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

Articles of Incorporation

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

Article I.

The name of the corporation shall be: Florida State Fiddlers Association, Inc.

Article II. Principal Office

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be: P. O. Box 713, Micanopy, FL 32667

Article III Purpose

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

To promote old-time fiddle music through various activities, including: newsletters, a website, an annual convention, and the annual Official State of Florida Fiddle Contest.

Article IV Manner of Election

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

The Florida State Fiddlers Association, Inc. shall be governed by four directors: President, Vice-President, Treasurer, and Secretary. Additional positions may be added as needed. All positions are elected for two-year terms at the annual membership meeting, the Florida State Fiddlers Association Convention. Members are nominated and then votes cast during the business meeting at the convention, with majority rule to determine the directors.

## **Initial Directors/Officers**

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

President: Charles E. Levy, 426 S. W. 43rd Terrace, Gainesville, FL 32607

Vice-President: Michael V. Stapleton, 7217 N.W. 152<sup>nd</sup> Place, Alachua, FL 32615

Treasurer: Suzanne C. Stapleton, 7217 N.W. 152<sup>nd</sup> Place, Alachua, FL 32615

Secretary: Kay van Treese, Rt 1, Box 145-G, Lamont, FL 32336

Initial Registered Agent and Street Address Article VI

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is: Suzanne Stapleton, 7217 N.W. 152<sup>nd</sup> Place, Alachua, FL 32615

Article VII **Incorporator** 

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Charles E. Levy, 426 S. W. 43<sup>rd</sup> Terrace, Gainesville, FL 32607

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

attilje Registered Agent

Signature/Incorporator

4/24/03 Date 4/24/03