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Articles of Incorporation

of

Metropolitan Inspection Services, Inc.

1. The name of the corporation is Metropolitan Inspection Services, Inc.

2. The period of its duration is perpetual.

3. The purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized are the transaction of any or all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the Alabama Business Corporation Act, including without limitation, building construction.

4. The aggregate number of shares of capital stock which the corporation shall have authority to issue is 1,000 shares of common stock, par value \$1.00 per share.

5. The location and mailing address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 4509 Valleydale Road, Suite 11, Birmingham, Alabama 35242, and the name of its initial registered agent at this address is David E. Dean.

6. The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors of the corporation is two, and the name and address of the persons who are to serve as directors until the first annual meeting of shareholders and until their successors are elected and shall qualify are as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
David E. Dean	3632 Stratford Way Birmingham, Alabama 35242
Alexander F. Beaton	736 Whippoorwill Drive Birmingham, Alabama 35244

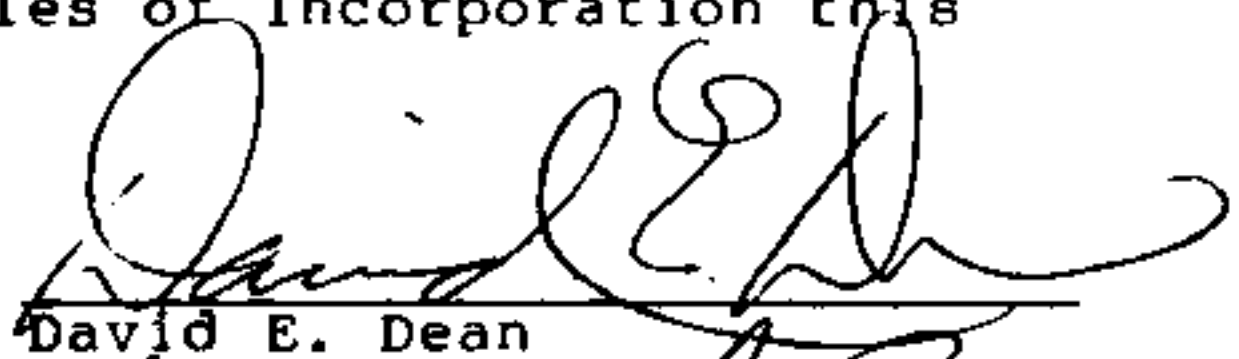
7. The name and address of the incorporator of the corporation is David E. Dean, 3632 Stratford Way, Birmingham, Alabama 35242.

8. Each shareholder shall have a pre-emptive right to purchase shares of any class of capital stock of the corporation, including treasury shares.

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9. The corporation shall have the right to purchase, take, receive or otherwise acquire, hold, own, pledge and transfer or otherwise dispose of its own shares. Purchases by the corporation of its own shares, whether direct or indirect, may be made to the extent of unreserved and unrestricted earned surplus and capital surplus of the corporation available therefor.

The undersigned, acting as incorporators of the corporation named herein in accordance with the Alabama Business Corporation Act, execute these Articles of Incorporation this 2nd day of August, 1989.


David E. Dean


Alexander F. Beaton

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State of Alabama)
Shelby County)

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and said State, hereby certify that David E. Dean and Alexander F. Beaton whose names are signed to the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and who are known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the said Articles of Incorporation, they executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal this the 2nd day of August, 1989.


Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 1-5-92



STATE OF ALABAMA

I, Perry A. Hand, Secretary of State, of the State of Alabama, having custody of the Great and Principal Seal of said State, do hereby certify that

pursuant to the provisions of Section 10-2A-26, **Code of Alabama 1975**, the corporate name _____
Metropolitan Inspection Services, Inc. is reserved as available based

only upon an examination of the corporation records on file in this office for the exclusive use of
Metropolitan Inspection Services, Inc.

for a period of one hundred twenty days from this date. In the case of a domestic corporation, the name of the
county in which the corporation was or is proposed to be incorporated is **Shelby**

I further certify that as set out in the application for reservation of corporate name, the Secretary of State's
office does not assume any responsibility for the availability of the corporate name requested nor for any
duplication which might occur.



In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the
State, at the Capitol, in the
City of Montgomery, on this day.

July 24, 1989 - expires - 11-22-89

Date

Perry A. Hand

Secretary of State

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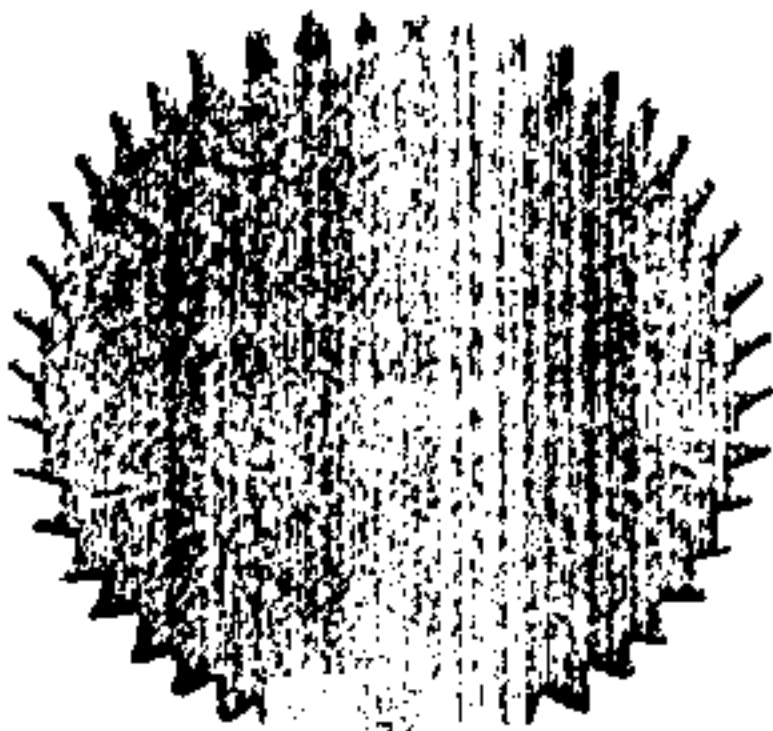
CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF

Metropolitan Inspection Services, Inc.

The undersigned, as Judge of Probate of Shelby County, State of Alabama, hereby certifies that duplicate originals of Articles of Incorporation for the incorporation of Metropolitan Inspection Services, Inc., duly signed pursuant to the provisions of the Alabama Business Corporation Act, have been received in this office and are found to conform to law.

ACCORDINGLY the undersigned, as such Judge of Probate, and by virtue of the authority vested in him by law, hereby issues this Certificate of Incorporation of Metropolitan Inspection Services, Inc., and attaches hereto a duplicate original of the Articles of Incorporation.

GIVEN Under My Hand and Official Seal on this the 7th day of August, 19 89.



Thomas A. Browder, Jr.
Judge of Probate

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JUDGE OF PROBATE

RECORDING FEES

Re. to file	35.00
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