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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
THE SOUTHERN COMPANY

The undersigned incorporator hereby forms a corporation under Chapter 607 of the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

THE SOUTHERN COMPANY

The address of the principal office of this corporation 269 Northwest 9th Street, P.O. Box 1177, Okeechobee, Florida 34973 and the mailing address of the corporation shall be the same.

ARTICLE II. NATURE OF BUSINESS

This corporation may engage or transact in any or all lawful activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States, the State of Florida or any other state, country, territory or nation.

ARTICLE III. CAPITAL STOCK

The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is 1,000 shares of common stock having \$1.00 par value per share.

ARTICLE IV. REGISTERED AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation shall be 1201 Hays Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, and the name of the initial registered agent of the corporation at that address is Corporation Service Company.

ARTICLE V. TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation is to exist perpetually.

ARTICLE VI. OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have one officer and one director, initially. The name and street address of the initial officer and director who shall hold office for the first year of the corporation, or until his successor is elected or appointed is:

Edwin E. Walpole III	269 Northwest 9th Street, P.O. Box 1177,
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ARTICLE VII. INCORPORATOR

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

Corporation Service Company  
1201 Hays Street  
Tallahassee, Florida 32301

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned agent of  
Corporation Service Company, has hereunto set their hand  
and seal of Corporation Service Company, on March 10, 1999.

CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY

By: Karen B. Rozar

Its Agent, Karen B. Rozar

ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT DESIGNATED  
IN ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Corporation Service Company, a Florida corporation  
to transact business in this State, having a business office  
identical with the registered office of the corporation named  
above, and having been designated as the Registered Agent in the  
above and foregoing Articles, is familiar with and accepts the  
obligations of the position of Registered Agent under Section  
607.0505, Florida Statutes.

CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY

By: Karen B. Rozar

Its Agent, Karen B. Rozar

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