

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
of  
M & B CONSTRUCTION, INC.**

The undersigned person(s), acting as incorporator(s) of a corporation organized under the laws of Alabama, hereby adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation:

**ARTICLE I  
CORPORATE NAME**

The name of this corporation is M & B CONSTRUCTION, INC..

**ARTICLE II  
INITIAL PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The mailing address of the corporation's initial principal office is:

291 Shoal Creek Circle  
Montevallo, Al 35115

**ARTICLE III  
SHARES**

The total number of shares which the corporation shall have authority to issue is 1,000 shares with a par value of \$1.00 per share.

**ARTICLE IV  
REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT**

The street address of the corporation's initial registered office and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is:

Fred McFarland  
M & B Construction, Inc.  
291 Shoal Creek Circle

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Montevallo, Al 35115

## **ARTICLE V PURPOSE**

The purpose of the corporation is to engage in any lawful activity permitted by the laws of this state.

## **ARTICLE VI DIRECTORS**

The names and residence addresses of the persons constituting the initial board of directors are:

Fred McFarland  
291 Shoal Creek Circle  
Montevallo, Al 35115

Jeffery Brown  
294 Wade Dr  
Montevallo, AL 35115

After the initial board of directors, the board shall consist of such number of directors as shall be determined by the shareholders from time to time at each annual meeting at which directors are to be elected.

The directors shall be divided into 1 classes, the number of directors to be allocated to each class to be as nearly equal as possible and with the term of office in one class expiring each year after the initial annual meeting of shareholders.

## **ARTICLE VII LIABILITY OF DIRECTORS**

To the fullest extent permitted by law, no director of this corporation shall be personally liable to the corporation or its shareholders for monetary damages for breach of any duty owed to the corporation or its shareholders, except that a director may be held personally liable for (i)

breaches of the duty of loyalty, (ii) acts or omissions not in good faith or which involve intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law, (iii) declaration of unlawful dividends or unlawful stock repurchases or redemptions, or (iv) a transaction from which the director derives an improper personal benefit.

Any director or officer who is involved in litigation or other proceeding by reason of his or her position as a director or officer of this corporation shall be indemnified and held harmless by the corporation to the fullest extent permitted by law.

## **ARTICLE VIII OTHER PROVISIONS**

Preemptive Rights. The corporation elects to have preemptive rights so that each shareholder has the right to acquire a proportional amount of any shares that are issued.

Director or Officer Interest. In the absence of fraud, no transaction between (a) this corporation and (b) any other association, corporation or any director or officer of this corporation individually, shall be affected by the fact that any director or officer of this corporation is individually a party to the transaction or is interested in or is a director or officer of such other association or corporation.

Stock Transfer Restriction. No shareholder of this corporation shall sell any shares of stock held by him or her in this corporation without first offering to sell such stock to the corporation on the same terms and conditions and at the price offered in good faith and in writing, by any proposed purchaser. The written offer by such proposed purchaser shall be delivered to the corporation at the time the stock is offered to the corporation for sale. The corporation shall have the right to accept the offer any time within thirty (30) days from and after the date on which the offer is made to the shareholder and shall exercise the option to purchase by notifying the shareholder in writing. If the corporation shall not exercise its option to purchase the shares of stock, it shall notify the shareholder in writing within the thirty (30) day period and the shares may then be sold by the shareholder, but only to the proposed purchaser on the same terms and conditions as offered to the corporation, and only within thirty (30) days from and after the date on which the corporation declines to exercise its option.

Execution of Written Instruments. All instruments that are executed on behalf of the corporation which are acknowledged and which affect an interest in real estate shall be executed by the President or any Vice-President and the Secretary or Treasurer. All other instruments executed by the corporation, including a release of mortgage or lien, may be executed by the President or

Vice-President. Notwithstanding the preceding provisions of this section, any written instrument may be executed by any officer(s) or agent(s) that are specifically designated by resolution of the board of directors.

### Certification

I certify that I have read the above Articles of Incorporation and that they are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Fred McFarland  
Fred McFarland, Incorporator  
291 Shoal Creek Circle  
Montevallo, Al 35115

Jeffery Brown  
Jeffery Brown, Incorporator  
294 Wade Dr  
Montevallo, AL 35115

State of Alabama, County of Shelby, ss:

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me this 9 day of December, 1999.

Diane Presley  
Notary Public

NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF ALABAMA AT LARGE  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: June 12, 2003  
BONDED THRU NOTARY PUBLIC UNDERWRITERS

# STATE OF ALABAMA

I, Jim Bennett, 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 10-2B-4.02, Code of Alabama 1975, and upon an examination of the corporation records on file in this office, the following corporate name is reserved as available:

M & B Construction, Inc.

This domestic corporation name is proposed to be incorporated in Shelby County and is for the exclusive use of Jerry Sharp, 109 Moss Hill Circle, Calera, AL 35040 for a period of one hundred twenty days beginning December 1, 1999 and expiring March 31, 2000.

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.



December 1, 1999

Date

Jim Bennett

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jim Bennett".

Secretary of State

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