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SUBJECT: CITIZENS MAKING A DIFFERENCE, INC.

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

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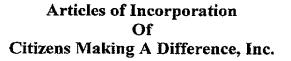
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SEARASSE OF STATE The undersigned does hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation, pursuant to Florida Statutes, Chapter 617.

First: The name of the corporation is Citizens Making A Difference, Inc., and its mailing address is P.O. Box 9348, Panama City Beach, Florida, 32417

Second: The period of duration is perpetual.

Third: The specific and primary purposes for which this corporation is formed and for which it shall be exclusively administered and operated are to receive, administer and expend funds for political purposes in connection with the following:

- 1. To promote candidates and issues pursuant to the Corporation's purpose and mission statement as more fully set forth in its Bylaws.
- To engage in any and all lawful activities incidental to the foregoing purposes except as restricted herein.

In order to accomplish the foregoing purposes, and for no other purpose or purposes, this corporation shall also have the power to:

- (a) sue and be sued, and make contracts;
- receive property by devise or bequest, subject to the laws regulating the transfer of property by will, and otherwise acquire and hold all property, real or personal, including shares of stock, bonds and securities of other corporations;
- act as trustee under any trust whose objects are related to the principal objects of the corporation, and to receive, hold, administer and expend funds and property subject to such trust;
- convey, exchange, lease, mortgage, encumber, transfer upon trust or otherwise dispose of all property, real or personal;
- borrow money, contract debts and issue bonds, notes and debentures, and (e) secure the payment of any performance of its obligations; and
- do all other acts necessary or expedient for the administration of the affairs and attainment of the purposes of the corporation; provided, however, that this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not

in furtherance of the primary purposes of this corporation.

Fourth: The business of the corporation shall be carried on through its Board of Directors, the manner of their election or appointment, other that the initial Board of Directors provided for herein, shall be as provided in the Bylaws.

Fifth: Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not conduct or carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization exempt under Section 527 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

Sixth: Upon the dissolution of the corporation or the winding up of its affairs, the assets of the corporation shall be distributed exclusively for purposes described in Section 527 of the Internal Revenue Code or to organizations which are then exempt from federal tax under Section 527 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

Seventh: The address, including the street and number, of its initial registered office is 9108 Front Beach Road, Panama City Beach, Florida 32407, and the name of its initial registered agent is Steven L. Applebaum.

Eighth: The corporation reserves the right to amend, change or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation or to merge or consolidate this corporation with any other nonprofit corporation in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by stature, provided, however, that any such action shall be calculated exclusively to carry out the objects and purposes for which the corporation is formed, and all rights herein conferred or granted shall be subject to this reservation.

Ninth: The number directors constituting the initial Board of Directors are 13, but the number of directors may be increased or decreased in the manner set forth in the Bylaws, provided that the number shall not be less than 3. The name of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are: Jack Bishop, Chairperson, Julian Bennett, Tony Bryson, John Gheesling, III, Doug Gilmore, Ron Hardy, Charles Hilton, Cody Kahn, Andy Phillips, Russ Smith, Sparky Sparkman, Steve Stevens, Buddy Wilkes.

Tenth: The name and address, including street and number of each incorporator is Steven L. Applebaum, Post Office Box 9454, Panama City Beach, Florida 32417.

Dated on September 6, 2001.

Steven L. Applebaum

State of Florida County of Bay

I Hereby Certify that on this _____ of September, 2001, before me, an officer duly qualified to take acknowledgments, personally appeared Steven L. Applebaum who is _____ as identification who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged before me that they executed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.



Notary Public

State of Florida at Large

Consent of Registered Agent

Having been named as registered agent for this corporation at the registered office designated in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, the undersigned accepts the designation.

Steven L. Applebaum

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