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PLEASE REPLY TO:

RE: Florida State Poets Association, Inc.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find a check in the amount of \$43.75 and the Amendment of the Articles of Incorporation for the above named. We would appreciate a Certified Copy of the Articles of Amendment, all on letter size paper (8 % x 11) if at all possible.

If for any reason these Articles of Amendment cannot be recorded, due to error or correction, please telephone us at (561) 655-5766.

Thank you for your courtesy and cooperation in this matter.

Most Sincerely,

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## ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

Florida State Poets Association, Inc.

Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, the undersigned Florida nonprofit corporation adopts the following articles of amendment to its articles of incorporation:

FIRST: Amendment(s) adopted: (indicate article number(s) being amended, added or deleted)

Article XI is added as follows:

## ARTICLE XI — Internal Revenue Code Limitations

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific 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.

The corporate powers of this corporation are as provided in section 617.0302, Florida Statutes, unless limited as follows:

- A. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, 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 III hereof. 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. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on: (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
- B. Upon the dissolution of the corporation, 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 the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. 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.

SECOND: The date of adoption of the amendment(s) was: \_\_\_ June 15, 2000 THIRD: Adoption of Amendment (CHECK ONE) X The amendment(s) was(were) approved by the members and the number of votes cast for the amendments was sufficient for approval. There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment. The amendment(s) was(were) adopted by the board of directors. Florida State Poets Association, Inc. Corporation Name ç Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, President or other officer John Palozzi Typed or printed name 06/15/2000 Vice President Title