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

Subject: Mano a Mano Inc.

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Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for:

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## FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

May 17, 2001

RONALD C. SEALS 1026 WHISPERING CYPRESS LANE ORLANDO, FL 32824

SUBJECT: MANO A MANO INCORPORATION

Ref. Number: W01000011209

We have received your document for MANO A MANO INCORPORATION and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation or a statement that the method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws.

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) 487-6928.

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Tim Burch Document Specialist New Filing Section

## Articles of Incorporation of Mano a Mano Inc. A Nonprofit Corporation

Articles of Incorporation of the undersigned, a majority of whom are citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Law of **Florida**, do hereby certify:

## Article 1. The name of the corporation shall be: Mano a Mano Inc.

Article 2. The place in this state where the principal office of the Corporation is to be initially located is the <u>City of Kissimmee</u>, Osceola County. 1310 N. Main Street, Suite 101 Kissimmee, FL 34744

Article 3. Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future tax code. The specific purpose of the corporation is to provide leadership and training for the professional advancement of sign language interpreters working in Spanish speaking communities.

Article 4. The corporation shall have 3 directors. The initial directors' names and addresses are:

Angela Roth 1310 N. Main Street, Suite 101 Kissimmee, FL 34744

Leonardo Hidalgo 815 Bay Street Kissimmee, FL 34741

Angel Ramos 485 Belvedere Beaumont, TX 77706 O1 JUN -4 PM 1: 18

Article 5. The method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws of Mano A Mano Inc.

Article 6. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, 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 in Article 3 hereof. 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 (including the publishing or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this

corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of the corporation.

Article 7. Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax 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 shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organizations, as said Court shall determine, which operated exclusively for such purposes.

Article 8. The registered agent and registered office of this corporation are:

Ronald C. Seals 1026 Whispering Cypress Lane Orlando, Florida 32824

Article 9. The corporation  $\square$  shall  $\square$  shall not have members. The classes, qualifications, rights and obligations of the members of the corporation (if any) are spelled out in the bylaws of the corporation.

Article 10. The period of duration of the corporation is perpetual.

Article 11. Names and addresses of Incorporations:

Angela Roth 1310 N. Main Street, Suite 101 Kissimmee, FL 34741

Leonardo Hidalgo 815 Bay Street Kissimmee, FL 34741

In witness whereof, we have hereunto subscribed our names this 30day of May 2001.

Incorporator

The undersigned, being the registered (or statutory) agent listed in these Articles of Incorporation hereby accepts the position as such agrees to act in such capacity. The undersigned further represents that he or she is familiar with the obligations of the position and agrees to comply with them.

Conald C. Seala-Registered Agent