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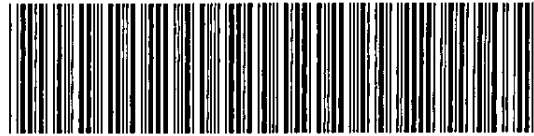
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**COVER LETTER**

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

**SUBJECT:** American Koi Judges Association, 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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Status

\$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

\$87.50  
Filing Fee,  
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& Certificate

**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

FROM: William Porter  
Name (Printed or typed)

Box 2020  
Address

LaBelle, FL 33975  
City, State & Zip

863 674 0321  
Daytime Telephone number

wrporter@embarqmail.com  
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**NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.**

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

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**ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be: American Koi Judges Association, Inc.

**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

Principal street address:

5550 Fort Denaud Road  
Fort Denaud, FL 33935

Mailing address, if different is:

Box 2020  
LaBelle, FL 33975

**ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

The American Koi Judges Program has been created to provide amateur judges in order to judge koi show competitions and exhibitions, as well as promote appreciation, education, husbandry, welfare, and research regarding Koi.

**ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION**

The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed:

Directors are elected and appointed in accordance with the bylaws.

**ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS**

Name and Title: Charles Phelps - Director  
Address: 6806 Briscoe Lane  
Louisville, Kentucky 40228

Name and Title: Bryan Bateman - Director  
Address: 245 Middaugh Rd  
Clarendon Hills, IL 60154

Name and Title: Ray Jordan - Director  
Address: 15514 Elm Park  
San Antonio, TX 78247

**ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT**

The **name and Florida street address** (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:

Name: William Porter  
Address: 5050 Ft. Denaud Rd.  
Fort Denaud, FL 33935

**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

The **name and address** of the Incorporator is:

Name: William Porter  
Address: Box 2020  
LaBelle, FL 33975

**ARTICLE VIII PROHIBITION OF DIVIDENDS**

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, 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 Third hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. 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, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

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 the 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 a 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.

*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*

*WRP*

Required Signature of Registered Agent

*5/30/12*

Date

*I submit this document and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am aware that any false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in §.817.155, F.S.*

*WRP*

Required Signature of Incorporator

*5/30/12*

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