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	TW CURTIS FOUNDATION, INC.	
SUBJECT: _	(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 &
Certificate of

Status

**□**\$78.75

Filing Fee & Certified Copy

\$87.50

Filing Fee, Certified Copy

& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: _	Steven Contrascere		
FROM:	Name (Printed or typed)		
	401 Margot Ct.		
_	Address	·	
	Brandon, Florida 33511		
-	City, State & Zip		7- :_
	813-760-2764		
-	Daytime Telephone number		

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

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF T.W. CURTIS FOUNDATION, INC

In Compliance with Chapter 617, ES., (Not for Profit)

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ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

T.W. Curtis Foundation, Inc.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

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

331 16<sup>TH</sup> St. North St. Petersburg, Florida 33705

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

Organized exclusively for charitable purposes to include, bringing the arts, children with developmental delays and other special needs and disadvantaged youth together to build a network of support.

The Corporation may receive and administer funds for scientific, religious, educational, and charitable purposes, within the meaning of Section 501©(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 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.

#### ARTICLE IV INFULUENCE LEGISLATION

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.

## ARTICLE V DISTRIBUTIONS UPON DISSOLUTON

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© (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 for such purposes or to such organization or organizations as said Court shall determine which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

# ARTICLE VI MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

The management of this corporation shall be vested in a Board of Directors. The number of directors, and the method of selecting directors, shall be fixed by the Bylaws of this corporation; provided, that the initial directors shall be three.

## ARTICLE VII INTIAL DIRECTORS/OFFICERS

The name(s), address(es) and title(s):

Chief Executive Director T.W. Curtis 331 16<sup>TH</sup> St. North

St. Petersburg, Florida 33705

Executive Director Steven P. Contrascere 401 Margot Ct. Brandon, Florida 33511

Director Courtney Klippeneorf 400 Beach Dr. N. E. St. Petersburg, Florida 33701 President

T.W. Curtis 331 16<sup>TH</sup> St. North St. Petersburg, Florida 33705

Vise President Steven P. Contrascere 401 Margot Ct. Brandon, Florida 33511

Vise President Courtney Klippeneorf 400 Beach Dr. N. E. St. Petersburg, Florida 33701

The initial directors shall serve until the first organizational meeting of the Board of Directors and until their successors are appointed and qualified.

#### ARTICLE VIII BYLAWS

The Board of Directors is authorized to make, alter, amend, or repeal the Bylaws of this corporation.

# ARTICLE IX INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

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

Steven P. Contrascere 401 Margot Ct. Brandon, Fl 33511

#### ARTICLE X ADMENDMENTS

This corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change, or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation by the affirmative vote of a majority of the directors present at a meeting of the Board of Directors.

#### ARTICLE X1 INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

T. W. Curtis 331 16<sup>TH</sup> St. North St. Petersburg, Florida 33705

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 to act as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Signature/Registered Agent

Signature /Incorporator

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