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**FLORIDA NON-PROFIT CORPORATION**

**The Goatees, Inc.**

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF**

**THE GOATEES, INC.**

**In Compliance with Chapter 617 Florida Statutes (Not for Profit)**

**ARTICLE I  
NAME**

The name of this corporation is **THE GOATEES, INC.**

**ARTICLE II  
PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal place of business:

**7008 Wiley Road  
Jacksonville, Florida 32208**

And, mailing address of this corporation shall be:

**7008 Wiley Road  
Jacksonville, Florida 32208**

**ARTICLE III  
PURPOSE**

The general nature of the business or businesses to be transacted by The Goatees, Inc. shall be as follows:

(1) To establish, own, conduct, provide, promote, foster, support and engage in activities relative to religious concepts, goals and ideals, including any and all activities, which are lawful and appropriate in accordance with the laws of the United States and the State of Florida. The organization shall engage in activities and programs that serve its members and the community at large, in which to serve to promote religion, education, human development, mutual understanding, and public service;

(2) That of engaging in any activity permitted under the laws of the United States of America, its territories, districts, and possessions, and any activity permitted under the laws of the State of Florida, and to have, exercise and enjoy the powers and privileges granted to corporations not-for-profit by Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, and Sections 170(b) and (c) and 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and its regulations as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended or the corresponding provisions of

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any future United States Internal Revenue Law (herein collectively referred to as the "Internal Revenue Code");

(3) To receive and administer funds for the benefit of the corporation, or its successors, and to that end to accept, receive, take and hold my bequest, devise, grant, gift, purchase, exchange, lease, transfer, judicial order or decree, or otherwise, for any of its objects or purposes any real or personal property, or both, or whatever kind, nature, or description and wherever situated, and subject to limitations hereafter set forth, to use and apply the whole or part of the income therefrom and the principal thereof exclusive for charitable, religious, scientific, literary or educational purposes, either directly, or by contributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code;

(4) To own, use, buy, sell, exchange, convey, mortgage, lease, transfer, invest, hold in trust, or otherwise dispose of, any such property, real or personal, or both, subject to the restrictions and limitations hereafter set forth, and is otherwise described by law;

(5) To borrow money, and from time to time, to make, accept, endorse, execute, and issue bonds, debentures, promissory notes, bills of exchange, and other obligations of the corporation for monies borrowed or in payment for property acquired or for any of the other purposes of the corporation, and to secure the payment of any such obligations by mortgage, pledge, deed, indenture, agreement, or other instrument of trust, or by other lien upon, assignment of, or agreement in regard to all or any part of the property rights, or privileges of the corporation wherever situated, whether now owned or hereafter to be acquired;

(6) To do all and everything necessary, suitable and proper for the accomplishment of any of the purposes, of the attainment of any of the objects, or for the furtherance of the powers herein set forth, either alone or in association with other corporations, firms or individuals and to do every other act or acts, thing or things, incidental or appurtenant to or growing out of or connected with the foresaid business or powers, or any part thereof; provided, that the same be not inconsistent with the laws under which this corporation is organized;

(7) To operate exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, and/or scientific purpose within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, in the course to which operation:

(a) No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to, its directors, members, trustees, officers, or other persons, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable

compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth herein;

(b) 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 publishing or distributing of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office except as authorized under the Internal Revenue Code;

(c) Notwithstanding any other provisions of these regulations, the corporation shall not carry on any other activity not permitted to be carried on: (i) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or (ii) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.

(8) Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Directors shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all the liabilities of the Corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation such a manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code as a directors shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court 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 IV**

#### **MANNER OF ELECTION**

Officers/Directors shall be qualified for admission, and shall be admitted as Officers/Directors, in accordance with the By-laws of this corporation; a two-thirds vote of the membership shall be required for the election of new Officers/Directors or for the removal of current Directors.

#### **ARTICLE V**

#### **INITIAL DIRECTORS/OFFICERS**

This corporation shall have as directors initially those persons designated in this Article below. The number of directors may be either increased or decreased from time

to time by the By-laws, but shall never be less than three (3) and not more than nine (9).  
The names and addresses of the initial directors is corporation are:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Tonya Marie Williams Torres	9646 Highland Ave. Jacksonville, FL 32208
Larry Hinton	7008 Wiley Road Jacksonville, FL 32210
Ginger Brown	7500 Powers Ave., #183 Jacksonville, FL 32217
Willie Elon Anderson	2640 Trollie Lane, Apt. 13 Jacksonville, FL 32211

**ARTICLE VI**  
**INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

The Initial registered agent of this corporation is:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Lewis W. Harper, Esq.	12627 San José Blvd., Suite 302 Jacksonville, FL 32223

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

  
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Signature of Registered Agent

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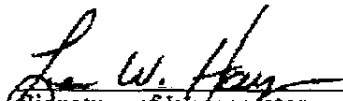
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**ARTICLE VII**  
**INCORPORATOR**

The name of the incorporator of this corporation is:

**NAME**

Lewis W. Harper, Esq.

  
Signature of Incorporator

**ADDRESS**

12627 San José Blvd., Suite 302  
Jacksonville, FL 32223

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