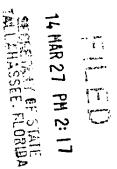
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Division of Corporation

# Dear Sirs:

Attached you will find our check signed by Adela Berriz from Dade County Federal Credit Union, No 1253, dated 3/25/2014 for \$78.75 to cover the fees to incorporate our non-profit corporation:

Filing Fees:

\$35.00

Registered Agent Designation:

\$35.00

Certified Copy:

\$8.75

Total:

\$78.75

Please note that we have specified in our Article IV that the effective date of incorporation shall be March 25<sup>th</sup> of 2014. This date is very important to us.

Your prompt attention to solve this matter will be appreciated.

Sincerely,

Carlos M. Berriz

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

# "CAUSA, EFFECTUS, SOLUTIO COMMUNITAS, INTERNATIONALIS, INC."

A Non-Profit Florida Corporation (Pursuant to Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes)



# ARTICLE I: NAME.

The name of the Corporation is: Causa, Effectus, Solutio-Communitas, Internationalis, Inc.

# ARTICLE II: INITIAL OFFICE ADDRESS.

The street address of the initial office of the Corporation is 16381 S.W. 54<sup>th</sup> Terrace, Miami, Florida 33185.

# ARTICLE III: PURPOSE.

This Corporation is organized as a non-profit organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

### Its purpose is:

- 1.- Identify the issues that affect negatively all human beings as individuals, families and / or communities, throughout the world.
- 2.- Determine the causes for such issues.
- 3.- Define and implement the solutions that will help eradicate or minimize the <u>causes</u> of such issues.
- 4.- Motivate international organizations; state, regional and local government agencies, foundations, public and private entities, religious and civic organizations and individuals, so they can collaborate in the eradication of the <u>causes</u> and implementation of the solutions to such issues.
- 5.- Create strategic alliances with entities that have similar or complementary objectives and missions.

# ARTICLE IV: EFFECTIVE DATE OF INCORPORATION.

The effective date of incorporation shall be: March 25th of 2014.

# ARTICLE V: CO-FOUNDERS

The Co-Founders of this organization, listed in the Article VIII, below, will not have executive functions others than those specified in these Articles of Incorporation or in the By-Laws.

Co Founders will remain in perpetuity until death, physical disability, removal of functions via vote of all other Co Founders, or personal resignation.

Co Founders will have veto power over the Board of Directors vote when:

- 1.- The Board votes to change the purpose or mission of the Corporation
- 2.- The Board votes consistently in favor of issues, plans and activities that are drastically opposed to the principles and values that prompted the Co-Founders to create the Corporation.

# ARTICLE VI: DIRECTORS: MANNER OF ELECTION OR APPOINTING, NUMBER AND TERMS.

The manner and terms in which the Directors are elected or appointed is provided in the Bylaws of the Corporation. The Board of Directors shall not be less than five not more than fifteen in number. Subject to such limitations, the number of Directors shall be fixed by the Bylaws. The Directors need not be resident of the State of Florida and shall not be less than 18 years of age.

### ARTICLE VII: INITIAL DIRECTORS.

The names and addresses of the initial Directors, all of them the Co-Founders of this organization, and who are going to act as the initial Board of Directors until the selection of their successors, as provided in the Bylaws, are as follows:

- 1- Luz Piedad Lopez 1020 94<sup>th</sup> St., Apt. 302, Bay Harbor Island, FL 33154
- 2- Jorge A. Ramirez 7965 SW 53<sup>rd</sup> Pl., Miami, FL 33143
- 3- Omar Carrero 1422 E Mowry Dr., Apt. 108, Homestead, FL 33033
- 4- J. Eligio Chavarria 16121 SW 287<sup>th</sup> St., Homestead. FL 33033

5- Ramon D. Gonzalez 1032 NW 124<sup>th</sup> Terrace, Sunrise, FL 33323 6- Carlos M. Berriz 16381 SW 54<sup>th</sup> Terrace Miami, FL 33185

# ARTICLE VIII: AFFILIATES.

There will be 10 Affiliate categories in this Corporation. These categories will reflect levels or financial or resource contributions, industry sectors, and involvement in the pursue of the corporation's mission and objectives, as specify in the By-Laws. The Affiliates will not have voting rights.

# ARTICLE IX: INMMUNITY FROM CIVIL LIABILITY OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS AND OTHERS.

A co-founder, director, officer, or affiliate is not personally liable for monetary damages to any person for any statement, vote, decision, or failure to take an action, regarding organizational management or policy, subject to the exceptions listed in the Chapter 617 of the Florida Department of State, Division of Corporation, Florida Not for Profit Corporations Act.

# ARTICLE X: PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES AND LIMITATIONS.

- 1.- No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its directors, affiliates, 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 3 hereof.
- 2.- 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.
- 3.- Not withstanding any other provision of these Articles, this Corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purpose of this Corporation.

# ARTICLE XI: DURATION OF THE CORPORATION AND DISTRIBUTION ASSETS IN THE EVENT OF DISSOLUTION.

1.- This Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

2.- In the event of dissolution of the Corporation, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all their legal liabilities, the 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 charitable, religious, scientific, testing for public safety, literary, or educational organizations which qualify under the provisions of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and its regulations as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended, PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that any distributions upon dissolution of this Corporation shall be for the exempt purposes of this Corporation as enumerated in the Articles of Incorporation of this Corporation. 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.

# ARTICLE XII: AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

This Corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation. Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation must be adopted by 80% vote of the Board of Directors at any board meeting called for that purpose.

# ARTICLE XIII: REGISTERED AGENT.

The name and address of the Registered Agent is:

Name:

Carlos M. Berriz

Address:

16381 S.W. 54th Terrace

Miami, FL 33185

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated Corporation at the place designate 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 and complete performance of my duties.

Date: <u>March 25<sup>11</sup>/2014</u> Signature of Registered Agent:

# ARTICLE XIV: INCORPORATOR.

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Name:

Carlos M. Berriz

Address: 16381 S.W. 54th Terrace

Miami, FL 33185

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 s.817.155 F.S.

Signature of Incorporator:

Date: March 25th/2014