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Statement of Facts:

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Unauthorized Filing and Fraudulent Activity Involving Palmetto Youth Center, Inc.

1. **Entity:** Information: Palmetto Youth Center, Inc. Document Number 709089, is a not-for-profit corporation registered in the State of Florida.
2. **Principal Address and Mailing Address:** The principal address of Palmetto Youth Center, Inc. is 501 17th Street West Palmetto, Florida 34221. The mailing address for the company is P.O. Box 608 Palmetto, Florida 34220.
3. **Unauthorized Change Notification:** On January 7th, 2025, the Palmetto Youth Center identified during the renewal process of the Florida Department of States Division of Corporation annual corporation report. The entity registered name "Palmetto Youth Center" had been changed to "Palmetto Youth & Community Center, Inc." The officers and directors of the Palmetto Youth Center names were also inappropriately changed.
4. **Fraudulent Activity:** The changes were filed September 9th, 2024, with the Florida Department of States Division by Christel Ware-Martin. Christel Ware-Martin had no authority to make any changes to Palmetto Youth Center, Inc. entity information. This individual has also alleged to pay property taxes as well.
5. **Unrelated Name and Address:** Palmetto Youth Center, Inc. are not affiliated with Palmetto Youth & Community Center, Inc. Palmetto Youth Center, Inc. has no affiliation with the following address
 - 6313 Angus Valley Drive Wesley Chapel, Florida 33544
6. **Corrective Action and Reporting:** The "Palmetto Youth & Community Center" should not be addressed at 501 17th Street West Palmetto, Florida. The officers and directors that were filed on January 11, 2024, were altered and should return to original names. The document number is 709089 which is the correct information.
7. **Police Report:** The Palmetto Youth Center filed a claim report with the Federal Trade Commission. The Federal Trade Commission claim number 181950488. The Palmetto Youth Center also filed a police report with the Manatee County Sheriff's Office. The Police case is MCSO case # 2025-000476.

This statement of fact is submitted in connection with the above matter.

Signature [Signature] Date 1/16/2025

Reginald Bellamy
Executive Director
Palmetto Youth Center, Inc.

Notary Public:

State of Florida

County of Manatee

The forgoing instrument was acknowledged before me

This 16th day of January 2025, by

Reginald Bellamy, who I personally known to me or has

Produced ID as identification.

Notary Public: Jacquelin E Jones

Signature: Jacquelin E Jones

My Commission Expires: _____

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