

# No20000001598

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

**SUBJECT:** USA/Africa Institute

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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\*\*\*\*\*87.50 \*\*\*\*\*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

☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50  
Filing Fee,  
Certified Copy  
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Mandla MBatha  
Name (Printed or typed)

204 S. Monroe St., Suite 203  
Address

Tallahassee, FL 32301  
City, State & Zip

(850) 224-4600  
Daytime Telephone number

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

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA  
DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
FOR THE  
USA/AFRICA INSTITUTE, INC.**

**ARTICLE I**

The name of the corporation shall be USA/AFRICA INSTITUTE, Inc.

**ARTICLE II**

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

204 South Monroe Street  
Suite 203  
Tallahassee, Florida 32301

**ARTICLE III**

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are exclusively educational within the meaning of Section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the Corresponding Provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

Notwithstanding any other Provisions of these Articles, this organization shall not carry out any activities not permitted to be carried out by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding Provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

The specific purposes of this corporation shall be to foster and support international educational and cultural exchanges. The general purposes of the corporation are to provide any and all necessary support services including administration, operations, travel and fundraising to fulfill the mission of the North Palm Beach Foundation, Inc. and any other legal purpose allowed.

**ARTICLE IV**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is prescribed in the by-laws of the Corporation.

**ARTICLE V**

The name and addresses of the initial officers are:

Jeraldine Williams Smith, President, ☒  
204 South Monroe Street  
Tallahassee, Florida

Mandla Mbatha, Treasurer, ☒  
204 South Monroe Street  
Tallahassee, Florida

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Matthew Meadows, Secretary, Jr  
4380 N.W. 11th St.  
Lauderhill, FL 33313

ARTICLE VI

The name and Florida street address of the initial registered agent is:

Mandla Mbatha  
204 South Monroe Street, Suite 203  
Tallahassee, Florida 32301

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Mandla Mbatha  
204 South Monroe Street, Suite 203  
Tallahassee, Florida 32301

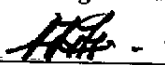
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*Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and completed performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.*

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature/Registered Agent

\_\_\_\_\_  
March 6, 2002

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature/Incorporator

\_\_\_\_\_  
March 6, 2002

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Date

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