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Mac A. Greco, III, Associate Andrea L. Hairelson, Associate Alfred J. Tetlow, Associate

January 13, 2003

Secretary of State Division of Corporations P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Re: Predators Softball Club, Inc.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing the Articles of Incorporation of Predators Softball Club, Inc. and the corresponding Certificate Of Acceptance of the Resident Agent for filing as a non-profit corporation. Also enclosed is a page copy of the Articles of Incorporation.

Please acknowledge receipt of this Articles of Incorporation and issue the appropriate Certificate of Status. Please return these documents to this office at 600 Madison Street, Tampa, Florida 33602 to the undersigned's attention.

I am also enclosing a check in the amount of \$78.75 for payment of the appropriate filing fees.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

600 MADISON STREET

TAMPA, FLORIDA 33602-4037

(813) 223-7849

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ALFRED J. TETLOW

AJT/ch Enclosures

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF Predators Softball Club, Inc.

The undersigned subscribers and incorporators to these Articles of Incorporation, each an Individual Resident of Florida, over the age of eighteen years, and competent to contract, hereby associate themselves together to form a non-profit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, pursuant to Florida Law, including but not limited to Florida Statutes, Chapter 617, et. seq., and agree as follows:

#### ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation is: **Predators Softball Club, Inc.**, whose initial principal office is 1504 Cannonade Ct.

Lutz, Florida 33549. The initial mailing address of the corporation is 1504 Cannonade Ct. Lutz, Florida 33549.

#### ARTICLE II

The primary purpose for which this corporation is organized is to form a Youth Softball Team and participate in Youth Sports Programs and to support the community Youth Sports Programs located in the State of Florida. The general purpose of this

non-profit corporation shall be to transact any lawful business for which corporations my be incorporated under Florida Law.

Restrictions: This Corporation shall not carry on any activities which are prohibited by Corporations who are exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the United States Internal Revenue Code or any future corresponding provisions of the United States Internal Revenue Code.

# ARTICLE III

This corporation shall commence existence upon the filing of these Articles of Incorporation with the Secretary of the State of Florida, and shall exist perpetually.

### ARTICLE IV

The name and address of each incorporator and subscriber of these Articles of Incorporation is as follows:

NAME

ADDRESS

Alfred Jeffrey Tetlow

1504 Cannonade Ct Lutz, Florida 33549

#### ARTICLE V

This corporation shall issue no shares of stock of any kind or nature whatsoever. Membership in the corporation and the transfer thereof, as well as the number of members, shall be upon such terms and conditions as provided in the By-Laws. The voting rights of the members shall be as set forth in the By-Laws.

#### ARTICLE VI

Section 1. The affairs of the corporation shall be managed and governed by a Board of Directors composed of not less than three (3) Directors nor more than the number specified in the By-Laws. The Directors, subsequent to the first Board of Directors, shall be elected at the meetings of the membership, for a term of one (1) year, or until their successors shall be elected and shall qualify. Provisions for such election and provisions respecting removal, disqualification and resignation of Directors and for filling vacancies on the Directorate shall be established by the By-Laws.

Section 2. The principal officers of the corporation shall be: President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, who shall be elected from time to time in the manner set forth in the By-Laws adopted by the corporation. Any person may hold two or more offices.

#### ARTICLE VII

The names of the officers who are to serve until the first election of officers, pursuant to the terms of the By-Laws, are as follows:

NAME/OFFICE

ADDRESS

Alfred Jeffrey Tetlow-President/

1504 Cannonade Ct.

Treasurer

Lutz, Florida 33549.

Jerry W. Scott- Vice President

3127 Evansdale Ct

Wesley Chapel, Florida 33543

Debra A. Tetlow- Secretary

1504 Cannonade Ct Lutz, Florida 33549

#### ARTICLE VIII

The following persons shall constitute the first Board of Directors and shall serve until the next election of the Board of Directors pursuant to the By-Laws of the Corporation.

<u>NAME</u>	ADDRESS
Alfred Jeffrey Tetlow	1504 Cannonade Ct. Lutz, Florida 33549.
Jerry W. Scott	3127 Evansdale Ct Wesley Chapel, Florida 33543
Debra A. Tetlow	1504 Cannonade Ct Lutz, Florida 33549

#### ARTICLE IX

The By-Laws of the corporation shall initially be adopted and made by its first Board of Directors.

The By-Laws may be amended, altered, supplemented or modified by the membership at the annual meeting or at a duly convened special meeting of the membership, by vote, as follows:

- A. If the proposed change has been approved by the unanimous approval of the Board of Directors, then it shall require only a majority vote of the total membership to be adopted.
- B. If the proposed change has not been approved by the unanimous vote of the Board of Directors, then the proposed change must be approved by three-fourths (3/4) of the total vote of the membership to be adopted.

#### ARTICLE X

Amendments to these Articles of Incorporation may be proposed by any member or Director and shall be adopted in the same manner as is provided for the amendment of the By-Laws as set forth in Article X above. Said amendment(s) shall be effective when a copy thereof, together with an attached certificate of its approval by the membership, sealed with the corporate seal, signed by the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary, and executed and acknowledged by the President or Vice-President, has been filed with the Secretary of State and all filing fees paid.

# ARTICLE XI

In the event of a conflict between the By-Laws and these Articles of Incorporation, the Articles of Incorporation shall prevail.

# ARTICLE XII

This corporation shall have all of the powers set forth in Florida Statutes, Chapter 617 and all other applicable Florida laws.

# ARTICLE XIII

There shall be no dividends paid to any of the members, nor shall any part of the income of the corporation be distributed to its Board of Directors or officers. In the event there are any excess receipts over disbursements as a result of performing services, such excess shall be applied against future expenses. The corporation may pay compensation in a reasonable amount to its members, Directors and officers for services rendered, and may confer benefits upon its members in conformity within its purposes according to the By-Laws.

In the event of dissolution, the residual assets of the corporation will be transferred to one or more organizations that are exempt from Federal Income Tax as described in Section 501(c)(3) or 170 (c)(2) of the United States Internal Revenue Code or any future corresponding provisions of the United States Internal Revenue Code.

#### ARTICLE XIV

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is: 600 Madison Street, Tampa, Florida 33602 and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation is: ALFRED J. TETLOW, 600 Madison Street, Tampa, Florida 33602.

> Alfred Jeffrey Tetlow 1504 Cannonade Ct. Lutz, Florida 33549.

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

me well known to be the individual or produced the following identification \_\_\_\_\_\_ described in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and acknowledged before me that he executed the same for the purposes therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State above-named, this  $14^{+1}$  day of  $\sqrt{2003}$ .

NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:





# ACCEPTANCE BY RESIDENT AGENT

HAVING BEEN NAMED TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION, AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY. I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATIVE TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF MY DUTIES, AND I AM FAMILIAR WITH AN ACCEPT THE OBLIGATIONS OF MY POSITION AS REGISTERED AGENT.

DATED: 1/19/200

ALFRED JEFFREY TETLOW REGISTERED AGENT FOR

Predators Softball Club, Inc.