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SUBJECT: IMI (Iniversal MARCUS Institute) Inc.

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

MO # 02676779504:\$75.00 MO # 02679320283:\$12.50 MONEY GREERS TOTAL\$ 87.50

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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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: DONALD RICKETTS

Name (Printed or typed)

1864 NW 9th Court -04/16/01--01112--004

Address *****12.50

FORT LINDERDALE FL 33311

City, State & Zip

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954 - 587 - 5257 Daytime Telephone number

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

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

April 18, 2001

DONALD RICKETTS 2864 NW 9 COURT FT LAUDERDALE, FL 33311

SUBJECT: IMI (INIVERSAL MARCUS INSTITUTE) INC.

Ref. Number: W01000008689

We have received your document for MI (INIVERSAL MARCUS INSTITUTE) INC. and your check(s) totaling \$75.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Corporations may file using only the corporate name. Please delete any reference to the "doing business as name" in your document. If you wish to register your fictitious name, you may do so by filing the enclosed application and submitting the appropriate fees to this office.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 487-6904.

Freida Chesser Corporate Specialist New Filings Section

Letter Number: 301A00022775

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

ARTICLE I: NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

The Iniversal MARCUS Institruth, Inc.

ARTICLE II: PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business of this corporation shall be: 2864 NW 9th Court, Fort Lauderdale, Fl 33311

The mailing address of this corporation shall be: P.O. Box 15643, Miami, FL 33101-5643

ARTICLE III: PURPOSE

To operate for spiritual, philosophical, educational, charitable, technological, rehabilitative, economic, scientific, and social purpose, for the well-being of people of African ancestry, within the meaning of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code as now enacted, or any successor statutory sections of similar import, including, for such purposes the making of distributions to organizations that also qualify as Section 501 (c) (3) exempt organizations;

To manage African-derived resources culturally towards the unity and success of humanity in a healthy planetary environment;

To promote research into the fulfillment of needs and requirements of people of African ancestry, particularly Rastafarians, for the purpose of promoting well-being and harmony, and the successful integration of such people into equitable social structures, within existing and future societies;

To build better, more rewarding relationships between the Black and Rastafarian and other communities through civility, culture, charity, communication, and commerce;

To provide advocacy, brokerage, coordination, and dissemination of ideas, principles, information, goods, services, and other resources, along with other social and cultural expressions of benefit to people of African ancestry;

ARTICLE IV: MANNER OF ELECTION

Election of Directors/Officers will take place at the Annual General Meeting, to be held as directed in the by-laws of the organization.

ARTICLE V: INITIAL DIRECTORS/OFFICERS

Donald Ricketts

2864 NW 9th Court, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33311

Leslie Williams

17204 NW 49th Place, Miami, FL 33055

Neilton Downer

2022 Adams Street, #208, Hollywood, FL 33022

Marc Ricketts

2864 NW 9th Court, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33311

ARTICLE VI: INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

Donald Ricketts 2864 NW 9th Court, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33311

ARTICLE VII: INCORPORATOR

Donald Ricketts 2864 NW 9TH Court, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33311

ARTICLE VII: EFFECTIVE DATE

This Incorporation to be effective as of May 23, 2001.

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.

Signature/Registered Agent

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5/16/2008
Date 5/16/2001

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