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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: Promise, Inc.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

☒ \$70.00
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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Bethina D. Farmer
Name (Printed or typed)

1490 Dowd. Crt. SE
Address

Palm Bay, FL 32909
City, State & Zip

321-536-7062
Daytime Telephone number

Betsy @ BrevardBLN.org
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Corporations

June 24, 2009

BETHINA D. FARMER
1490 DOWD. CTR. SE
PALM BAY, FL 32909

SUBJECT: PROMISE, INC.
Ref. Number: W09000029495

We have received your document for PROMISE, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an administratively dissolved/revoked entity. Names of administratively dissolved/revoked entities are not available for one year from the date of administrative dissolution/revocation unless the dissolved/revoked entity provides the Department of State with an affidavit or letter stating that they have no intention of reinstating, therefore, releasing the name for use to another entity.

Adding "of Florida" or "Florida" to the end of a name is not acceptable.

Please return the corrected 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) 245-6995.

Wanda Cunningham
Regulatory Specialist II
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
Of
PROMISE IN VIERA, INC.

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SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

The undersigned, acting as incorporators of a corporation under the Not for Profit Corporation Act of the State of Florida, adopt the following articles of incorporation for such corporation:

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation, hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation" is Promise in Viera, Inc.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of the corporation shall be 1490 Dowd Court, SE, Palm Bay, Florida 32909.

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The Corporation is organized and operated exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, to conduct the following:

- (1) To provide housing and other services for individuals with disabilities and other special needs.
- (2) Solicit and provide funds, services, or contributions in-kind for the above-mentioned purpose.
- (3) The Corporation is irrevocably dedicated to, and operated exclusively for, nonprofit purposes set forth in this Article III; and no part of the income, assets, or net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to, 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 the purposes set forth in Article III hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise trying to influence legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in, or

intervene (including the publication or distribution of statements), in any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these articles, this Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on:

- (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code, or
- (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Code.

ARTICLE IV POWER

Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation 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) or (b) by a corporation contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or corresponding provision of any corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE V MANNER OF ELECTION

Each person named in the Articles of Incorporation as a member of the initial Board will hold office until the Director's first annual meeting.

At the Board's first annual meeting, the directors shall elect the new directors by majority vote. Each director so elected will hold office for two (2) years or until such director's earlier resignation, removal from office, or death.

The Board may elect a Chair, and if one is elected, the Chair will preside at all meetings of the Board and will have such other duties as may from time to time be prescribed by the Board.

ARTICLE VI DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of this 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 by the Court of Competent Jurisdiction 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.

ARTICLE VII INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS

The name and address of the person who shall serve as officer until the first annual meeting of members, or until a successor shall have been elected and qualified, is as follows:

Bettina Farmer	1490 Dowd Court SE, Palm Bay, Florida, 32909
Debra Pavlakos	448 St. Johns St., Satellite Beach, Florida 32937
Wayne Cooper	1692 Hibiscus Blvd., Melbourne, Florida 32901

ARTICLE VIII INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and address of the registered agent is:

Bettina Farmer	1490 Dowd Court SE, Palm Bay, Florida, 32909
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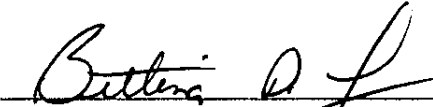
ARTICLE IX INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

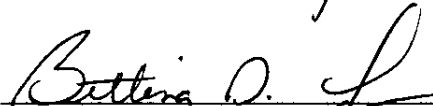
Bettina Farmer	1490 Dowd Court SE, Palm Bay, Florida, 32909
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Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.


Signature/Registered Agent

8/11/09
Date


Signature/Incorporator

8/11/09
Date