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SUBJECT: The Orlando Chorale, Inc.

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for :

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☒ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: John E. Perkins
Name (Printed or typed)
Executive Director, The Orlando Chorale, Inc.
P.O. Box 536968
Address
Orlando, FL 32853-6968
City, State & Zip
407-816-9476
Daytime Telephone number

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

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**Articles of Incorporation
of
The Orlando Chorale, Inc.
A Corporation Not for Profit**

The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a Corporation pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation of such corporation:

Article I Name

The name of the corporation shall be The Orlando Chorale, Inc.

Article II Principal Office

The address of the initial principal office of the corporation is 16 N. Glenwood Avenue, Orlando, Florida 32803-6273. The mailing address of the corporation is P.O. Box 536968, Orlando, Florida 32853-6968.

Article III Purpose

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes as specified in Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, 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 the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. The specific purpose for which the corporation is organized is to foster and promote public appreciation of the arts in general, and choral arts in particular, through public performances, education, cultural leadership, and any and all other appropriate means.

Article IV Manner of Election

The method of election of the directors of the corporation shall be stated in the bylaws of the corporation.

Article V Initial Directors

The names and addresses of the initial directors are:

John E. Perkins, 5205 Oak Island Road, Orlando, Florida, 32809.
Gregory Ruffer, 16 N. Glenwood Avenue, Orlando, Florida, 32803.
Peter G. Stark, 1111 N. Orange Avenue, Orlando, Florida, 32804.

Article VI Initial Registered Agent and Street Address

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is: John E. Perkins, 5205 Oak Island Road, Orlando, Florida, 32809.

Article VII Incorporator

The name and address of the incorporator is: Gregory Ruffer, 16 N. Glenwood Avenue, Orlando, Florida, 32803.

Article VIII Additional Provisions

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributed to its members, directors, 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 hereof.

No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation (except as otherwise provided by Section 501 (h) of the Internal Revenue Code), and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.


Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (1) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or (2) by a corporation contributions to which are deductible under Section 170 (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of the corporation shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose.

Article IX Effective Date

The existence of the corporation shall begin May 7, 2002.

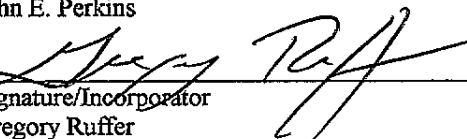
Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.



Signature/Registered Agent
John E. Perkins

5/09/02

Date



Signature/Incorporator
Gregory Ruffer

5/8/02

Date