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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF A & A AUTOMOTIVE MACHINING, INC.



ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this corporation is A & A AUTOMOTIVE MACHINING, INC.

ARTICLE II - DURATION

This Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

This corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any and all lawful business.

ARTICLE IV - CAPITAL STOCK

This Corporation is authorized to issue 7,500 shares of \$1.00 par value common stock.

ARTICLE V - PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS GRANTED

Each shareholder of any class of stock of this Corporation shall be entitled to full preemptive rights to purchase any unissued or treasury shares of the Corporation and any securities of the Corporation convertible into or carrying a right to subscribe to or acquire any unissued or treasury shares.

ARTICLE VI - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT DESIGNATION AND ACCEPTANCE

The name of the initial registered agent of this Corporation is J. WARREN BULLARD whose post office mailing address and street address are 121 N.W. Third Street, Ocala, FL 34475, who has signed these Articles of Incorporation to

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indicate his acceptance and agreement to act in this capacity as contemplated by §607.0501, Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE VII - THE INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Corporation shall have two (2) directors initially. The number of directors may be increased from time to time by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than one. The names and addresses of the initial directors of this Corporation are:

Robert C. Nix 32 N.E. 8th Street Ocala, FL 34470 Hilda H. Nix 32 N.E. 8th Street Ocala, FL 34470

ARTICLE VIII - INITIAL PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS

The initial address of the Corporation's principal office is: 32 N.E. 8th Street, Ocala, FL 34470, and the mailing address of the Corporation is: 32 N.E. 8th Street, Ocala, FL 34470.

ARTICLE IX - SUBSCRIBERS AND INCORPORATORS

The name and address of the initial subscriber to the corporation's stock and the person signing as the incorporator of A & A AUTOMOTIVE MACHINING, INC. is as follows:

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ROBERT C. NIX

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BEFORE Me, a notary public authorized to take acknowledgements in the State and County set forth above, personally appeared ROBERT C. NIX, who produced as identification a <u>Florida Driver's License</u>, and who is known by me to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and he acknowledged before me that he executed said Articles of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal, in the State and County aforesaid this <a href="https://linear.com/linear.co

My commission expires:

Notary Public State of Florida

Ann E. Maren

Notary Public, State of Florida
Commission No. CC 596649

My Commission Exp. 11/20/2000

Bonded Through Fla. Notary Service & Bonding Co.

Ann E. Maren
Printed Name of Notary

ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned hereby accepts the appointment as Registered Agent of A & A AUTOMOTIVE MACHINING, INC., which is contained in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation.

Dated this 10th day of June, 1997.

J. WARREN BULLARD Registered Agent

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