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SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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

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SUBJECT: New Hope Charter High School Project, 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

☐ \$122.50
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☐ \$131.25
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Zarada Trent
Name (Printed or typed)

P.O. Box 2102
Address

Chiefland, FL 32644
City, State & Zip

352-493-2676
Daytime Telephone number

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800) 242-4063-WK
NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
NEW HOPE CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL PROJECT, INC.**

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SECRETARY OF STATE
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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
CORPORATE NAME**

The name of this corporation shall be the New Hope Charter High School Project, Inc.

**ARTICLE II
PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal place of business of this corporation shall be: 7031 NW 95th St. Chiefland, FL 32626. The principal mailing address for this corporation shall be PO Box 2102, Chiefland, FL 32644.

**ARTICLE III
PURPOSES**

1. To establish and operate a not for profit charter school or schools.
2. To improve student learning; increasing learning opportunities for all students, with special emphasis on the economically disadvantaged.
3. To create new professional opportunities for teachers, including the opportunity to own the learning program at the school site.
4. To generally exercise all the rights and powers conferred by law for non profit charter corporations.
5. To do such other things as are incidental to the foregoing or necessary or desirable in order to accomplish the foregoing.
6. The Corporation shall operate exclusively in any other manner for such religious, charitable, and educational purposes as will qualify it as an exempt organization under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or under any corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws, covering the distributions to organizations qualified as tax exempt organizations under the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, including foundations and private operation foundations.

7. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this organization shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.
8. In the event of dissolution, the residual assets of the organization will be turned over to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in sections 501(c)(3) and 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding sections of any prior or future Internal Revenue Code, or to the Federal, State, or Local government for exclusive public purpose.

ARTICLE IV

MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

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

Board of Directors- The first Board of Directors will be made up of five (5) individuals keenly interested in the success of this project. They will be appointed by the incorporator. The first Board of Directors shall hold office until the first meeting of the members at which time an election of Directors shall be held. The Board of Directors shall be elected in accordance with the corporation's bylaws.

The Board of Directors shall have the rights and duties of directors as set forth in Chapter 607, Florida Statutes. The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its properties controlled, and its affairs conducted by the Board of Directors, consisting of not less than three (3) persons. Initially, the number of Directors of the corporation shall be five, provided however that such number may be changed by the bylaws duly adopted by the members.

ARTICLE V

INITIAL DIRECTORS/OFFICERS

Zarada Trent
7031 NW 95th St.
Chiefland, FL 32626

Paul Carlson
10731 NE 124th St.
Archer, FL 32618

Prentice Spann
16051 NW Hwy 129
Trenton, FL 32693

George Farrow
9331 NW 120th St.
Chiefland, FL 32626

Bobbie Schultz
9251 NW 130th St.
Chiefland, FL 32626

ARTICLE VI
INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

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The name of the registered agent shall be **Zarada R. Trent**, whose Florida street address is the address of the corporation's principal office at 7031 NW 95th St., Chiefland, FL 32626.

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ARTICLE VII
INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation are:
Zarada R. Trent, 7031 NW 95th St., Chiefland, FL 32626

Zarada R. Trent
Signature/Incorporator

7-28-00
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.

Zarada R. Trent
Signature/Registered Agent

7-28-00
Date