



**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

**OF**

**KIDS KICKIN' FOR CHRIST, INC.**

**A Not-for-Profit Corporation**

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

The undersigned incorporators, each a natural person competent to contract, hereby associate themselves together to form a corporation not for profit under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, and do adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

**ARTICLE I.**

**NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS OF THE CORPORATION**

The name of the corporation is "Kids Kickin' For Christ, Inc." and the corporation's principal office is 8808 SE Rigdon Way, Hobe Sound, Florida 33455 and the mailing address of the corporation is P. O. Box 750, Hobe Sound, Florida 33475.

**ARTICLE II.**

**DURATION**

This corporation shall exist perpetually, commencing upon the filing of these Articles of Incorporation by the Department of State.

**ARTICLE III.**

**PURPOSE**

The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to the organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

**ARTICLE IV.**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND MANNER OF ELECTION**

The Corporation shall be directed by a board of directors, which shall have all of the powers granted to a board of directors under Chapters 607 and 617, Florida Statutes, as they may be amended from time to time, to the extent that such powers are not in conflict with the Articles of Incorporation. The directors shall serve for a term as specified in the corporate bylaws and new directors shall be elected by a minimum two-thirds (2/3) vote of the sitting members of the board of directors.

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## **ARTICLE V.**

### **INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The initial board of directors shall consist of three directors, listed below. The number of directors may be increased or decreased as provided for in the bylaws, but in no even shall there be fewer than three directors.

The names and addresses of the initial board of directors are:

Stephen Morris  
8808 SE Rigdon Way  
Hobe Sound, Florida 33455

Jose Cancio  
3445 SW Sunset Trace Circle  
Palm City, Florida 34990

Brianne Morris  
8808 SE Rigdon Way  
Hobe Sound, Florida 33455

## **ARTICLE VI.**

### **INITIAL OFFICERS**

The names and offices of the initial officers are:

Stephen L. Morris, President  
Brianne Morris, Secretary  
Brianne Morris, Treasurer

## **ARTICLE VII.**

### **INCORPORATORS**

The name and address of the incorporators of the corporation are:

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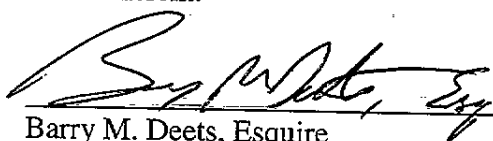
Brianne Morris  
8808 SE Rigdon Way  
Hobe Sound, Florida 33455

## ARTICLE VIII.

### INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 7000 SE Federal Hwy, Suite 310, Stuart, Florida, 34997, and the name of its initial registered agent at such address, is Barry M. Deets, Esquire.

The undersigned Initial Registered Agent affirms the following: I hereby acknowledge that I am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as registered agent for the corporation named herein.



Barry M. Deets, Esquire  
Law Office of Barry M. Deets, PA  
Initial Registered Agent

## ARTICLE IX.

### ACTS AFFECTING NON-TAXABLE STATUS PROHIBITED

This corporation is organized exclusively for religious, educational, scientific and charitable purposes as a not for profit corporation within the meaning of the Internal Revenue Code of the United States of America, and its activities shall be conducted for such purposes and in such a manner that no part of its net earnings shall inure to the benefit of any member, director, officer or individual (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the corporation affecting one or more of its purposes). No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publication or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

1. The corporation shall distribute its income for each tax year at such time and in such manner as not to become subject to the tax on undistributed income imposed by the Internal Revenue Code.
2. The corporation shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in the Internal Revenue Code.
3. The corporation shall not retain any excess business holdings as defined in the Internal Revenue Code.
4. The corporation shall not make any investments in such a manner as to subject it to tax under the Internal Revenue Code.
5. The corporation shall not make any taxable expenditures as defined in the Internal Revenue Code.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, the corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under the Internal Revenue Code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under the Internal Revenue Code.

## **ARTICLE X.**

### **AMENDMENT**

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law. Every amendment shall be approved by a majority vote of the Board of Directors or as otherwise provided for in the bylaws of the corporation.

## **ARTICLE XI.**

### **NON-STOCK CORPORATION**

This corporation is organized on a non-stock basis.

## **ARTICLE XII.**

### **NO DISTRIBUTION TO MEMBERS / OFFICERS / DIRECTORS**

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article III above.

## **ARTICLE XIII.**

### **DISSOLUTION OF CORPORATION**

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of the Internal Revenue Code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction over the value of the assets in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have hereunto set their hands and seals on the dates written below:

Stephen Morris  
Stephen Morris

Jose Cancio  
Jose Cancio

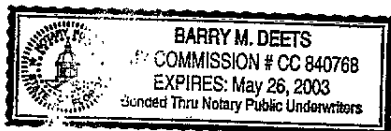
Brianne Morris  
Brianne Morris

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF MARTIN

Before me the undersigned authority in and for said State and County personally appeared Stephen Morris, personally known to me or who has presented identification as indicated hereon and who freely and voluntarily subscribed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal in the State and County aforesaid this 24<sup>th</sup> day of ~~April~~ May, 2001.

(SEAL)



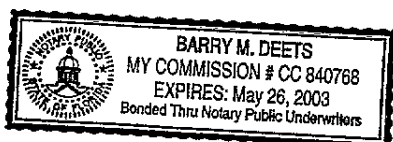
Barry M. Deets  
Barry M. Deets, Notary Public  
State of Florida, Commission # CC 840768  
My commission expires: May 26, 2003

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF MARTIN

Before me the undersigned authority in and for said State and County personally appeared Jose Cancio, personally known to me or who has presented identification as indicated hereon and who freely and voluntarily subscribed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal in the State and County aforesaid this 24<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2001.

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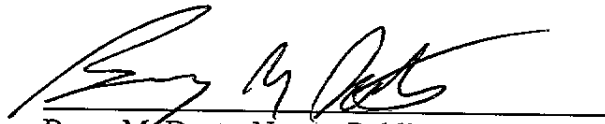
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My commission expires: May 26, 2003

STATE OF FLORIDA  
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Before me the undersigned authority in and for said State and County personally appeared Brianne Morris, personally known to me or who has presented identification as indicated hereon and who freely and voluntarily subscribed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal in the State and County aforesaid this 25<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2001.

(SEAL)



Barry M. Deets, Notary Public  
State of Florida, Commission # CC 840768  
My commission expires: May 26, 2003