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RE: EMERALD COAST WATER, INC.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find the original and one copy each of the Articles of Incorporation and Registered Agent form for filing regarding the above-referenced matter. Please file and return a certified copy to this office.

Also enclosed please find my check in the sum of \$122.50 which represents the following:

Filing fee Certified copies Registered agent \$ 35.00 52.50 35.00

Thank you for your assistance and cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

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MICHAEL Wm MEAD

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Enclosures: a/s





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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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OF

EMERALD COAST WATER, INC.

The undersigned subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation, being natural persons, competent to contract, do hereby form a corporation for profit under the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I. Name

The name of this corporation is: EMERALD COAST WATER, INC.

<u>ARTICLE II.</u> <u>Nature of Business</u>

The general nature of the business or businesses to be transacted by this corporation is the following: To do any and all acts authorized by the general laws of the State of Florida regardless of said principal purpose.

<u>ARTICLE III.</u> Term of <u>Existence</u>

The term of existence of the corporation shall be perpetual.

<u>ARTICLE IV.</u> Capital Stock

The maximum number of shares that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is ONE THOUSAND (1,000) SHARES having a nominal or par value of \$1.00 per share.

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ARTICLE V. Address

The principal place of business of this corporation shall be 107 Dana Pointe, Niceville, Florida 32578 however, the business shall also be conducted at such other places, such other counties, and such other towns or cities within the State of Florida as may from time to time be authorized and directed by the shareholders.

ARTICLE VI. Amendment

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law. Every Amendment shall be approved at a stockholder's meeting by the majority of the stockholders entitled to vote thereon.

ARTICLE VII. Management of Corporation Affairs

The business of this corporation shall be managed by its stockholders rather than by a Board of Directors. In the management of the business of the corporation, the act of the stockholders representing a majority of the outstanding shares of the corporation entitled to vote, represented in person or proxy, shall be the act of the stockholders. Each stockholder shall be entitled to one (1) vote in person or by proxy for each share of voting stock held by him. A majority of the outstanding shares of the corporation entitled to vote, present in person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum at any meeting of the stockholders for the management of the business of the corporation.

ARTICLE VIII. Officers

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The names and addresses of the President, Secretary, and Treasurer are:

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Name	<u>Address</u>	Office
Jeffrey P. Curtis	107 Dana Pointe Niceville, FL 32578	President
David Connart	94 Trista Terrace Ct. Destin, FL 32541	Secretary & Treasurer

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ARTICLE IX. Subscribers

The names and addresses of the subscribers of these Articles of Incorporation and the number of shares they agree to take are as follows:

Jeffrey P. Curtis 107 Dana Pointe 501 shares Niceville, FL 32578 David Connart 94 Trista Terrace Ct. 499 shares Destin, FL 32541

ARTICLE X. Registered Agent

The Registered Agent of the corporation shall be JEFFREY P. CURTIS, and the street address of the office, place of business or location for the service of process within this State shall be: 107 Dana Pointe, Niceville, FL 32578.

ARTICLE XI. Incorporators

The names and addresss of the incorporators to these Articles of Incorporation are:

Jeffrey P. Curtis	107 Dana Pointe Niceville, FL 32578	
David Connart	94 Trista Terrace Ct. Destin, FL 32541	

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have hereunto executed these presents this 10^{4} day of September, 1998. Curtis P/. Jøff eł David Connart STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF OKALOOSA The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 16th day of September, 1998 by JEFFREY P. CURTIS who is personally known to me. OFFICIAL NOTARY SEAL BEVERLY J GARREIT NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF FLORIDA COMMISSION NO. CC744313 Notary Public MY COMMISSION EXP. JUNE 15,2002 My Commission Expires: STATE OF FLORIDA . . COUNTY OF OKALOOSA The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 164 day of September, 1998 by DAVID CONNART who is personally known to me. verly X Garres OFFICIAL NOTARY SEAL BEVERLYIGARRETT NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF FLORIDA Notary Public COMMISSION NO. CC744313 My Commission Expires: MY COMMISSION EXP. JUNE 15,2002 CORP\ECWater.Articles MWM/bjg MICHAEL WM MEAD ATTORNEY AT LAW 24 WALTER MARTIN ROAD P. O, DRAWER 1329 FORT WALTON BEACH. FLORIDA 32549-1329 4

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STATE OF FLORIDA

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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

In pursuance of Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted, in compliance with said Act:

FIRST:

EMERALD COAST WATER, INC., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at 107 Dana Pointe, Niceville, Okaloosa County, Florida 32578 has named JEFFREY P. CURTIS, located at 107 Dana Pointe, Niceville, Okaloosa County, Florida 32578, as its agent to accept service of process within this State.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

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

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