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April 28, 1998

VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS NO. 801423598459

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Department of State Division of Corporations 409 E. Gains Street Tallahassee, FL 32301

> Re: KIRKLAND & ABSHIER, INC.

Enclosed please find an original and two (2) copies of the Articles of Incorporation for the above corporation, together with a check in the amount of \$122.50 for payment as follows:

> \$ 35.00 Filing Fee Certified Copy 52.50 Registered Agent Designation 35.00

> TOTAL \$122.50

Upon your approval, please certify a copy of these Articles of Incorporation and return it to my office.

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Enclosures

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Benjamin H. Ayres

Sincerely,



ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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KIRKLAND & ABSHIER, INC.

ARTICLE I: NAME

The name of this Corporation is KIRKLAND & ABSHIER, INC.

ARTICLE II: PURPOSE

The general nature of the objects and purposes of this Corporation shall be to engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United States and of this State.

ARTICLE III: CAPITAL STOCK

The amount of the capital stock for which this Corporation is authorized to issue is 1000 shares of \$1.00 par value common stock.

ARTICLE IV: INITIAL CAPITAL

The amount of capital with which this Corporation will begin business is \$1,000.00 (One Thousand Dollars).

ARTICLE V: TERM OF EXISTENCE

This Corporation shall have perpetual existence unless sooner dissolved according to law, effective upon approval by the Secretary of State of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE VI

The name and residence of the subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation is as follows:

NAME ADDRESS

BARRY KIRKLAND P.O. Box 821

Belleview, FL 34421

LANNY ABSHIER P. O. Box 2915

Belleview, FL 34421

ARTICLE VII: BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 1: The business affairs of this Corporation shall be managed by the Board of Directors. This Corporation shall have two Directors initially. The number of Directors may be increased or decreased from time to time, by the By-Laws.

Section 2: The Board of Directors shall be members of the Corporation.

Section 3: Members of the Board of Directors shall be elected and hold office in accordance with the By-Laws.

Section 4: The name and address of the persons who are to serve as Director are:

NAME ADDRESS

BARRY KIRKLAND P.O. Box 821

Belleview, FL 34421

LANNY ABSHIER P.O. Box 2915

Belleview, FL 34421

ARTICLE VIII: BY-LAWS

Section 1: The Board of Directors of this Corporation may provide such By-Laws for the conduct of the business of the Corporation and the carrying out of it's purposes as they may deem necessary from time to time.

Section 2: Upon proper notice, the By-Laws may be amended, altered or rescinded by a three-fourths (3/4) vote of those members of the Board of Directors present at any regular meeting or any special meeting called for that purpose.

ARTICLE IX: INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT

The street address of the initial principal office of this Corporation is 201 N. Magnolia Avenue, Ocala, FL 34475, and the name of the initial registered agent of this Corporation is BENJAMIN H. AYRES, 201 N. Magnolia Avenue, Ocala, FL 34475.

ARTICLE X: EFFECTIVE DATE

These Articles of Incorporation shall be effective upon approval by the Secretary of State of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE XI: AMENDMENTS

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended at a special meeting of the membership called for that purpose, by a majority vote of those present, after notice in writing of the exact wording of the proposed amendment at two regularly scheduled meetings.

ARTICLE XII: DISSOLUTION

In the event of dissolution, the assets of the Corporation shall be distributed to the stockholders.

IN	WITNESS	WHEREOF,	we, the	undersigned	subscribing	incorporators,	have
hereunto se	t our hands	and seals, this	<u>28</u> day	of April, 199	98, for the pu	rpose of formin	ıg this
Corporation	n.		$\frac{1}{B_A}$	Sawy /4 ARRY KIRKI	uhld AND, Incorp	porator	
STATE OF	FLORIDA		L	O MANNY ABSH	JER, Incorpo	rator	

COUNTY OF MARION

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public duly authorized in the state and county above named to take acknowledgments, personally appeared BARRY KIRKLAND and LANNY ABSHIER, who,

Are personally known to me.
Produced the following identification:
BARRY KIRKLAND: No. K624-442-46-311-6
Fla. Driver's Lie LANNY ABSHIER: No. A126-538-66-084-0
LANNY ABSHIER: No. A126-538-66-084-0

and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and they acknowledged before me that they executed and subscribed to these Articles of Incorporation.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State named above this 28^{+1} day of April, 1998.

Notary Public

Printed Name:

My commission expires:

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PATTI A. NAMETH TY COMMISSION # CC384641 EXPIRES July 26, 1998 BONDED THRU TROY FAIN INSURANCE, INC.

CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED.

Pursuant to Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted, in compliance with said Act.

KIRKLAND & ABSHIER, INC., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with it's principal office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation, at the City of CHIEFLAND, County of LEVY, State of FLORIDA, has named BENJAMIN H. AYRES, located at 201 N. Magnolia Avenue, Ocala, FL 34475, as it's agent to accept service of process within this state.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated Corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provision of said Act relative to keeping open said office.

BENJAMIN H. AYRES

Resident Agent

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