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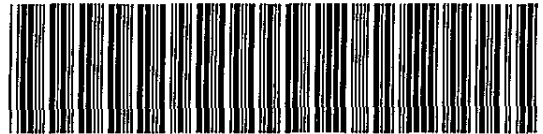
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SUBJECT: THE FLORIDA COUNCIL OF CHAPTERS OF THE RETIRED  
OFFICERS ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED  
Ref. Number: 749755

We have received your document for THE FLORIDA COUNCIL OF CHAPTERS OF THE RETIRED OFFICERS ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED and your check(s) totaling \$43.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name of the corporation must contain a corporate suffix. This suffix may be: CORPORATION, CORP., INCORPORATED, or INC. Sections 617.0401(1)(a) and 617.1506(1), Florida Statutes, prohibits the use of the word COMPANY or CO. in the name of a non-profit corporation.

Amendments for nonprofit corporations are filed in compliance with section 617.1006, Florida Statutes. Please see the attached information.

Bylaws are not filed with this office, please delete any reference to the bylaws within the amendment.

Please return 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) 245-6964.

Irene Albritton  
Document Specialist

Letter Number: 203A00041650



July 20, 2003

Florida Department of State  
Amendment Section, Division of Corporations  
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Tallahassee, FL 32314  
ATTN: Irene Albritton, Document Specialist

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Dear Ms. Albritton:

Enclosed is a revised copy of the amendment to our articles of incorporation with our organization's name stated correctly. In preparing the material I used a draft copy of our changed bylaws and omitted the "Inc." inadvertently. I also removed all references to our bylaws. I regret any inconvenience that I caused you and thank you for returning the form and allowing me to make the changes.

Sincerely

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2 Enclosures: Amendment  
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**ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT  
TO  
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF**

**FLORIDA COUNCIL OF CHAPTERS OF THE RETIRED OFFICERS ASSOCIATION, INC.**

(Document Number of Corporation 749755)

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

**FIRST:** Amendments adopted:

ARTICLE I NAME, Section A, shall be changed to read "The name of this organization shall be The Florida Council of Chapters of Military Officers Association of America, Inc...."

ARTICLE II PURPOSES,

Section A shall be changed from "...The Retired Officers Association (hereafter referred to as TROA, TROA HQ, or TROA National)" to read "Military Officers Association of America (hereafter referred to as MOAA, MOAA HQ, or MOAA National."

Section B shall be changed from "...TROA." to read "...MOAA."

Section D shall be changed from "...TROA HQ...." to read "...MOAA...."

ARTICLE III MEMBERSHIP, Section A shall be changed from "...TROA National." to read "...MOAA National."

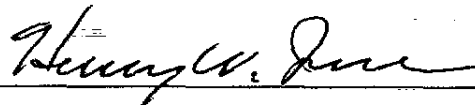
ARTICLE IV OFFICERS, Section F shall be changed from "...TROA National." to read "...MOAA National."

ARTICLE XIII STATUS AND INDEMNIFICATION, Section E shall be changed from "...TROA Scholarship Fund" to read "...MOAA Scholarship Fund."

**SECOND:** The date of adoption was February 25, 2003.

**THIRD:** Adoption of Amendments

The amendments were adopted by the delegates to the council meeting and the number of votes cast for the amendments was sufficient for approval.



COL. Henry W. Ince, USAR, RET.  
President, July 21, 2003

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