

MAY 7, 1998

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Secretary of State Division of Corporation P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

RE: <u>NISEI GOJU RYU KARATE & JUJITSU SOUTHERN REGION YOUTH P.A.C. PROGRAM, INC.</u>

A NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

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Gentlemen;

Enclosed please find the original and one copy of the Non-Profit Articles of incorporation together with my check in the amount of \$61.00

This represents the cost of the Filing Fees, Certified Copy of the Articles of Incorporation for the Non-Profit Corporation and Fee for Registered Agent Designation for the above named corporation.

Very truly yours,

Herbie Thompson

NISEI GOJU RYU KARATE & JUJITSU SOUTHERN REGION YOUTH P.A.C. PROGRAM, INC. 18061 N.W. 27<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE MIAMI, FL 33056 (305) 628-5588

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#### FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Sandra B. Mortham Secretary of State

May 15, 1998

HERBIE THOMPSON 18061 N.W. 27TH AVENUE MIAMI, FL 33056

SUBJECT: NISEI GOJU RYU KARATE & JUJITSU SOUTHERN REGION

YOUTH P.A.C. PROGRAM, INC. Ref. Number: W98000011135

We have received your document for NISEI GOJU RYU KARATE & JUJITSU SOUTHERN REGION YOUTH P.A.C. PROGRAM, INC. and check(s) totaling \$61.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned to you for the following reason(s):

There is a balance due of \$9.00.

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation or a statement that the method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws.

Section 617.0803, Florida Statutes, requires that the board of directors never  $_{\rm V}$  have fewer than three directors.

We regret that we were unable to contact you by phone. Please return the corrected document with a letter providing us with a telephone number where you can be reached during working hours.

Please return the 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) 487-6933.

Dana Calloway Document Specialist

Letter Number: 898A00027257

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Floradity 22 PH 3:01 The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Authority of PH 3: 01

Not for Profit Corporation Act, hereby adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation:

TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

NISEI GOJU RYU KARATE & JUJITSU SOUTHERN REGION YOUTH P.A.C. PROGRAM, INC.

## ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

18061 N.W. 27th Avenue Miami, Florida 33056

### ARTICLE III PRUPOSE(S)

The specific purpose(s) for which the corporation is organized is(are):

The said corporation is organized exclusively for: (1) charitable, 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. (2) Furtherance of outreach programs aimed at the community's youth to provide education enhancements; economic relief; crime prevention; rehabilitation; and athletic advancement through the offering of the following programs: Academic improvement Concept; G.R.E.A.T. program; Child Shield; After School Suspension concept; Silent Voices; Aids Awareness; K.I.D.S.; and Sports Programs. Each program is offered congruently at a central location to better service the community.

#### ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is: Directors are appointed to office by Trustee Herbie Thompson and/or Trustee James Sisco. Directors are appointed based on seniority within the Nisei Organization and and Belt rank as stated in the Bylaws. A letter of appointment is sent notifying the appointee of his directorship on the board of directors. Board of Directors are: Herbie Thompson, President; 7110 N.W. 179th Street #311; Miami, FL 33015 James Sisco, Vice President; 9601 Norwood Dr #D; Tampa, FL 33624 Ulysses, Pop, Winn; 1031 W. 2nd Street Riveria Beach, FL 33404 Mike Ramiez; 1921 W. 60<sup>th</sup> Street; Hialeah, FL James Poole; 7110 N.W. 179th Street #311; Miami, FL 33015

# ARTICLE V INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida street address of the initial registered agent are:

Herbie Thompson 18061 N.W. 27<sup>th</sup> Avenue Miami, Florida 33056

### ARTICLE VI INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation are:

Herbie Thompson 18061 N.W. 27<sup>th</sup> Avenue Miami, Florida 33056

Signature/Incorporator

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Signature Registered Agent

Date:

SECRETARY OF STATE