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MARTINEZ FOR SENATE, INC.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF MARTINEZ FOR SENATE, INC.

The undersigned, being above the age of eighteen (18) years and competent to contract, for the purpose of organizing a not for profit corporation under the provisions of Chapter 617 of the laws of the State of Florida, do hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation, and do hereby agree and certify as follows:

ARTICLE I

Name and Principal Place of Business

The name of this Corporation shall be MARTINEZ FOR SENATE, INC., and its principal place of business shall be 255 South Orange Avenue, Suite 1700, Orlando, Florida 32801 and its mailing address shall be P. O. Box 231, Orlando, Florida 32802-0231.

ARTICLE II

<u>Term</u>

This Corporation shall commence corporate existence upon the date of signing of these Articles of Incorporation by the Incorporator and shall have perpetual existence unless sooner dissolved according to law.

ARTICLE III

General Purpose: General Powers

The purposes for which this Corporation is organized is for the promotion of the common business/political interests of its members as an organization exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code (the "Code") of 1986, as amended, not for pecuniary profit, having powers to perform the following activities for that purpose:

- A. Supporting its identified candidate for political office, specifically the Florida Senate.
- B. To carry on any and all lawful activities permitted to a corporation not for profit under the laws of the State of Florida. This Corporation shall have all of the powers conferred on a corporation organized under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act as currently in effect and as it may be amended, and all such other powers as are permitted by applicable law,

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including without limitation all powers necessary or convenient to effect the purpose for which the corporation is organized.

ARTICLE IV

Members

The qualifications for members and the manner of their admission and expulsion shall be as regulated by the Bylaws.

ARTICLE V

Registered Office and Registered Agent

The street address of the initial registered office of this Corporation is 255 South Orange Avenue, Suite 1700, Orlando, Florida 32801, and the name of the initial registered agent of this Corporation at that address is PATRICK T. CHRISTIANSEN.

ARTICLE VI

Manner of Election of Board of Directors

The method of election of directors shall be as stated in the Bylaws but shall never be less than three (3).

ARTICLE VII

Incorporator

The name and street address of the incorporator for these articles of incorporation is:

Patrick T. Christiansen 255 South Orange Avenue Suite 1700 Orlando, FL 32801

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscribing incorporator has hereto set his hand and seal this 6th day of January, 2004, for the purposes of forming this Corporation not for profit under the laws of the State of Florida.

Patrick T. Christiansen

Incorporator

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CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA AND REGISTERED AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

In compliance with Sections 617.0501, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

MARTINEZ FOR SENATE, INC. (the "Company") desiring to organize as a domestic corporation or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida with its principal place of business at 255 South Orange Avenue, Suite 1700, Orlando, Florida 32801, has named and designated PATRICK T. CHRISTIANSEN, with its registered office located at 255 South Orange Avenue, Suite 1700, Orlando, Florida 32801, as its Registered Agent to accept service of process within the State of Florida.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Having been named as Registered Agent for MARTINEZ FOR SENATE, INC. (the "Company") at the place designated in this Certificate, I hereby agree to act in this capacity; and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of Section 617.0503, Florida Statutes, as the same may apply to the Company; and I further agree to comply with the provisions of Florida Statutes, Section 48.091 and all other statutes, all as the same may apply to the Company relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties as Registered Agent.

Dated this 6th day of January, 2004.

Patrick T. Christiansen

Registered Agent

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