Notary Public Underwriters

### ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF REGISTERED AGENT

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

Roger S. Spugnardi, Registered Ag