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SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

EXPERT SOD COMPANY, INC.

I, the undersigned natural person and resident of the State of Florida, acting as the sole incorporator of a corporation under the Florida General Corporation Act, hereby certify and adopt the following Articles of Incorporation.

I.

The name of the corporation is Expert Sod Company, Inc. The principal place of business of this corporation shall

310 Industrial Loop LaBelle, Florida 33935

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The period of its duration is perpetual.

be:

The purposes of the corporation are:

1. To establish and maintain a company for the sale and installation of wholesale sod.

III.

2. To engage in the transaction of any or all lawful business permitted under the laws of the State of Florida.

IV.

The aggregate number of shares which the corporation shall have authority to issue is Two Thousand (2,000) with a par value of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) each for a total capitalization of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00). One class of stock shall be issued and it shall be designated as common stock.

v.

The registered agent appointed by the corporation shall be:

Charles F. Carbiener, Jr. Attorney at Law 5245 Big Pine Way, Suite 103 Fort Myers, Florida 33907

The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors is one (1), and the name and street address of the person who is to serve as the director thereof is as follows:

VI.

Name: Terrell Skipper Address: P. O. Box 2798 LaBelle, Florida 33975 The name and street address of the sole incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation is as follows:

VII.

Name: Terrell Skipper Address: P. O. Box 2798 LaBelle, Florida 33975

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, as sole incorporator of this corporation, has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 14th day of July, 1997.

Terrell Skipper, Incorporator

NOTARY STATEMENT

STATE OF FLORIDA)

COUNTY OF LEE)

I, HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day, before me, a Notary Public authorized in the State and County named above to take acknowledgements, personally appeared Terrell Skipper of Expert Sod Company, Inc., to me known to be the person described as the subscriber in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and acknowledged before me that he subscribed to those Articles of Incorporation.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State named above this 14th day of July, 1997.

Geraldine E. Carbiener NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Florida Commission No. CC371727

My commission expires: 7-18-98.



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CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING REGISTERED AGENT AND REGISTERED OFFICE

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 607.325 of the Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered office and the registered agent, in the State of Florida.

1. The name of the corporation is Expert Sod Company, Inc.

2. The street address of the principal office is as follows:

310 Industrial Loop LaBelle, Florida 33935

3. The name, street address and telephone number of the registered agent are as follows: $\overrightarrow{P}_{\text{LC}}^{\text{SC}}$

Registered Agent: Street Address: Telephone Number:

Charles F. Carbiener, Jr. SSEL Attorney at Law 5245 Big Pine Way, Suite 103 Fort Myers, Florida 3390708 (813) 936-3883

Terrell Skipper, President

HAVING BEEN NAMED TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION, AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY, AND I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATIVE TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF MY DUTIES, AND I ACCEPT THE DUTIES AND OBLIGATIONS OF SECTION 607.325 OF THE FLORIDA STATUTES.

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Charles F. Carbiener, Jr.

DATED: July 14, 1997