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SUBJECT: Running Tigers Track Club, Inc.

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

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☐ \$78.75
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Felicia A. Wells
Name (Printed or typed)

1201 N Parsons Avenue
Address

Seffner, FL 33584
City, State & Zip

(813) 965-2479
Daytime Telephone number

NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.



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Thank-you!

April 12, 2007

FELICIA A WELLS
1201 N PARSONS AVE
SEFFNER, FL 33584

SUBJECT: RUNNING TIGERS TRACK CLUB, INC.
Ref. Number: W07000017947

We have received your document for RUNNING TIGERS TRACK CLUB, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$86.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Bylaws are not filed with this office. Please retain them for your records.

✓ The registered agent and street address must be consistent wherever it appears in your document.

✓ Please list the address for the incorporator in article VII:

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6855.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

**Article I
Name of Corporation**

Running Tigers Track Club, Inc.

**Article II
Principle Place of Business**

The Corporation's office is located at 4504 N. 20th Street, Tampa, FL 33610-6163.

MAILING ADDRESS: The mailing address of the corporation is P.O. Box 76274, Tampa, FL 33675.

REGISTERED AGENT: The name of the registered agent of the corporation is Felicia Wells. The address of this registered agent is 1201 N. Parsons Ave. Seffner, FL 33584.

DURATION/MEMBERSHIP: The period of duration is perpetual. The qualification for members, if any, and the manner of their admission shall be regulated by the bylaws.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: The method of selection of the Board of Directors and number of directors shall be stated in the bylaws.

INCORPORATORS: The name and address of the incorporator is: Vernest Pilcher, P.O. Box 76274, Tampa, FL 33675.

**Article III
Purpose**

The purpose of this corporation is to promote good health and self esteem through athletic training and competition.

CORPORATE PURPOSES

The purposes for which this corporation is formed are exclusively charitable, educational and scientific and consist of the following:

1. To provide relief to the poor, the distressed and the underprivileged by engaging in or supporting activities to create jobs, eliminate blight, provide affordable housing, and provide needed services.

2. To lessen the burdens of government, lessen neighborhood tensions, eliminate prejudice, eliminate discrimination, and combat community deterioration.
3. To aid, support, and assist by gifts, contributions, or otherwise, other corporations, community chests, funds and foundations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational or scientific purposes, no part of the net earnings of which inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual, and no substantial part of the activities of which is carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation.
4. To do any and all lawful activities which may be necessary, useful, or desirable for the furtherance, accomplishment, fostering, or attaining of the foregoing purposes, either directly or indirectly, and either alone or in conjunction or cooperation with others, whether such others be persons or organizations of any kind or nature, such as corporations, firms, association, trusts, institution, foundations, or governmental bureaus, departments or agencies.
5. All of the foregoing purposes shall be exercised exclusively charitable and educational purposes in such a manner that the Corporation will qualify as an exempt organization under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

501(c)(3) LIMITATIONS

1. CORPORATE PURPOSES: Notwithstanding any other provision of these 7 articles, this organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal and state 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.
2. EXCLUSIVITY: The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes.
3. NO PRIVATE INUREMENT: The Corporation is not organized nor shall it be operated for the primary purpose of generating pecuniary gain or profit. The Corporation shall not distribute any gains, profits or dividends to the Directors, Officers, or Members thereof, or to any individual, except as reasonable compensation for services actually performed in carrying out the Corporation's charitable and educational purposes. The property, assets, profits and net income of the Corporation are irrevocably dedicated to charitable and educational purposes no part of which shall inure to the benefit of any individual.
4. LOBBYING AND POLITICAL CAMPAIGNS: No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in, any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

5. **DISSOLUTION:** Upon winding up and dissolution of the Corporation, the assets of the Corporation remaining after payment of all debts and liabilities shall be distributed to an organization recognized as exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to be used exclusively for charitable and educational purposes. If the Corporation holds any assets in trust, such assets shall be disposed of in such a manner as may be directed by decree of the Circuit Court of the district in which the Corporation's principal office is located, upon petition thereof by the Attorney General or by any person concerned in the liquidation.

6. **"PRIVATE FOUNDATION" PROVISIONS:** In the event this Corporation is considered to be a "Private Foundation" by the U.S. Internal Revenue Service under provisions of the United States Code the following provisions apply:

a.) The Corporation will distribute its income for each tax year at a time and in a manner as not to become subject to the tax on undistributed income imposed by section 4942 of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

b.) The Corporation will not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in section 4941(d) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

c.) The Corporation will not retain any excess business holdings as defined in section 4943(c) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

d.) The Corporation will not make any investments in a manner as to subject it to tax under section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

e.) The Corporation will not make any taxable expenditures as defined in section 4945(d) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

INDEMNIFICATION

Any person (and the heirs, executors and administrators of such person) made or threatened to be made a party to any action, suit or proceeding by reason of the fact that he is or was a Director or Officer of the Corporation shall be indemnified by the Corporation against any and all liability and the reasonable expenses, including attorney's fees and disbursements, incurred by him (or by his heirs, executors or administrators) in connection with the defense or settlement of such action, suit or proceeding, or in connection with any appearance therein, except in relation to matters as to which it shall be adjudged in such action, suit or proceeding that such Director or Officer is liable for negligence or misconduct in the performance of his duties. Such right of indemnification shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which such Director or Officer (or such heirs, executors or administrators) may be entitled apart from this Article.

Article IV
Manner in Which Directors will be Elected

Directors will be elected annually in accordance with the Corporation's by laws.

Article V
Officers/Directors

President: **Vernest Pilcher**
P.O. Box 76274
Tampa, FL 33675

Vice President: **Eric White**
4504 N. 20th Street
Tampa, FL 33675

Secretary: **Earl Gloster**
P.O. Box 76274
Tampa, FL 33675

Treasurer: **Venaldo Davis**
33603 E. 33rd Avenue
Tampa, FL 33610

Article VI
Registered Agent

Registered Agent: Felicia Wells, 1201 N. Parsons Ave. Seffner, FL 33584-3147

Article VII
Name of the Incorporator

Incorporated by: Vernest Pilcher, P.O. Box 76274, Tampa, FL 33675

EXECUTION

These Articles of Incorporation are hereby executed by the incorporator on this
1st day of April, 2007.

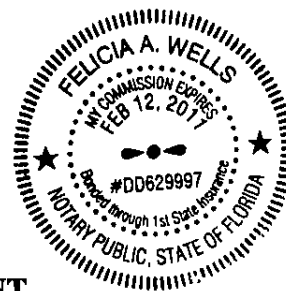
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STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day, before me, an officer duly authorized in the State aforesaid and in the County aforesaid to take acknowledgments, personally appeared Eric White who is either personally known to me or who produced a valid Florida Driver's license, executed the foregoing instrument as incorporator (or the agent of the incorporator) and acknowledged before me that he or she executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State last aforesaid this 1st day of April, 2007.

Felicia A. Wells
NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF FLORIDA
My Commission Expires: Feb. 12, 2011



**REGISTERED AGENT'S
ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT**

I hereby accept my appointment as registered agent for Running Tigers Track Club, Inc. a Florida not for profit corporation.

Felicia A. Wells
Felicia Wells

April 1, 2007
Date

Acknowledgment

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated Professional Association at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Felicia A. Wells
Felicia Wells
Registered Agent

April 1, 2007
Date

Vernest Pilcher
Vernest Pilcher
Incorporator

April 1, 2007
Date