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Gator Tales, Inc. Articles of Incorporation

Our File No. 197-236

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Dear Sir or Madame:

Enclosed are Articles of Incorporation, in duplicate, for the above designated corporate entity, together with duplicate Certificate Designating Registered Agent and Acceptance of Registered Agent. My check payable to the Florida Department of State, Corporations Division, in the sum of \$70.00, representing \$35.00 filing fee and \$35.00 Registered Agent designation, is also enclosed.

Your prompt attention in providing this office with the charter document and conformed copy of the Articles showing filing information will be greatly appreciated. A preaddressed, postage paid envelope is enclosed for your convenience in returning the charter documents.

Very truly yours,

SHELLEY B. MAURICE, P.A.

B. Maurice, Esq.

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Enclosures

### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION for

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The undersigned, acting as the sole incorporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

The name of the corporation is GATOR ARTICLE I. <u>Name:</u> The address of the corporate office shall be 3504 TALES, INC. Diane Drive, Boynton Beach, Florida 33435.

The period of this corporation's ARTICLE II. <u>Duration:</u> duration is perpetual.

ARTICLE III. <u>Purpose:</u> The purpose of this corporation is to engage in any activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States and Florida, including the business of publishing, writing and distributing children's books and paraphernalia within and without the State of Florida.

ARTICLE IV. Capital Stock: The corporation is authorized to issue 100 shares, all of one class, at \$1.00 par value.

Initial Registered Office and Agent: The name and address of the initial registered agent and office of this corporation is as follows:

> GARY L. FISHMAN 3504 Diane Drive Boynton Beach, FL 33435

Initial Board of Directors: This corporation shall have one director initially. The number of directors may be either increased or decreased from time to time by an amendment of the bylaws of the corporation in the manner provided by law, but shall never be less than one. The name and address of the initial director of this corporation are:

<u>NAME</u>

## **ADDRESS**

GARY L. FISHMAN

3504 Diane Drive

Boynton Beach, FL 33437

LINDA R. FISHMAN

3504 Diane Drive

Boynton Beach, FL 33437

Incorporators: The name and address of the ARTICLE VII. incorporators signing these Articles of Incorporation are:

<u>NAME</u>

#### **ADDRESS**

GARY L. FISHMAN

3504 Diane Drive

Boynton Beach, FL 33437

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ARTICLE VIII. <u>Amendment of Articles:</u> This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation, this 25th day of April, 1997

GARYL. FISHMAN, Incorporator

LINDA R. FISHMAN, Incorporator

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CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESSON OF STATE MAY BE SERVED AND THE PLACE OF BUSINESS OF ALLAH SSEE, FLORIDA DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THE STATE OF FLORIDA

Pursuant to Chapters 48.091 and 607.0501, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

GATOR TALES, INC., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its initial corporate address as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation, at 3504 Diane Drive, Boynton Beach, County of Palm Beach, State of Florida 33435 has named GARY L. FISHMAN as its registered agent to accept service of process within this state, at the initial registered office located at 3504 Diane Drive, City of Boynton Beach, County of Palm Beach, State of Florida.

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND ACCEPTANCE:

Having been named as the registered agent for the above corporation for the purpose of accepting service of process at the registered agent's office so designated in this certificate, I hereby accept such appointment and acknowledge that I am familiar with and accept the obligations and responsibilities of such office as provided for in Florida Statutes 607.0505.

GARY L. FISHMAN Registered Agent