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Secretary of State  
Division of Corporations  
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RE: APL SCIENCES, INC.

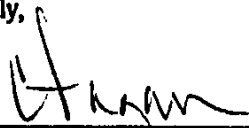
Gentlemen:

Please find the original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation for the above-referenced corporation, as well as our check in the amount of \$122.50 representing the following:

Filing Fee	\$ 35.00
Certificate Designating Resident Agent	35.00
Certified Copy of Articles of Incorporation	52.50

After filing the original Articles of Incorporation, please certify the enclosed copy and return same to this office.

Sincerely,



Carrie Fagan, Legal Assistant  
to Bruce Brashear, Esq.

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EFFECTIVE DATE

12/10/97

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
APL SCIENCES, INC.

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Article I

*Name.* The name of this Corporation is APL SCIENCES, INC.

Article II

*Principal Office.* The address of the principal office of the Corporation is 3610 NW 42<sup>nd</sup> Terrace, Gainesville, FL 32606.

Article III

*Duration.* The period of duration of this Corporation shall be perpetual, commencing on the date of execution and acknowledgment of these articles.

Article IV

*Purpose.* The purpose of this Corporation is to engage in any activities or businesses permitted under the laws of the United States and under the Florida General Corporation Act including, but not limiting the acquisition of life insurance bonds, debentures, commodities, leaseholds, options, puts and calls, easements, mortgages, notes, mutual funds, investment trusts, common trust funds, voting trust certificates, and any class of stock or right to subscribe for stock, including trading on margin.

Article V

*Capital Stock.* This Corporation is authorized to issue 1,000 shares of \$.01 par value common stock.

Article VI

*By-Laws.* The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal By-Laws shall be vested in the Board of Directors and Shareholders.

Article VII

*Initial Registered Office and Agent.* The street address of the initial registered office of this Corporation is 3610 NW 42<sup>nd</sup> Terrace, Gainesville, FL 32606, and the name of the initial registered agent of this Corporation is LecAnn Applewhite.

Article VIII

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

John Applewhite  
3610 NW 42<sup>nd</sup> Terrace  
Gainesville, FL 32606

LeeAnn Applewhite  
3610 NW 42<sup>nd</sup> Terrace  
Gainesville, FL 32606

Article IX

*Incorporator.* The name and address of the person signing these Articles is LeeAnn Applewhite,  
3610 NW 42<sup>nd</sup> Terrace, Gainesville, FL 32606.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Incorporator has executed these Articles of  
Incorporation this 10 day of June, 1997.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
LEEANN APPLEWHITE  
Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF ALACHUA

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 10th day of  
June, 1997, by LeeAnn Applewhite, who is personally known to me ~~or who has~~  
~~provided Florida Driver License~~ as identification, and who says  
that he is Incorporator of these Articles of Incorporation and as such Incorporator verifies that all  
statements and information contained herein are true and correct.

DATED this 10th day of June, 1997.

(SEAL)

  
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Notary Public




Carrie P. Fagan  
MY COMMISSION # 00807298 EXPIRES  
January 8, 2001  
BONDED THRU TROY FARM INSURANCE, INC.

Printed Name  
My Commission Expires:

**ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT**

The undersigned hereby accepts the appointment as Registered Agent of APL SCIENCES, INC., which is contained in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation.

DATED this 10 day of June, 1997.

  
**LEEANN APPLEWHITE**  
Registered Agent

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