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SUBJECT: The Digital Bridge Learning Resource Center, Inc.
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for :

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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee &
Certificate of
Status

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Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Barbara J. Moore
Name (Printed or typed)

2222 Greenhaven Drive
Address

Sun City Center, Florida 33573
City, State & Zip

(813) 784-5525
Daytime Telephone number

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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be: The Digital Bridge Learning Resource Center, Inc.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPLE OFFICE

The principle place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:
2222 Greenhaven Drive, Sun City Center, Florida, 33573.

ARTICLE III PURPOSE(S)

This corporation is organized for the purpose of providing free Internet-based education assistance to students who need remediation or other instructional support in pursuance of a high school diploma or General Education Diploma (GED).

Corporate activities include specifically the construction, maintenance and expansion of a free K-12 educational web site and activities necessary to make the web site available to the general public through the Internet. The web site will contain free tutorials for self-paced acquisition of knowledge, comprehension, and application levels of K-12 education content and links to related educational information designed to stimulate higher level thinking skills. The web site will also contain links to study guides, educational reference sites, and information regarding higher education. The site is being constructed to help bridge the Digital Divide, that is, the growing disparity in access to technology between socio-economic and racial classes in America, by helping at-risk students break the cycle of poverty through the completion of their high school education. The corporation will endeavor to not link the Digital Bridge Learning Resource Center web site to sites that charge for services or link to sites that entice users to sign up for fee-based services. The corporation will endeavor to see that the web site accommodates variation in student ability and learning preferences.

This corporation is a nonprofit public benefit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. No part of the corporation's net earnings 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 this article, Article III, Purposes of the corporation. It is organized as a Youth/Minor Organization under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act with the primary purpose of providing educational benefits to minors. It is expected that over 90 percent of those using the corporation's web site will be minors.

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to the free education of minors and no part of the net income or assets of the corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any

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director, officer, or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person. On the dissolution of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment of, or provision for payment of, all debts and liabilities of this corporation, shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation, or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively as defined by the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act as either an Educational Institution or Youth/Minor Organization and which has established its tax-exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of the United States.

No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of 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.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed shall be in accordance with the provisions of the bylaws of the corporation. At no time shall there be fewer than three directors of the corporation. The names and addresses of the initial directors of this corporation are:

1. Barbara J. Moore
2222 Greenhaven Drive
Sun City Center, Florida 33573
2. Catherine L. Griggs
1210 Sable Cove
Ruskin, Florida 33570
3. M. Gene Griggs
2218 Greenhaven Drive
Sun City Center, Florida 33573

ARTICLE V INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

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

Barbara J. Moore
2222 Greenhaven Drive
Sun City Center, FL 33573

ARTICLE VI INCORPORATOR

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

Barbara J. Moore
2222 Greenhaven Drive
Sun City Center, FL 33573

Barbara J. Moore
Signature/Incorporator: Barbara J. Moore

January 12, 2000
Date

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.

Barbara J. Moore
Signature/Registered Agent: Barbara J. Moore

January 12, 2000
Date

ARTICLE VII EFFECTIVE DATE

The effective date of these Articles of Incorporation is January 12, 2000.

Barbara J. Moore
Signature/Incorporator: Barbara J. Moore

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