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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

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SUBJECT: Kindred Spirits Inc.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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 &

Status

Certificate of

⊠\$78.75 Filing Fee \$87.50

& Certified Copy

Filing Fee, Certified Copy

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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Loraine M. Cumberledge

901 Hollingsworth Rd.

Lakeland, FL 33801

863-680-3945

Daytime Telephone number

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

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## FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris

Katherine Harris Secretary of State

April 1, 2002

LORAINE M CUMBERLEDGE 901 HOLLINGSWORTH RD LAKELAND, FL 33801

SUBJECT: A KINDRED SPIRITS, INC.

Ref. Number: W02000009038

We have received your document for A KINDRED SPIRITS, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity.

Please select a new name and make the correction in all appropriate places. One or more major words may be added to make the name distinguishable from the one presently on file.

### Adding "of Florida" or "Florida" to the end of a name is not acceptable.

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) 245-6904.

Freida Chesser Corporate Specialist New Filings Section

Letter Number: 102A00019111

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FOR A NOT FOR PROFIT ORGANIZATION WHICH IS NOT A PRIVATE FOUNDATION.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF (A FLORIDA Not for Profit Corporation) In This Together, Inc.

The undersigned, acting as incorporators of a corporation under the Not for Profit Corporation Act of the State of Florida, adopt the following articles of incorporation for such corporation:

#### ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation, hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation" is In This Together, Inc.

ARTICLE II

The period of duration of the Corporation is perpetual.

#### ARTICLE III

The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, community, educational, and empowerment 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. The Corporation may receive and administer funds for community, empowerment, educational, and charitable purposes, within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and to that end, the Corporation is empowered to hold any property, or any undivided interest therein, without limitation as to amount or value; to dispose of any such property and to invest, reinvest, or deal with the principal or the income in such manner as, in the judgment of the directors, will best promote the purposes of the Corporation, without limitation, except such limitations, if any, as may be contained in the instrument under which

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such property is received, these Articles of Incorporation, the By-Laws of the Corporation, or any applicable laws, to do any other act or thing incidental to or connected with the foregoing purposes or in advancement thereof, but not for the pecuniary profit or financial gain of its directors or officers except as permitted under the Not-for-Profit Corporation Law.

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of any member, trustee, officer of the Corporation, or any private individual, except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the Corporation affecting one or more of its purposes, and no member, trustee, officer of the Corporation, or any private individual shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets on dissolution of the Corporation. 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 publication or distribution of statements, any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

Upon the dissolution of the Corporation or the winding up of its affairs, the assets of the Corporation shall be distributed exclusively to one or more charitable, religious, scientific, testing for public safety, literary, or educational organizations which would then qualify under the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and its Regulations as they now exist or as they may be hereafter amended, or to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the Corporation is then located, exclusively said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

#### ARTICLE IV

The qualifications for members and the manner of their admissions shall be regulated by the by-laws.

#### ARTICLE V

The initial street address in the state of Florida. of the initial registered office of the Corporation is 901 Hollingsworth Rd. Lakeland, FL 33801, and the name of the initial registered agent at such address Is Loraine (Lori) M Cumberledge.

#### ARTICLE VI

The territory in which the operations of the Corporation are principally to be conducted is the United States of America and its territories and possessions, but the operations of the Corporation shall not be limited to such territory.

#### ARTICLE VII

The initial board of directors shall consist of at least three (3) members, who need not be residents of the state of Florida.

#### ARTICLE VIII

The names and addresses of the persons who shall serve as directors until the first annual meeting of members, or until their successors shall have been elected and qualified, are as follows:

Dr. Daniel Silber (Board Member)
Dept of Religion & Philosophy
111 Lake Hollingsworth Dr.
Lakeland, FL 33801

Ms Theresa (Terri) Dempsey (Board Member)
Property Management Division
2510 S. Florida Ave.
Lakeland, FL 33803

Ms Cathy Robinson (Board Member)

Director,	
931 Cumberland St.	
Lakeland, FL 33801	
Ms Loraine (Lori) M Cumberledge (Co-Director)	-
901 Hollingsworth Rd	
Lakeland, FL 33801	
Ms Naomi Snowdy (Co-Director)	
5430 Jacob Ave.	
Polk City, FL 33868	
ARTICLE IX	
The name and address of the initial Registered Agent is as follows:	
Ms Loraine (Lori) M Cumberledge	
901 Hollingsworth Rd	-
Lakeland, FL 33801	-
ARTICLE X	
The names and addresses of the initial incorporators are as follows:	
Ms Loraine (Lori) M Cumberledge	
901 Hollingsworth Rd	
Lakeland, FL 33801	-
Ms Naomi Snowdy	
5430 Jacob Ave.	
Polk City, FL 33868	
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have made and subscribed to	-
these Articles of Incorporation at  Amscot Cor B FI Ave Lakeland (location) on	: -

March 13, 2002 (date).

Witness Name	I ACCEPT AS REGISTER			
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