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Subject: *The Beef Jerky Outlet of Charlotte County, Inc.*

EFFECTIVE DATE  
5/1/99

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy each of the Articles of Incorporation, and Certificate of Designation Registered Agent/Registered Office.

Pursuant to Section 607.0123 Florida Statutes, effective date of said Corporation shall be May 1, 1999.

Enclosed also is a check in the amount of \$70.00 for the following:

- Filing of the two (2) above mentioned documents \$70.00

Sincerely,



Dorothy M. Bennett  
Registered Agent  
212 W. Virginia Ave., Suite 112  
Punta Gorda, FL 33950  
(941) 630-1142

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***Articles of Incorporation***  
***of***  
***The Beef Jerky Outlet of Charlotte County, Inc.***

EFFECTIVE DATE  
5/1/99

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

Pursuant to Section 607.0123 Florida Statutes, effective date of said Corporation shall be 12:01 a.m., May 1, 1999.

**ARTICLE I - Name**

The name of the Corporation shall be:

The Beef Jerky Outlet of Charlotte County, Inc.

The address of the principal office of this corporation shall be:

1900 Tamiami Trail Unit 112  
Port Charlotte, Florida 33948-2164

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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 (One Thousand) shares of common stock having \$1.00 par value per share.

#### **ARTICLE IV - Initial Registered Agent and Street Address**

The name of the initial registered agent of the corporation is:

Dorothy M. Bennett

and the street address of the initial registered office of the corporation shall be:

212 West Virginia Avenue, Suite 112  
Punta Gorda, Florida 33950

#### **ARTICLE V - Term of Existence**

Pursuant to Section 607.0123 Florida Statutes, effective date of said Corporation shall be 12:01 a.m., May 1, 1999.

This corporation is to exist perpetually.

#### **ARTICLE VI - Incorporator(s)**

The name and street address of the incorporator(s) to these Articles of Incorporation is:

Ronald E. Scribner, Jr.  
2410 Sunninglow  
Port Charlotte, Florida 33948

#### **ARTICLE VII - Initial Directors**

The initial directors' names and addresses for the corporation:

##### **Director(s)**

Ronald E. Scribner, Jr.  
2410 Sunninglow  
Port Charlotte, Florida 33948

Ronald E. Scribner, Sr.  
1035 Via Formia  
Punta Gorda, Florida 33950

**President**

Ronald E. Scribner, Jr.  
2410 Sunninglow  
Port Charlotte, Florida 33948

**Vice President**

Ann Beverley Scribner  
1035 Via Formia  
Punta Gorda, Florida 33950

**Secretary/Treasurer**


Ronald E. Scribner, Sr.  
1035 Via Formia  
Punta Gorda, Florida 33950

**ARTICLE VIII - Purpose of the Corporation**

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 IX - Management and Regulations**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 1999.

  
Ronald E. Scribner, Jr.

**CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION**  
**REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE**

Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 607.0501 or 617.0501, Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designation the registered agent/registered office, in the State of Florida.

1. The name of the corporation is:


*The Beef Jerky Outlet of Charlotte County, Inc.*

2. The name, address and phone number of the registered agent and office is:

Dorothy M. Bennett  
212 West Virginia Avenue, Suite 112  
Punta Gorda, Florida 33950  
(941) 639-1142

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.

Date: April 23, 1999

  
Dorothy M. Bennett

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