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November 9, 1999

Secretary of State Division of Corporations 409 E. Gaines St. Tallahassee, FL 32399

RE: The Dollar Store at Palm Lakes, Inc. 7240 W. Atlantic Blvd. Margate, FL 33063 99 NOV 23 AM 9: 2 SECRETARY OF STAR

Dear Sir\Madam:

Enclosed please find the original and one copy of Articles of No. 200.

This represents the cost of the filing fees and fee for registered agent designation for the above named corporation.

Very Truly Youns,

Harry J. Schluchter

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

FOR

THE DOLLAR STORE AT PALM LAKES, INC.

The effective date of this corporation is 1\1\2000

The undersigned subscriber(s) to these Articles of Incorporation, natural person(s) competent to contract, hereby form a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

Article I - Corporate Name

The name of the corporation is:

THE DOLLAR STORE AT PALM LAKES, INC.

Principle Address:

7240 W. Atlantic Blvd. Margate, FL 33063

Article II - Duration

This corporation shall exist perpetually unless dissolved according to Florida law.

Article III - Purpose

This corporation is organized for the purpose of engaging in any activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States and the State of Florida.

Article IV - Capital Stock

The corporation is authorized to issue five hundred shares (500) of one dollar (\$1.00) par value Common Stock which shall be designated "Common Stock."

Article V - Initial Registered Office and Agent

The name and street address of the Initial Registered Agent of this Corporation is

Matthew Mendes 9150 NW 38th Drive #302 Coral Springs, FL 33065

Article VI - Initial Board of Directors

This corporation shall have one(1) director(s) 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(1). The names and addresses of the initial directors of the corporation are as follows:

Matthew Mendes 9150 NW 38th Drive #302 Coral Springs, FL 33065

Article VII - Incorporators

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

Matthew Mendes 9150 NW 38th Drive #302 Coral Springs, FL 33065

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber(s) have executed these Articles of Incorporation this 15 day of November 19 99.

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF BROWARD

before me, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgements in the State and County set forth above, personally appeared Matthew Mendes known to me and known to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and who acknowledged before me that he\she executed these Articles of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my hand and seal, in the State and County aforesaid, this /5 day of Mavender , 19 99.

personally known

LARRY J. SCHLUCHTER MY COMMISSION # CC 801669 EXPIRES: 01/12/2003 800-3-NOTARY Fla Notary Services & Bonding Co

CERTIFICATE AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

OF REGISTERED AGENT

Certificate of Registered Agent

The Dollar Store at Palm Lakes, Inc. 7240 W. Atlantic Blvd.
Margate, FL 33068

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SECRETARY OF STATE
AHASSEE, FLORIDA

Pursuant to Florida Statutes Sections 48.091 and 607.034, the following is submitted:

The above corporation, desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its registered office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at

9150 NW 38th Drive #302 Coral Springs, FL 33065

has named *Matthew Mendes* located at the aforesaid address, as its Registered Agent to accept service of process within this state.

Acknowledgement

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

Registered Agent

This document was prepared by:

LJS Associates, Inc. 7344 W. Atlantic Blvd. Margate, FL 33063