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Re: Articles of Incorporation for O Raptors, Inc..

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am enclosing our firm check in the amount of \$78.75 in connection with the above corporation for the following:

Filing Fee	\$35.00
Certified Copy	8.75
Registered Agent Fee	35.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$78.75</b>

I am also enclosing the original and a copy of the Articles of Incorporation and the Acceptance of Designation as Registered Agent. Please return the copy to this office once it has been certified.

Your assistance in this matter is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

*Steven R. Bechtel*  
STEVEN R. BECHTEL

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
O RAPTORS, INC.**

The undersigned, acting as the incorporator of O RAPTORS, INC., a Florida not-for-profit corporation (the "Corporation") under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act (the "Act"), submits the following Articles of Incorporation.

**ARTICLE I - NAME**

The name of this corporation is **O Raptors, Inc.**

**ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS**

The address of the initial principal place of business of the corporation is 785 Blueberry Court, Altamonte Springs, Florida 32714. The initial mailing address of the corporation is 785 Blueberry Court, Altamonte Springs, Florida 32714.

**ARTICLE III - PURPOSE**

The O Raptors, Inc. is a youth baseball educational organization. This Corporation is organized and shall be operated as a nonprofit organization under the Act exclusively for the purpose of promoting a common business interest as described in Section 501(c)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or any corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law (the "Code"), and conducting any and all lawful affairs for which a Florida nonprofit corporation may be incorporated under the Act; provided, however, that the Corporation may not engage in any activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation described in Section 501(c)(7) of the Code.

**ARTICLE IV - MANNER OF ELECTION**

The Directors of O Raptors, Inc. have been duly appointed.

**ARTICLE V - INITIAL DIRECTORS/OFFICERS**

<u>Name</u>	<u>TITLE</u>	<u>Address</u>
William J. Green, Sr.	Director	785 Blueberry Court Altamonte Springs, Florida 32714
Margie A. Green	Director	785 Blueberry Court Altamonte Springs, Florida 32714
Glen Alexander	Director	523 Applewood Avenue Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

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#### **ARTICLE VI - NET EARNINGS**

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to, its directors, 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 III above.

#### **ARTICLE VII - INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

The name of O Raptors, Inc.'s, 785 Blueberry Court, Altamonte Springs, Florida 32714 registered agent is William J. Green, Sr.

#### **ARTICLE VIII - INCORPORATOR**

The Incorporator of the O Raptors, Inc. is William J. Green, Sr.

#### **ARTICLE IX - AMENDMENTS**

The Corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change, or repeal any provision in these Articles of Incorporation in the manner prescribed by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator does hereby execute these Articles of Incorporation this 12 day of January, 2002.

By:   
William J. Green, Sr., Incorporator

**FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING  
AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED**


Pursuant to Section 48.091 and Section 607.0501, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

That O Raptors, Inc. desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its initial registered office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation, at 785 Blueberry Court, Altamonte Springs, Florida 32714, has named William J. Green, Sr. as its agent to accept service within this state.

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT:**

Having been named to accept service of process for the Corporation named above, at the place designated in this certificate, I agree to act in that capacity and to comply with the provisions of the Florida Business Corporation Act, relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties as registered agent.

Date: 1/12, 2001

  
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William J. Green, Sr., Registered Agent

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