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RE: Dog Agility Competition of Florida, Inc.

Enclosed are two original copies of the Articles of Incorporation for the above not-for-profit corporation, and a filing fee check in the amount of \$ 78.75.

Please return a certified copy of the Articles to this address with the certificate of filing.

Sincerely,

*Joanne F. Killeen*  
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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
DOG AGILITY COMPETITION OF FLORIDA, INC.**

We, the undersigned subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation, natural persons competent to contract, hereby form a not-for-profit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

**ARTICLE I - NAME OF CORPORATION**

The name of this corporation shall be DOG AGILITY COMPETITION OF FLORIDA, INC.

**ARTICLE II - NATURE OF BUSINESS**

- A. The general nature of the business to be transacted by this corporation is to promote dog agility training and agility trials in the State of Florida, and for that purpose to periodically sponsor a competition among the member organizations.
- B. The purposes for which this corporation is organized are exclusively religious, charitable, scientific, literary, and educational within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.
- C. 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.
- D. 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 purposes.

**ARTICLE III - STOCK**

This is a non-stock corporation.

#### **ARTICLE IV - TERM OF EXISTENCE**

This corporation is to exist perpetually.

#### **ARTICLE V - PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS**

The initial street address of the principal office of this corporation is 2133 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue North, St. Petersburg, Florida 33713. The Board of Directors may, from time to time, move the principal office to any other address in Florida.

#### **ARTICLE VI - DIRECTORS**

This corporation shall have not less than five directors initially. The number of directors may be increased or diminished from time to time, by by-laws adopted by the members. The officers shall be included as part of the Board of Directors. Directors shall be elected as stated in the bylaws.

#### **ARTICLE VII – INCORPORATORS; INITIAL DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS**

The names and street address of the Incorporators, who shall be the members of the first Board of Directors, are:

Susan Widick: 1213 Garden St., Suite N, Titusville FL 32796  
Rebecca Nicholas: 2409 S. Key Ave., Sanford FL 32771  
Carole Beth Davis: 1674 Waneta St. SE, Palm Bay FL 32909  
John York: 4201 Westgate Ave., #5-A, W. Palm Beach FL 33409  
Kevin Curtin: 7214 Lake Dr., Orlando FL 32809

The initial officers shall be as follows: President - Susan Widick; Vice-President - Rebecca Nicholas; Secretary - Carole Beth Davis; Treasurer - John York.

#### **ARTICLE VIII - MEMBERSHIP**

Qualifications for membership: Members of this corporation shall consist of dog agility training clubs, schools or other groups, incorporated or not incorporated, for profit or not for profit, which exist in the State of Florida. An organization which applies for membership shall submit with its application a list of its present members. Each member organization shall be entitled to one vote on all issues which come before the membership.

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**ARTICLE IX - REGISTERED AGENT**

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The initial designation of the registered office of the corporation shall be 2133 - 5<sup>th</sup> Ave. N., St. Petersburg FL 33713, and the registered agent shall be Joanne F. Killeen.

Pursuant to Florida Statutes Section 607.164, having been named to accept process for the above stated corporation, at the place designated in these Articles of Incorporation, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provision of said Act relative to keeping open said office.

BY: Joanne F. Killeen  
Registered Agent

**ARTICLE X - AMENDMENTS**

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law. Every amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors, proposed to the members, and approved at the members' meeting by a majority of the members entitled to vote thereon, unless all the Directors and all the members sign a written statement manifesting their intention that a certain amendment of these Articles of Incorporation be made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the incorporators above named, have hereunto set our hands and seals this 3rd day of September 2000.

Susan E. Widick  
Susan Widick

Rebecca Nicholas  
Rebecca Nicholas

Carole Beth Davis  
Carole Beth Davis

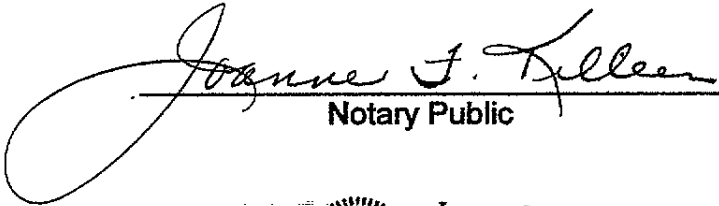
John A. York  
John York

  
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Kevin Curtin

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF ORANGE

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 3rd day of September 2000, by Susan Widick, Rebecca Nicholas, Carole Beth Davis, John York, and Kevin Curtin, who are personally known to me.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State above named this 3rd day of September 2000.

  
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Notary Public



Joanne F. Killeen  
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