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NAME: GULF COAST RESTAURANTS, INC.

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XX ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

XX CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

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ARTICLE I

NAME

The name of this corporation shall be GULF COAST RESTAURANTS, INC., hereinafter referred to as the corporation.

ARTICLE II

DURATION

The corporation shall exist perpetually, commencing upon the filing of the Articles of Incorporation with the Florida Department of State.

ARTICLE III

PURPOSE

The corporation is organized for the purpose of conducting retail food sales and conducting all lawful business not inconsistent with the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE IV

CAPITAL STOCK

The corporation is authorized to issue one thousand (1,000) shares of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) par value common stock.

ARTICLE V

PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS

Every shareholder, upon the sale for cash of any new stock of the corporation of the same kind, class, or series as that which he or she already holds, shall have the right to purchase his

or her pro rata share thereof (as nearly as may be done without issuance of fractional shares) at the price at which it is offered to others.

#### **ARTICLE VI**

##### **PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS**

The street address of the principal office of the corporation is 821 Bayshore Drive, Niceville, Florida 32578, and the mailing address of the corporation is 2009 Jessica Way, Navarre, Florida 32566-2947.

#### **ARTICLE VII**

##### **INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT**

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 821 Bayshore Drive, Niceville, Florida 32578, and the initial registered agent of the corporation at that address is ROBERT G. HEFT, III.

#### **ARTICLE VIII**

##### **INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The corporation shall have two (2) directors initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the By-Laws but shall never be less than one. The names and addresses of the initial directors of the corporation are:

HUGH KENDRICK PARMER, III	4029 Drifting Sand Trail Destin FL 32541
ROBERT G. HEFT, III	2009 Jessica Way Navarre FL 32566-2947

**ARTICLE IX**

**INCORPORATORS**

The name and address of the person signing these Articles of Incorporation is:

ROBERT G. HEFT, III

2009 Jessica Way  
Navarre FL 32566-2947

**ARTICLE X**

**BY-LAWS**

The power to adopt, alter, amend, or repeal the By-Laws shall be vested in the Board of Directors and the shareholders.

**ARTICLE XI**

**SECTION 1244 STOCK**

It is the intent of this charter that the Directors may sell the capital stock of the corporation in accordance with the conditions of Sections 1242-1244, inclusive, of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1999.

  
ROBERT G. HEFT, III

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF OKALOOSA

THE FOREGOING INSTRUMENT was acknowledged before me this 13<sup>th</sup>  
day of July, 1999, by ROBERT G. HEFT, III, who is personally known  
to me or who has produced FL Drivers License as  
identification.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July,  
1999.

Marcia Saranpa  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
My commission expires:



Marcia Saranpa  
MY COMMISSION # CC737890 EXPIRES  
June 19, 2002  
BONDED THRU TROY FAIN INSURANCE, INC.

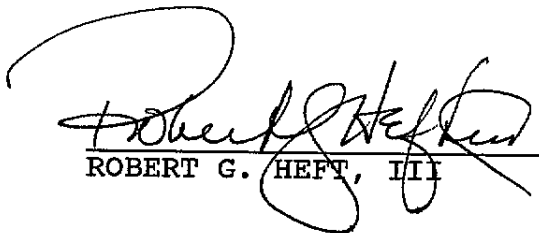
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**ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT**

SECRETARY OF STATE  
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ROBERT G. HEFT, III, named as Registered Agent in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, accepts the appointment as Registered Agent and acknowledges that he is familiar with, and accepts, the obligations provided for in § 607.0505 Fla. Stat. (1997).

  
ROBERT G. HEFT, III