# **Electronic Articles of Incorporation For**

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THE RIDGE ORCHID SOCIETY INC

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a Florida not-forprofit corporation, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

# **Article I**

The name of the corporation is:

THE RIDGE ORCHID SOCIETY INC

# **Article II**

The principal place of business address:

120 CONTRACTORS WAY LAKELAND, FL. US 33801

The mailing address of the corporation is:

C/O MARTHA BELL, 3500 S FLORIDA AVE NO 5 LAKELAND, FL. US 33803

## **Article III**

The specific purpose for which this corporation is organized is:

TO PROMOTE FELLOWSHIP AMONG THOSE INTERESTED IN ORCHIDS. TO PRESERVE AND EXTEND KNOWLEDGE CONCERNING ORCHID CULTIVATION, HYBRIDIZATION AND USES AND TO CONDUCT EXHIBITIONS AND OTHER ACTIVITIES AS MAY BE DESIRABLE.

## **Article IV**

The manner in which directors are elected or appointed is:

AS PROVIDED FOR IN THE BYLAWS.

## **Article V**

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is:

MARTHA A BELL 3500 S FLORIDA AVE NO 5 LAKELAND, FL. 33803 I certify that I am familiar with and accept the responsibilities of registered agent.

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Registered Agent Signature: MARTHA BELL

#### Article VI

The name and address of the incorporator is:

RANDY KENNY 832 S MISSISSIPPI AVE

LAKELAND, FL 33801

Incorporator Signature: RANDY KENNY

#### **Article VII**

The initial officer(s) and/or director(s) of the corporation is/are:

Title: PRES RANDY KENNY 832 S MISSISSIPPI AVE LAKELAND, FL. 33801 US

Title: VP BILL BYRD 6304 GREEN RD LAKELAND, FL. 33810 US

Title: VP KEITH EMIG 143 ALACHUA DR WINTER HAVEN, FL. 33884 US

Title: VP DAVE SUMNER 3940 GARLAND ST MULBERRY, FL. 33860 US

Title: SEC GAIL HUTCHINSON P O BOX 1000 LAKE ALFRED, FL. 33850 US

Title: TREA KAY STONE 2240 BANANA RD LAKELAND, FL. 33810 US

#### Article VIII

The effective date for this corporation shall be:

01/22/2008