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May 21, 1997

Secretary of State Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

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RE: JOHN C. HOFFMAN, INC.

DATE OF INCORPORATION: June 1, 1997

Gentlemen:

Articles of Incorporation for the above named proposed Florida corporation, and one copy, are enclosed for filing. Also enclosed a check in the amount of \$70.00, representing payment of the following:

> Filing Fees \$35.00

Registered Agent

Designation

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Please file the Articles of Incorporation and return a copy office in the enclosed return envelope.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

OF

JOHN C. HOFFMAN, INC.

I. CORPORATE NAME

The name of this corporation is:

JOHN C. HOFFMAN, INC.

II. PRINCIPAL OFFICE OR MAILING ADDRESS

The principal place of business and the mailing address of this corporation are:

520 S. Pinellas Avenue Tarpon Springs, FL 34689

III. NATURE OF BUSINESS AND POWERS.

The general nature of the business to be transacted by this Corporation is to engage in any and all business permitted under the laws of the State of Florida.

IV. CAPITAL STOCK.

The maximum number of shares of stock that this Corporation is authorized to issue and have outstanding at any one time is 7,500 shares of common stock.

V. TERM OF EXISTENCE.

This Corporation shall have perpetual existence, commencing on June 1, 1997.

VI. REGISTERED AGENT AND INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE.

The name and address of the initial Registered Agent of this Corporation are:

JOHN C. HOFFMAN 845 Bayshore Drive Tarpon Springs, FL 34689 The Board of Directors from time to time may move the Registered Office to any other address in the State of Florida.

VII. BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

This Corporation shall have one director initially. The number of directors may be increased or diminished from time to time by Bylaws adopted by the stockholders, but shall never be less than one.

VIII. INITIAL DIRECTORS.

The names of the initial director of this Corporation and his street address is:

JOHN C. HOFFMAN 845 Bayshore Drive Tarpon Springs, FL 34689

The person named as initial director shall hold office for the first year of existence of this Corporation or until successor is elected or appointed and has qualified, whichever occurs first.

IX. INCORPORATOR.

The name and street address of the person signing these Articles of Incorporation as the Incorporator is:

JOHN C. HOFFMAN 845 Bayshore Drive Tarpon Springs, FL 34689

X. AMENDMENT.

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law. Every amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors, proposed by them to the stockholders and approved at a stockholders' meeting by at least a majority of the stock entitled to vote, unless all of the directors and all of the stockholders sign a written statement manifesting their intention that a certain

amendment of these Articles of Incorporation be made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, as Incorporator, has executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation on this <u>10</u> day of May, 1997.

JOHN C. HOFFMAN Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PINELLAS

The foregoing Articles of Incorporation was acknowledged before me this odday of May, 1997, by John C. Hoffman, who is personally known to me or who has produced as identification.

A DALLAS JEAN WHEELER
Notary Public, State of Florida
My Comm. Expires June 28, 1999
No. CC 477050
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1-(800) 723-0121

NOTARY PUBLIC:

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CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS 97 MAY 27 PM 1:50 FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED ATTACKNESS OF ACTION OF A

In compliance with Sections 48.091 and 607.0501, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

That JOHN C. HOFFMAN, INC., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation, at 520 S. Pinellas Avenue, Pinellas County, Florida, has named JOHN C. HOFFMAN, located at 845 Bayshore Drive, Tarpon Springs, FL 34689, which is situate in Pinellas County, Florida, as its agent to accept service of process within this state.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Having been named as registered agent and designated to accept service of process for the above Corporation, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Date: MAY 10, 1997

OOHN C. HOFFMAN Registered Agent