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State of Florida
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RE: HELP CHILDREN BEHAVE, INC., a non-profit corporation

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find duplicate originals of the Articles of Incorporation for **HELP CHILDREN BEHAVE**, **INC.**, a **non-profit corporation**, together with our check in the amount of \$78.75 to cover the following cost of filing:

Filing Fee \$ 35.00
Certified Copy 8.75
Certificate designating registered agent 35.00
TOTAL \$ 78.75

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

Carl Hanson

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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FOR

BECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

HELP CHILDREN BEHAVE, INC., a non-profit corporation

I, the undersigned Incorporator of these Articles of Incorporation, a natural person competent to contract, hereby form a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, by and under provisions of the Statues of the State of Florida, providing for the formation, liability, rights, privileges and immunities of a corporation not for profit.

ARTICLE I NAME OF CORPORATION

The name of the corporation shall be: HELP CHILDREN BEHAVE, INC., a non-profit corporation.

ARTICLE II DURATION

The corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE III <u>STATEMENT OF CORPORATE NATURE</u>

This is a non-profit corporation organized solely for general charitable purposes pursuant to the Florida Corporations Not for Profit Law set forth in Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE IV GENERAL AND SPECIFIC PURPOSES

- A. The specific and primary purpose for which this corporation is formed is to work with family social service agencies to implement a (Monroe County, Florida) county-wide collaborative system of preventive and early intervention service delivery for families with children two to six years old with difficult behaviors or whose emotional being is at risk, and for such other lawful non-profit purposes as this organization sees fit consistent with the intent hereof.
- B. The general purposes for which this corporation is formed are to operate exclusively for such social purposes as will qualify it as an exempt organization under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal-Revenue Code or corresponding provisions of any subsequent Federal Tax Laws, including, but not limited to, for such purposes, the making of distributions to

organizations which qualify as tax exempt organizations under that code.

C. This corporation shall not, as a substantial part of its activities, carry on propaganda or otherwise attempt to influence legislation; nor shall it participate or intervene (by publication or distribution of any statements or otherwise) in any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

ARTICLE V CAPITAL STOCK

No shares of stock shall be issued. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, directors, officers or other private persons (excluding financial assistance under any scholarship program which may be created), 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 above. 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 any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office, including the publishing or distribution of statements. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by (i) a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or any successor provision, or (ii) a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code or any successor provision.

ARTICLE VI DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for the charitable, educational, religious or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or any successor provision, as the Board of Directors shall determine.

ARTICLE VII MEMBERSHIP

The qualifications for membership and the manner of admission of members shall be set forth in the bylaws of the corporation.

ARTICLE VIII INITIAL OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The initial principal office for the transaction of business is located at 104500 Overseas

Highway, B-3, Key Largo, Florida 33037.

The name of the initial registered agent is: GERDA FLETCHER.

The street address of the initial registered office is: 104500 Overseas Highway, B-3, Key Largo, Florida 33037.

ARTICLE IX DIRECTORS

The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its properties controlled, and its affairs conducted by a Board of Directors. The term of such directors and the method of the election of such directors shall be set forth in the by-laws of the corporation. The number of directors constituting its initial board of directors shall be three whose names and addresses are:

GERDA FLETCHER

104500 Overseas Highway, B-3

Key Largo, Florida 33037

JAMES FLETCHER

104500 Overseas Highway, B-3

Key Largo, Florida 33037

SONJA TAYLOR

1969 6th Avenue, SE

Vero Beach, Florida 32962

ARTICLE X NAME AND ADDRESS OF INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator is: GERDA FLETCHER, 104500 Overseas Highway, B-3, Key Largo, Florida 33037.

Executed and acknowledged this 17¹¹ day of January, 2001.

GERDA FLETCHER

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF MONROE

BEFORE ME personally appeared GERDA FLETCHER to me well known and known to me to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing, and acknowledged before me that he executed the same for the purposes therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State last aforesaid this 19 day of January, 2001.

Printed Name of Notary Public:

My Commission Number: My Commission Expires:

TAMMY VIERGUTZ

COMMISSION # CC 657671

EXPIRES AUG 19, 2001

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CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

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SEGRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

That HELP CHILDREN BEHAVE, INC., desiring to be organized under the laws of the State of Florida, which will have its principal office in Key Largo, Florida, has named GERDA FLETCHER of Key Largo, Florida, as its agent to accept service of process within this state.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Having been named by the Incorporator of HELP CHILDREN BEHAVE, INC., to accept service of process for the Corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby agree to serve as the registered agent for the Corporation, and agree to comply with the applicable provisions of the Florida Statutes.

> GERDA FLETCHER Registered Agent.

STATE OF FLORIDA **COUNTY OF MONROE**

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this Jan. 17,01 by Gerda Fletcher who is personally known to me or who has produced as identification and who clid (did not) take an oath.

Notary Signature

Tommy Printed Name of Notary

TAMMY VIERGUTZ TAMMY VIEROS.-S COMMISSION # CC 657671 CVDIDES AUG 19, 2001 **EXPIRES AUG 19, 2001** BONDED THRU ATLANTIC BONDING CO., INC.