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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

HAITIAN AMERICAN PROFESSIONALS COALITION, INC.

(A Not-for-Profit)

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Pursuant to Section 617.0202 Florida Statutes, the undersigned subscriber(s) is desirous of forming a not-for-profit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, and hereby petition the Secretary of State for approval of such incorporation under the following proposed Certificate of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I

NAME

The name of the corporation is HAITIAN AMERICAN PROFESSIONALS COALITION, INC. a not-for-profit organization.

ARTICLE II

PLACE OF BUSINESS

The principal place of business and mailing address of the corporation is 1040 NW 10TH Ave. FT. Lauderdale, FL 33311 as deemed appropriate by the Board of Directors/Trustees.

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ARTICLE III

PURPOSE

The corporation is organized exclusively for the purpose of bringing together professionals of diverse occupations to address issues relevant to the Haitian community and to provide opportunities for members of the community to grow personally and professionally pursuant to Florida Statutes Section 212.08(7) and within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future Federal tax code.

ARTICLE IV

PERMITTED ACTIVITIES

Notwithstanding, any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, 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.

ARTICLE V

ELECTION OF DIRECTORS/TRUSTEES

The method of election or appointment of the directors or trustees, and the manner of their admission, are provided for in the bylaws of **HAITIAN AMERICAN PROFESSIONALS COALITION, INC.**

ARTICLE VI

DURATION AND BEGINNING OF CORPORATE EXISTENCE

The corporation shall exist perpetually. The Corporate existence shall commence as of filing of the Articles of Incorporation with the Secretary of State.

ARTICLE VII

INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Directors/Trustees of the Corporation shall be elected or removed in accordance with the procedures provided for in the bylaws. The number of directors/trustees, may be increased or decreased from time to time, in the manner provided in the bylaws of **HAITIAN AMERICAN PROFESSIONALS COALITION, INC.** The numbers constituting the initial Board of Directors of the company is 3 (three) and the names and address of these persons who are to serve initially are as follows:

Yves Jodesty 1040 NW 10th Ave., Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311
Magaly Prezeau 3000 NE 151 Street, North Miami Beach, FL
 33181
Marie Etienne 19830 NE 14th Ave., North Miami Beach, FL 33179

ARTICLE VIII

DEDICATION OF ASSETS

Upon the dissolution or winding up of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of the corporation, shall be distributed to a non-profit fund, foundation or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for educational and cultural purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

ARTICLE IX

DISTRIBUTION OF EARNINGS

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall insure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, directors, officers or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable

compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of Section 501(c)(3) purposes. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office

ARTICLE X

REGISTERED AGENT

Pursuant to Sections 617.0501 and 617.0505, Florida Statutes, HAITIAN AMERICAN PROFESSIONALS COALITION, INC. has designated Yves Jodesty as the initial Registered Agent of this corporation and the street address of the initial Registered Agent is 1040 NW 10th Ave., FT. Lauderdale, Florida 33311. The principal place of business of the corporation in the State of Florida is located at 1040 NW 10th Ave., FT. Lauderdale, Florida 33311.

ARTICLE XI

SHARES

This corporation is organized under a non-stock basis.

ARTICLE XII

INCORPORATORS

The names and the street address of each incorporator of the Articles of Incorporation is recorded in the bylaws of the corporation.

ARTICLE XIII

BYLAWS

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal by-laws, shall be vested to the Board of Directors or Trustees. This article of incorporation does not set forth any of the corporate powers enumerated in Section 617 Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE XIV

EXECUTION

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any prior provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation or an amendment thereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator Yves Jodesty has
executed these Articles of Incorporation, this 14 day of
may, 2002, pursuant to Section 617.01201(6)(b),
Florida Statutes.



Yves Jodesty (Incorporator)

for HAITIAN AMERICAN PROFESSIONALS
COALITION, INC.

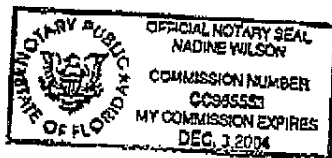
STATE OF FLORIDA)

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COUNTY OF DADE)

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgement in the State and County set forth above, personally appeared Yves Jodesty Registered Agent and, Incorporator of the Articles of Incorporation, known to me and known by me to be the person who executed the foregoing Article of Incorporation, and he/she acknowledged before me that he/she executed these Articles of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal in the State and County aforesaid, this 14 day of May 2002.



Nadine Wilson
NOTARY PUBLIC
State of Florida at Large

My Commission Expires:

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

In compliance with Section 607 Florida Statutes the following is
submitted:

FIRST that HAITIAN AMERICAN PROFESSIONALS COALITION, INC. desires
to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida with
its principal place of business at 1040 NW 10th Ave., FT.
Lauderdale, FL 33311.. HAITIAN AMERICAN PROFESSIONALS COALITION,
INC. Of Florida, Inc., has named Yves Jodesty of 1040 NW 10th Ave.,
FT. Lauderdale, FL 3311 as its Registered Agent to accept service
of process within the State of Florida.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated
corporation, at 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 performance
of my duties.

Dated this 14 day of may, 2002.

BY: Yves Jodesty

Yves Jodesty
Registered Agent

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