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VanEsther Hailes
Name (Printed or typed)

128 E. 20<sup>th</sup> Street
Address

Riviera Beach, Fl. 33404 City, State & Zip

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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF TRANSITIONAL OUTREACH PROGRAM, INC.

## **ARTICLE I**

The name and address of this principal corporation is TRANSITIONAL OUTREACH PROGRAM, INC., 128 E. 20<sup>th</sup> Street, Riviera Beach, Fl. 33404 in Palm Beach County of The corporation is organized pursuant to the FLORIDA Nonprofit Corporation Code.

# **ARTICLE II**

This corporation is a nonprofit public benefit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. The corporation is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law for, charitable and educational purposes to aid the poor and disadvantaged individuals and families towards a life of self-sufficiency.

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

- 1. The main purpose of TRANSITIONAL OUTREACH PROGRAM, Inc. is to reach out to prisoners being release from jail helping them transition back into society as productive citizens. TRANSITIONAL OUTREACH PROGRAM will provide a network of support and encouragement that will enable ex-offenders to become productive and functional members of society.
- 2. To disciple and build ex-offenders up starting with their hearts. We believe that in order for people to become productive the work has to start in their hearts and work its way out. We would like to meet all ex-offenders at their point of need whether that need is physical, emotional or spiritual. TRANSITIONAL OUTREACH PROGRAM is reaching out to ex-offenders now by feeding, clothing, listening, providing transportation and preaching the Gospel and Christian Based 12 Step Recovery.
- 3. To achieve certain educational and charitable objectives within the mission of the TRANSITIONAL OUTREACH PROGRAM, INC., including but not limited to the following: education, community services, crime prevention, community development corporation, residential rehabilitation and development, historical preservation and restoration of designated structures, obtaining municipal improvements and services, obtaining financial assistance for members and other needy persons, including reasonable credit for the purchase of property, and other goods and services. To develop social services and counseling programs to services the community.
- 4. To receive any real or personal property by gift, grant, devise, or bequest from any individual, foundation, corporation, either public or private, or governmental instrumentality, in support of the general purposes of the corporation and to administer such property for the purposes of the corporation.
- 5. To make grants, gifts, payments, contributions in money or otherwise, for use exclusively for religious, charitable, literacy, civic or educational purposes.

#### ARTICLE III

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## **ARTICLE IV**

The address of the Registered office is: 128 E. 20<sup>th</sup> Street, Riviera Beach, Fl. 33404 and the name and address of the of the registered agent of the corporation shall be:

VanEsther Hailes 128 E. 20<sup>th</sup> Street Riviera Beach, Fl. 33404

## **ARTICLE V**

- (A). Said organization 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 corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
- (B). No part of the net earnings of the organization shall insure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the organization 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 the purpose clause hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

#### **ARTICLE VI**

The Directors are elected in accordance with the Bylaws. The name and address of the persons appointed to act as the initial Directors of this corporation are:

# **NAME**

VanEsther Hailes, President Arthur Johnson, Vice President Judy Taylor, Secretary Sean U. Horton, Treasurer James Washington, Director

# **ADDRESS**

128 E. 20<sup>th</sup> Street Beach, FL 33404 8497 Bonita Isle, Lantana, FL 33464 1570 40th Street, West Palm Beach, FL 33401 28 Pearl Street, Barre, VT, 05641 128 E. 20<sup>th</sup> Street, Riveria Beach, FL 33404

## ARTICLE VII

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to Charitable and Educational purposes and no part of the net income or assets of the organization shall ever ensure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or the benefit of any private person.

## **ARTICLE VIII**

Upon the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment of, or provision for payment of, all debts, and liabilities of this corporation, shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation, or corporation, which is organized and operated exclusively for, Educational and Charitable under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or 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 asset not disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the organization is located, exclusive for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

## **ARTICLE IX**

Executed on March 27, 2002. The name and address of the incorporator of this corporation shall be:

VanEsther Hailes 128 E. 20<sup>th</sup> Street Riviera Beach, Fl. 33404

# CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT / REGISTER OFFICE

PURSANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 617.0501, FLORIDA STSTUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED CORPORATION, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED OFFICE / REGISTERED AGENT, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. THE NAME OF THE CORPORATION IS:
TRANSITIONAL OUTREACH PROGRAM, INC.
(must include suffix)
2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:
VanEsther Hailes
(Name)
128 E. 20 <sup>th</sup> Street
(P.O.Box or Mail Drop Box NOT ACCEPTABLE)
Riveria Beach, FL. 33404
(City / State / Zip)
Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above state 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 complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.    ARTERISATION   CONTROL   CON