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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

SUBJECT: Nature Coast Educational Expeditions, Inc.
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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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

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Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Charles Slider JR
Name (Printed or typed)

9653 W. Tom Mason
Address

Crystal River, FL 34428
City, State & Zip

(352) 564-9558
Daytime Telephone number

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

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NATURE COAST EDUCATIONAL EXPEDITIONS, INC.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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

ARTICLE I:

The name of the non-profit corporation shall be: NATURE COAST EDUCATIONAL EXPEDITIONS, INCORPORATED.

ARTICLE II:

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

9653 W. Tom Mason
Crystal River, FL 34428

ARTICLE III:

The purpose for which the corporation is organized:

To provide educational nature programs and wildlife encounters to segments of the population that normally do not have access to such programs due to economic and logistical barriers. These segments of population will include underprivileged children, the elderly and handicapped, low-income minorities, at risk children and young adults, and certain incarcerated individuals enrolled in rehabilitation programs.

The nature programs and wildlife encounters will be designed to educate clients as to the status of the ecology and wildlife specific to the Nature Coast of Florida, present grass roots opportunities for protecting and conserving the Nature Coast environment, and offer a broader appreciation of the natural world at large through interaction and participation.

ARTICLE IV:

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed shall be:

Appointment by the Co-chairpersons of the Board for an indefinite term until such time as the Board Member submits a formal letter of resignation or the Co-chairpersons of the Board terminate, in writing, the Board Member's seat on the Board. There shall be at least 5 Board Members including the Co-chairpersons, Operations Director, Project Director, and Board Members-at-Large.

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ARTICLE V:

Names and addresses of the Initial Directors/Officers are as follows:

Charles Slider, Co-chairperson
9653 W. Tom Mason
Crystal River, FL 34428

Becky A. Dayhuff, Co-chairperson
P.O. Box 37
Tellico Plains, TN 37385

ARTICLE VI:

The initial registered agent and street address are as follows:

Charles Slider
9653 W. Tom Mason
Crystal River, FL 34428

ARTICLE VII:

The name and address of the Incorporators are:

Charles Slider
9653 W. Tom Mason
Crystal River, FL 34428

Becky A. Dayhuff
P.O. Box 37
Tellico Plains, TN 37385

 3/5/01
Charles Slider JR Date

 3-5-01
Becky A. Dayhuff 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.

 3/5/01
Charles Slider JR Date

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