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OB CONTROL OF THE PARTY OF THE Department of State **Division of Corporations** P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314 PATCH QUILTS PROJECT, INC.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX) (PROTECT ALL THE CHILDREN FROM HANDEURS) Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for : \$87.50 \$78.75 \$78.75 \$70.00 Filing Fee, Filing Fee Filing Fee & Filing Fee Certified Copy & Certified Copy Certificate of & Certificate Status ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED FROM: DEBORAH E BENNETT Name (Printed or typed) 137 SEABREEZE AVE DELRAY BEACH FL 33483-7017 City. State & Zin (561) 274-8860 Daytime Telephone number 561 279 5114 E: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles. CORRECT D. BROWN SEP 2 1 2000

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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF OSEP 20 PH 1: 10 CORPORATION

### A FLORIDA NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of the Corporation shall be: PATCH Quilts Project, Inc.

ARTICLE II. PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The initial principal office of the Corporation shall be 137 Seabreeze Avenue, Delray Beach, FL 33483. The Corporation's mailing address shall be P.O. Box 1867, Delray Beach, FL 33447-1867.

#### ARTICLE III. PURPOSES

The purposes for which the Corporation is organized is as follows:

- A. The Corporation is a not for profit corporation organized under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes. It is not organized for the private gain of any person. The specific purposes of the Corporation are charitable and educational focused on raising awareness of the dangers that firearms pose to children.
- B. To exercise all rights and powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida upon corporations not for profit.
- C. Provided, however, that the Corporation shall not engage in any action which is not permitted to be carried on by nonprofit corporations under the United States Internal Revenue Code and no part of the net earnings of the Corporation, if any, shall enure to the benefit of, or be distributable, to its members, directors, or officers. In keeping with the all-volunteer nature of the organization, all directors, officers, or other individuals devoting their efforts on behalf the Corporation shall do so without compensation.

ARTICLE IV. INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The initial Board of Directors shall have three members, whose names and addresses are:

Name |

Address.

Deborah E. Bennett

137 Seabreeze Avenue Delray Beach, FL 33483 Margaret R. Bennett

2500 Virginia Avenue, N.W., apt 1205S

Washington D.C. 20037

Joy D. Levy

117 Winged Foot lane Boca Raton, FL 33431

#### ARTICLE V. MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

00 Str 20 PM 1:10 Directors subsequently shall be elected as provided by the Bylaws of the Corporation. The number of Directors may be altered by amendment of the Bylaws, provided that the number shall in no case be less than three.

#### ARTICLE VI. OFFICERS

The Corporation shall have such Officers as may be prescribed in the Bylaws. The Officers shall be elected or appointed, and removed, in such manner as may be provided in the Bylaws.

#### ARTICLE VII. INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The initial registered agent of the Corporation shall be Deborah E. Bennett, whose Florida street address is 137 Seabreeze Avenue, Delray Beach, FL 33483.

#### ARTICLE VIII. INCORPORATOR

The name of the incorporator is Deborah E. Bennett, whose address is 137 Seabreeze Avenue, Delray Beach, FL 33483.

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Delral & Binnett Deborah E. Bennett, Registered Agent

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