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Division of Corporations  
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**SUBJECT:** HOOKS AND RIGGING, INC.  
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for :

☐ \$70.00  
Filing Fee

☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certificate

☒ \$122.50  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

☐ \$131.25  
Filing Fee,  
Certified Copy  
& Certificate

**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM:** Charles E. Merkel  
Name (Printed or typed)

2449 Harn Blvd  
Address

Clearwater, Fl 34624  
City, State & Zip

(813) 531-6032  
Daytime Telephone number

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**NOTE:** Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

*The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation.*

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### **ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be:

HOOKS AND RIGGING, INC.

### **ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

2449 Harn Blvd  
Clearwater, Fl 34624

### **ARTICLE III SHARES**

The number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is: 500

### **ARTICLE IV INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

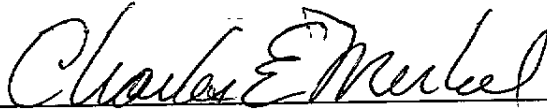
The name and Florida street address of the initial registered agent are:

Charles E. Merkel  
2449 Harn Blvd  
Clearwater, Fl 34624

### **ARTICLE V INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation are:

Charles E. Merkel  
2449 Harn Blvd  
Clearwater, Fl 34624



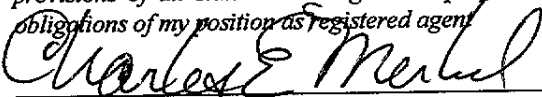
Signature/Incorporator

10-31-97

Date

(An additional article must be added if an effective date is requested.)

*Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, 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.*



Signature/Registered Agent

10-31-97

Date