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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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THE HAITIAN AMERICAN LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

I.

The name of this corporation is The Haitian American Law Enforcement Officers Association, Inc., a Non-Profit Corporation.

II.

The term for which this corporation shall exist shall be perpetual.

III.

The general nature of the business or businesses to be transacted by said corporation shall be as follows:

To facilitate, promote and advance the needs of present and future law enforcement officers of Haitian descent and all present and future law enforcement officers, and to support goals, objectives and programs including those that may pertain to education, advancement, promotion, training, public service, professionalism, community enhancement, economic development, and other collective and individual operations.

That of engaging in any activity permitted under the laws of the United States of America, its territories, districts, and possessions, and any activity permitted under the laws of the State of Florida, and to have, exercise, and enjoy the powers and privileges granted to corporations not for profit by Chapter 617, Florida Statutes.

To do all and everything necessary, suitable, and proper for the accomplishment of any of the purposes, of the attainment of any of the objects, or for the furtherance of the powers herein set forth, either alone or in association with other corporations, firms, or individuals, and to do every other act or acts, thing or things, incidental or appurtenant to or growing out of or connected with the aforesaid business or powers, or any part thereof; provided, that the same be not inconsistent with the laws under which this corporation is

organized.

The purposes for which THE HAITIAN AMERICAN LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ASSOCIATION, INC., is organized are exclusively religious, charitable, scientific, literary, and educational within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, this organization shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

IV.

Officers/Directors shall be qualified for admission, and shall be admitted as Officers/Directors, in accordance with the by-laws of this corporation; a two-thirds vote of the membership shall be required for the election of new Officers/Directors or for the removal of current directors.

V.

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is: 860 N. E. 141 Street, North Miami, FL 33161 , and the initial registered agent at that address is: Yves Lafontant.

VI.

This corporation shall have as directors initially those persons designated in this Article below. The number of directors may be either increased or decreased from time to time by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than three (3) nor more than five (5). The names and addresses of the initial directors of this corporation are:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Yves Lafontant, President	860 N. E. 141 Street North Miami, FL 33161
Eddie Halaby, Vice-President/Treasurer	8475 N. W. 34 Manor Sunrise, FL 33351
Leslie Dallemand, Secretary	1501 S. W. 72 nd Avenue Plantation, FL 33317

VII.

The names and addresses of the officers who are to conduct the business of this corporation until those elected at the first election are as follows:

Yves Lafontant, President	860 N. E. 141 Street North Miami, FL 33161
Eddie Halaby, Vice-President/Treasurer	8475 N. W. 34 Manor Sunrise, FL 33351
Leslie Dallemand, Secretary	1501 S. W. 72 nd Avenue Plantation, FL 33317

VIII.

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

The name and address of the person signing these Articles is Yves Lafontant, 860 N. E. 141 Street, North Miami, FL 33161.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has executed these Articles of

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

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 48.091, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED:

FIRST - THAT, THE HAITIAN AMERICAN LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ASSOCIATION, INC., DESIRING TO ORGANIZE OR QUALIFY UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA WITH ITS PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS AT: 860 N. E. 141 Street, North Miami, FL 33161

HAS NAMED: YVES LAFONTANT AS ITS AGENT TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA.

Yves Lafontant
YVES LAFONTANT
PRESIDENT
TITLE
8-21-01
DATE

HAVING BEEN NAMED TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE-STATED CORPORATION, AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY, AND I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATIVE TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF DUTIES.

Yves Lafontant
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