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Florida Dept. of State Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314 **EFFECTIVE DATE** 

Re Vehicle Recovery Systems of Florida, Inc., Starfish Investments, Inc., The Gray Company of Ocala, Inc.

Dear Sirs:

Please find enclosed a check for the required filing fees for the Articles of Incorporation regarding the above captioned clients.

Please send any correspondence to the above address.

Sincerely,

Daniel L. Prewett, Ph.D.

by: Kristine Page

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SECRETARY OF STATE
DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS

## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

Vehicle Recovery Systems of Florida, Inc.

The undersigned natural person(s), of the age of 21 or more, acting to form a corporation under the Chapter 607 of the Florida Corporate Code do hereby certify the following:

FIRST: The name of the corporation shall be Vehicle Recovery Systems of Florida, Inc.

SECOND: The address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 5777 Beneva Road South, Sarasota FL 34233, County of Sarasota. The name of the registered agent located at said address is Daniel L. Prewett.

THIRD: The principal address of the corporation is

EFFECTIVE DATE

1006 U.S. Highway 92 West, Auburndale, FL 33823

FOURTH: The purpose for which this corporation is organized shall be to engage in the business of vehicle recovery / towing. The corporation may engage in any other transaction or business permitted under the laws of the United States and of this State.

FIFTH: The total authorized stock of this corporation is divided into 1000 shares of no par value.

SIXTH: The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors is one, and the name(s) and address(es) who will serve as directors until the first annual meeting of shareholders or until their successors are as follows:

Peter Byra 1006 U.S. Highway 92 West, Auburndale, FL 33823

SEVENTH: The duration of the corporation is perpetual.

EIGHTH: The name(s) and address(es) of the person who is to act as incorporator(s) are as follows:

NINTH: The effective date of Incorporation shall be January 1, 1999.

Daniel L. Prewett 5777 Beneva Road South, Sarasota FL 34233

We(I), the undersigned, being all the incorporators of the corporation identified above, declare that we have examined the foregoing this 21 day of December, 1998.

State of Florida

County of Sarasota

THE FOREGOING interconnective and sworn to before me this 21 day of December, 1998 by

Daniel L. Prewett

Kristine Page

Notary Public, State of Florida

Commission No. CC 678378

My Commission Exp. 09/08/2001

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STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

The following is submitted, in compliance with Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutës:

I agree as Resident Agent to accept Service of Process; to keep an office open during prescribed hours, to post my name (and any other officers of said corporation authorized to accept service of process at the above Florida designated address) in some conspicuous place in the office as required by Law.

Daniel L. Prewett, Registered Agent