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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
P. O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

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**SUBJECT:** Ross Small World Child Care, Inc.  
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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

☐ \$70.00  
Filing Fee

☒ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certificate of Status

☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50  
Filing Fee,  
Certified Copy  
& Certificate of  
Status

**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM:** Mercy Ross  
Name (Printed or typed)

5620 47th Street  
Address

Vero Beach, FL 32960  
City, State & Zip

(561) 567-3608  
Daytime Telephone number

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Katherine Harris  
Secretary of State

January 31, 2000

MERCY ROSS  
5620 47TH ST.  
VERO BEACH, FL 32960

SUBJECT: ROSS SMALL WORLD CHILD CARE, INC.  
Ref. Number: W00000002720

We have received your document for ROSS SMALL WORLD CHILD CARE, INC., however, upon receipt of your document no check was enclosed. Please send a check or money order payable to the Department of State.

The fees for profit and nonprofit, domestic or foreign are as follows:

Filings Fees:	\$35.00
Registered Agent Designation	\$35.00
Certified Copy	\$8.75
Certificate of Status	\$8.75

The purpose contained in your articles of incorporation should be more specific. Please correct your articles to reflect the specific purpose for which the corporation is being organized.

Please return the original and one copy of 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) 487-6878.

Alan Crum  
Document Specialist

Letter Number: 200A00004558

## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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

### ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

ROSS SMALL WORLD INCORPORATED

### ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

5620 47th Street  
VERO BEACH, FL 32967

### ARTICLE III PURPOSE(S)

The specific purpose(s) for which the corporation is organized is(are):

ANY AND ALL LAWFUL BUSINESS

(see Attachment)

### ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is:

BALLOT ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP ELECTION

### ARTICLE V INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

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

WILLIAM HOLT  
1850 40th Avenue B-302  
VERO BEACH, FL 32960

### ARTICLE VI INCORPORATOR

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

MERCY ROSS  
5620 47th STREET  
VERO BEACH, FL 32967

Mercy Ross  
Signature/Incorporator

1-25-2000  
Date

(An additional article must be added if an effective date is requested )

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.

William Holt  
Signature/Registered Agent

1-25-00  
Date

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## **SAMPLE PARENT INFORMATION BOOKLET**

### **PROGRAM**

It is the philosophy of Hillside Preschool that early childhood should be a time of fun, warmth, security, exploring, and discovery. Preschool children are creative and receptive; the staff strives to nurture and encourage these qualities in the children who attend.

The preschool's purpose is to provide an atmosphere that encourages social, emotional, physical, and intellectual growth and development of the child as a whole.

Planned within the framework of philosophy and purpose, Hillside Preschool's curriculum includes sharing and conversation time; stories, songs, and fingerplays; creative art activities and crafts; games and large muscle activities; field trips throughout the community; food preparation; science and nature activities; exposure to shapes, colors, numbers, and letters; and celebration of birthdays and holidays.

### **STANDARDS**

Hillside Preschool, established in 1960, is licensed by this state's Department of Public Assistance and Social Services, and complies with all of the standards put forth by that Department. Its operation is governed by a volunteer Board of Directors and a paid Director. Each class is taught by at least one degreed teacher.

### **INCORPORATION**

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Hillside Preschool is a nonprofit corporation, and the parents of children registered for the current school year form the membership of the corporation. An annual meeting is held in September, at which time new members are elected to the Board of Directors from the corporate membership. Each parent has one vote for a maximum of two votes per family unit in electing Board members.

Incorporation protects the individual Board and staff members against liability in carrying out their respective duties.

### **AFFIRMATIVE ACTION STATEMENT**

Hillside Preschool advertises in the public media in order to make openings known to all. Children are admitted regardless of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, or religion. Handicapped children will be accepted on the approval of the instructor, Director, and Board.

### **ADMISSIONS**

Children who are 3 years old up to kindergarten age are eligible to enroll in the preschool. Admission requirements and enrollment procedures are as follows:

1. A child must be 3 years old by September 1 to be admitted into the 3-year-old class.
2. Children in the 3-year-old class will not be allowed to advance into the 4-year-old class during the school year.
3. A child must be 4 years old by September 1 to be admitted into the 4-year-old class.