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SUBJECT: Linkage For Life, Inc.
(Proposed Corporate Name - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

☒ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status

FROM: Mingfred D. Aruwa
Name (Printed or Typed)

P.O. Box 681912
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Miami, FL 33168
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

LINKAGE FOR LIFE, INC

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ARTICLE ONE

The name and address of this principal corporation is Linkage For Life, Inc, 1111 Iroquiis Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33312, in Broward County. The corporation is organized pursuant to the Florida Nonprofit Corporation Code.

ARTICLE TWO

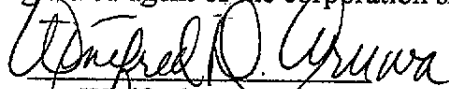
This corporation is a nonprofit public benefit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. The corporation is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law for, charitable and educational purposes. The programs will consist of but shall not be limited to: provide transitional housing, employment readiness training, and life management skills for foster care females who have reached adulthood without returning home or being adopted.

ARTICLE THREE

The duration of this corporation shall be perpetual no stock and shall have no members.

ARTICLE FOUR

The address of the Registered Office is: 18441 NW 2nd Avenue, Suite 106, Miami, FL 33169, and the name and address of the registered agent of the corporation shall be:



Winifred D. Aruwa
18441 NW 2nd Avenue
Miami, FL 33168

ARTICLE FIVE

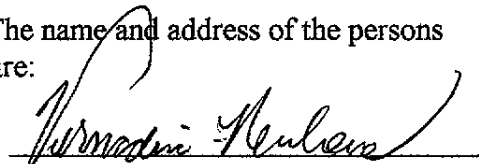
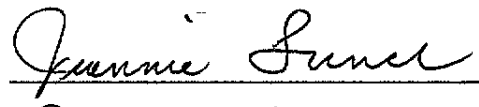

- a. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for Educational and Charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)3 of the Internal Revenue Code.

- b. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to carry 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.

ARTICLE SIX

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:

Vernadina Nevlous President	1111 Iroquii Ave. Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312
Jeannie French Secretary	18976 NW 23 Pl. Pembroke Pines, FL 33029
Joyce Session Treasurer	3720 NW 115 Avenue Coral Springs, FL 33065

ARTICLE SEVEN


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 inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or the benefit of any private person.

ARTICLE EIGHT

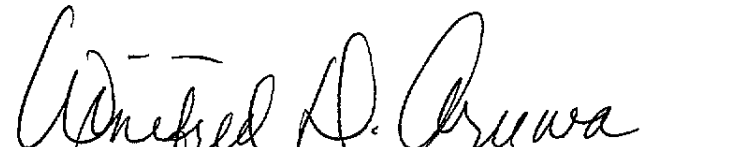
On the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment of, or provision for payment of, all debts, and liabilities of this corporation, shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation, or corporation, which is organized and operated exclusively for, Educational and 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 NINE


Executed on August 9, 2002. The name and address of the incorporator of this corporation shall be:



Winifred D. Aruwa
18441 NW 2nd Avenue, Ste. 106
Miami, FL 33169

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


Date


Signature/Incorporator


Date

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