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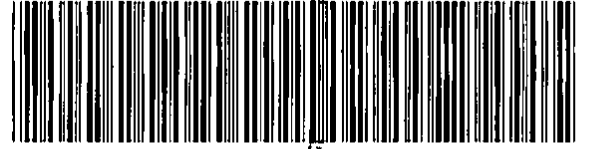
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March 28, 2024

MARGO T. VALENTI
301 W. PLATT ST #122
TAMPA, FL 33606 US

SUBJECT: NATIONAL PARALEGAL APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM, INC.
Ref. Number: W24000049868

We have received your document for NATIONAL PARALEGAL APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM, INC. and check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned to you for the following reason(s):

You must list at least one incorporator with a complete business street address.

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

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
NATIONAL PARALEGAL APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM, INC.
(A CORPORATION NOT-FOR-PROFIT)

THE UNDERSIGNED, acting as sole incorporator of National Paralegal Apprenticeship Program, Inc. (hereinafter, the "Corporation") under the Florida Not-For-Profit Corporation Act, Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for the Corporation:

ARTICLE I

Name and Address

The name of the corporation is **NATIONAL PARALEGAL APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM, INC.** The principal office and mailing address 301 W. Platt St #122, Tampa, FL 33606. The Board of Directors of Directors may from time to time move the principle office of the Corporation to any other address in the State of Florida.

ARTICLE II

Purpose

The Corporation is being formed exclusively for charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law. Within that scope, the specific purposes for which the Corporation is organized will be to operate an apprenticeship program specifically for individuals looking for a career in the legal field as paralegals which includes, but is not limited to the design and execution the apprenticeship program, secure apprenticeships for these individuals within the legal community, overseeing their training, education, and development, and providing opportunities for additional hands-on learning and technical instruction.

ARTICLE III

Membership

The Corporation shall have no members other than the persons elected or appointed as members of the Board of Directors, who shall be considered to be the members of the Corporation for the purposes of any statutory provision or rule of law relating to members of a non-stock, nonprofit corporation.

ARTICLE IV
Term of Existence

The date when corporate existence shall commence shall be the date of filing of these Articles of Incorporation in the office of the Secretary of the State of Florida and the Corporation shall have perpetual existence thereafter.

ARTICLE V
Board of Directors of Directors

The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by the Board of Directors, members of which shall be selected annually in accordance with the Bylaws. The number of Directors shall be fixed as set forth in the Bylaws of the Corporation but shall never be less than three (3). The names and addresses of the first Board of Directors, consisting of those persons who shall serve until their successors are duly selected and qualified, shall be as follows:

Margo T. Valenti, Chairman, Director
301 W. Platt St. #122
Tampa, Florida 33606

Ryley M. Valenti, Director
301 W. Platt St. #122
Tampa, Florida 33606

Jennifer L. Hinchey, Esq., Director
301 W. Platt St. #122
Tampa, Florida 33606

ARTICLE VI
Officers

The following officers have been appointed by the Board of Directors and will remain in their positions, and served, pursuant to the terms and conditions as set for in the Bylaws for the Corporation:

Margo T. Valenti, Chief Executive Officer
301 W. Platt St. #122
Tampa, Florida 33606

Jennifer L. Hinchey, Esq, Vice President
301 W. Platt St. #122
Tampa, Florida 33606

Ryley M. Valenti, Secretary
301 W. Platt St. #122
Tampa, Florida 33606

ARTICLE VII

Registered Agent and Office

The street address of the registered office of this Corporation is 301 W. Platt St #122, Tampa, FL 33606, and the name of the registered agent at such address is Margo T. Valenti.

ARTICLE VIII

Bylaws

The Board of Directors shall have the sole power to adopt, amend and repeal the Bylaws of the Corporation, as further set forth in the Bylaws.

ARTICLE IX

Amendments

The Corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provision in the Articles of Incorporation in the manner prescribed by law.

ARTICLE X

Limitations on Actions


All of the assets and the earnings of the Corporation shall be used exclusively for the exempt purposes hereinabove set forth, including the payment of expenses incidental thereto. No part of the net earnings shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers or any other private persons, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for a service rendered and to make distributions and payments in furtherance of the purpose set forth in Article II hereof. No substantial part of the Corporation's activity shall be for the carrying on of a program of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in or interfere with (including the publication or distribution of statements regarding) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

ARTICLE XI

Dissolution

Upon dissolution of the Corporation, all of its assets remaining after payment of or provision for all liabilities of the Corporation, including costs and expenses of such dissolution, shall be utilized exclusively for the exempt purposes of the Corporation or distributed to an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or to the corresponding provisions of any future Revenue Law, as shall be selected by the last Board of Directors. None of the assets will be distributed to any member, officer or Director of this Corporation. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the court of common pleas of the county in which the principle 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.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 28th day of February, 2024.



Margo T. Valenti, Sole Incorporator
301 W. Platt St. #122
Tampa, Florida 33606

ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the within-named Corporation, at the place designated hereinabove, I hereby accept the designation to act in this capacity, and acknowledge that I am familiar with and agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties.

Date: February 28 2024

Margo T. Valenti
Margo T. Valenti
Registered Agent