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RON A. RHOADES, ESQ  
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2428 North Essex Avenue

Hernando, FL 34442

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NAME: BRET'S BLOCK AND CONCRETE,  
INC.

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XX ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
       CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
**OF**  
**BRET'S BLOCK AND CONCRETE, INC.**

The undersigned, acting as the incorporator of BRET'S BLOCK AND CONCRETE, INC. under the Florida Business Corporation Act, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

**ARTICLE I. NAME OF CORPORATION**

The name of the Corporation is BRET'S BLOCK AND CONCRETE, INC..

**ARTICLE II. PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS**

The principal office of the corporation shall be located at, and its mailing address shall be, initially, as follows: 5771 South Hills Point, Lecanto, FL 34461.

**ARTICLE III. COMMENCEMENT OF EXISTENCE**

The existence of the corporation will commence on the date of filing these Articles of Incorporation.

**ARTICLE IV. AUTHORIZED SHARES**

The maximum number of shares that the corporations authorized to have outstanding at any time is SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (7,500) shares of common stock, having a par value of \$1.00 per share.

## **ARTICLE V. PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS**

Each holder of common stock of this corporation shall have the first right to purchase shares of common stock of this corporation that from time to time may be issued, whether or not presently authorized, in the ratio that the number of shares of common stock held at the time of the issue bears to the total number of shares of common stock outstanding. This right is waived by any holder of common stock who does not exercise it and pay for the stock preempted within thirty (30) days of his receipt of a written notice from the corporation inviting him to exercise the right. A holder of common stock shall not have, solely because of his holdings of common stock, a right to purchase shares of preferred stock that may be issued. A holder of preferred stock shall not have, solely because of his holdings of preferred stock, a right to purchase shares of any class that may be issued by the corporation.

## **ARTICLE VI. CUMULATIVE VOTING**

Every shareholder having the right to vote at a meeting of shareholders shall be entitled, in any election of directors, to that number of votes equal to the number of shares held by that shareholder multiplied by the number of directors to be elected, and each shareholder may either cast all those votes for a single candidate or distribute them among any two or more of the candidates. In voting on all other proposals, each shareholder having the right to vote shall be entitled to one vote for each share of voting stock held.

## **ARTICLE VII. INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT**

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 2428 North Essex Avenue, Hernando, Florida 34442, and the name of the corporation's initial registered agent at that address is RON A. RHOADES.

## **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, as provided in the bylaws, but never shall be less than one. The names and addresses of the initial directors are:

Name  
BRET ALAN SCHOETTNER

Address  
5771 South Hills Point  
Lecanto, FL 34461

KATRINA STEGMANN

5771 South Hills Point  
Lecanto, FL 34461

## **ARTICLE IX. INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the incorporator is as follows:

RON A. RHOADES  
2428 North Essex Avenue  
Hernando, FL 34442

The incorporator of the corporation assigns to this corporation his rights under Section 607.161, Florida Statutes, to constitute a corporation, and assigns to those persons designated by the Board of Directors any rights he may have as an incorporator to acquire any of the capital stock of this corporation, assignment becoming effective on the date corporate existence begins.

## **ARTICLE X. BYLAWS**

The power to adopt, alter, amend, or repeal bylaws shall be vested in the Board of Directors and also in the shareholders, except that the Board of Directors may not amend or repeal any bylaw adopted by the shareholders if the shareholders specifically provide that the bylaw is not subject to amendment or repeal by the Board of Directors.

## **ARTICLE XI. AMENDMENTS**

The corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change, or repeal any provisions in these Articles of Incorporation in the manner prescribed by law, and all rights conferred on shareholders are subject to this reservation. These Articles may be amended prior to the issuance of shares of the corporation by the unanimous approval or consent of the Board of Directors. Thereafter, every amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors, proposed by them to the shareholders, and approved at a shareholders' meeting by the holders of a majority of the shares entitled to vote on the matter or in such other manner as may be provided by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation at Hernando, Florida, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1999.



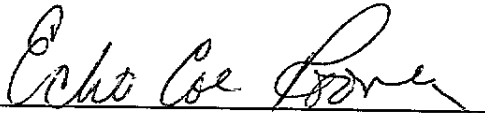
RON A. RHOADES

## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF CITRUS

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared RON A. RHOADES who is to me well known to be the person described and who subscribed the above Articles of Incorporation, and he did freely and voluntarily acknowledge before me according to law that he made and subscribed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal, at Hernando in said County and State this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1999.



Echo Coe Rooney, Notary Public, State of Florida  
My Commission Expires: 11/18/01  
Commission Number: CC695913



Echo Coe Rooney  
MY COMMISSION # CC695913 EXPIRES  
November 18, 2001

**CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR  
THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON  
WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED**

**BRET'S BLOCK AND CONCRETE, INC.**

Pursuant to Section 607.0501, Florida Statutes (1990), BRET'S BLOCK AND CONCRETE, INC., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, has named **RON A. RHOADES**, located at **2428 North Essex Avenue, Hernando, Florida 34442**, as its agent to accept service of process within this state.

Having been named to accept service of process for the above corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept appointment in such capacity and agree to comply with the provisions of Chapter 607, Florida Statutes, relative to keeping open said office. I further certify that I am familiar with, and accept, the obligations attendant to said position.



RON A. RHOADES

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