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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
STILL I RISE, INC.**

We, the undersigned subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation, each a natural person competent to contract, desire to incorporate under Chapter 607, Florida Statutes. We hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation **NOT FOR PROFIT** under the laws of the State of Florida.

**ARTICLE I
NAME AND AFFILIATION**

The name of this corporation shall be: **STILL I RISE, INC.**

**ARTICLE II
PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The Principal Place of Business shall be 1749 Sixteenth St. So., St. Petersburg, Pinellas County, Florida, 33705.

**ARTICLE III
NATURE AND PURPOSE**

This corporation is organized exclusively for the purposes of promoting social welfare, inuring to further the common good and general welfare of the residents within the Greater Tampa Bay area, and the state of Florida as a whole, 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 tax code, primarily through:

1. Providing an entertainment medium targeting inner-city youth, especially minority males, for the empowerment of the community, dissemination of information and edification of knowledge throughout the state of Florida; Providing wholesome entertainment facilities for inner-city youth as well as employment opportunities for

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individuals, groups and organizations involved in and devoted to the improvement of human dignity.

2. To create a youth mentoring program for inner-city youth;
3. To provide viable employment to target individuals located within the state of Florida; and to
4. To engage in any and all other lawful activities as interests develop so authorized and allowed by the State of Florida.

ARTICLE IV EXISTENCE

This corporation shall have a perpetual existence.

ARTICLE V MANAGEMENT OF CORPORATION AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The officers, along with the Board of Directors, will manage the affairs of the corporation and shall consist of a President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer, who shall be elected on an annual basis by the members of the corporation at the annual corporation meeting.

ARTICLE VI INITIAL CORPORATE OFFICERS

The officers who shall manage the affairs of the corporation shall consist of incorporation, and who will, thereafter, continue as such officers until their respective successors are elected and qualified shall be as follows:

NAME

Serrell Smith

James Range

Antwan Shazell

OFFICE

President

Exec. VP/Secretary

Exec. VP/Treasurer

VIII

REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The Corporation shall have its Registered Office at 4410 16th Avenue So., St. Petersburg, FL 33705, and at such further offices that maybe hereafter required. The registered agent at that address is Antwan Shazell.

 (SEAL)
Acceptance of Registered Agent

IX

LIMITATION OF BENEFITS

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 II (Two) herein. 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 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 provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) or (b) by a

corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.

ARTICLE X

DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS UPON DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Trustees shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such a manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501 (C) (3) or (4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Trustees shall determine.

ARTICLE XI

FISCAL YEAR

The Fiscal Year of this corporation shall be from January 1 through December 31st each year.

ARTICLE XIII

INDEMNIFICATION

The corporation shall indemnify and hold harmless any Officer, Director, or employee of the corporation, or any former officers, director or employee of the corporation, to the full extent permitted by and as set forth in the Florida General Corporation Act.

**ARTICLE XIV
INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation is: Adelle Hughes, 1525 16th Street South, St. Petersburg, FL 33705.



ADELLE HUGHES (SEAL)

**ARTICLE XV
EFFECTIVE DATE**

The effective date of these Articles of Incorporation shall be January 14, 2000.

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