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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

April 15, 2004

Department of State Division of Corporations P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: Escambia County Sheriff's Office, Police Athletic League (PAL), Inc.

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

\$ 87.50

FROM: Escambia County Sheriff's Office, Police Athletic League (PAL), Inc.

Bob DiMonte, President

579 South 72nd Avenue, Apr # 1

Pensacola, Florida 32506

Home: (850) 458-5640 Cell: (850) 291-4100

Articles of Incorporation

ARTICLE I: NAME: The name of this corporation is: Escambia County, ABO SECRETARY OF SECRETARY OF

Police Athletic League (PAL), Inc.

SECRETARY OF STATE

ARTICLE II: PRINCIPAL OFFICE: The principal place of business and mailing address of
this corporation is: 6065 South Gulf Manor, Pensacola, Florida 32526-1568, Escambia County.

ARTICLE III: PURPOSE: This corporation is organized pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statues, as a nonprofit public benefit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person.

- A. The purposes for which this corporation is organized are exclusively religious, charitable, scientific, literary and educational within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law. This will provide an outlet for growth and development in the area of self discipline through organized team sports of choice. Target populations will include but not limited to "At Risk" youth (for example: abused, disadvantaged troubled youngsters and their families). The programs may also consist of and/or provide counseling in: Employment, Permanent Housing, Temporary Shelter, Teen-Age Pregnancy, Substance Abuse, Recovery and Rehabilitation, Mentoring, Educational and Computer Tutoring, Food, Clothing, Job Training, Land Acquisition, After School Activities and other Programs appropriate to the cause of aiding those in need.
- B. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these articles, this corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.
- C. Upon the dissolution of the organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501C(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding section of any future Federal Tax Code, or shall be distributed to the Federal, State, or Local Government for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of, shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the organization is then located, exclusively for such purposes.
- ARTICLE IV: MANNER OF ELECTION: Directors of this organization will be nominated and selected by a majority vote of attendees at the General Meeting. Vacancies created by unforeseen circumstances, such as death, resignation or dismissal, will be filled on a temporary basis by appointments made by the Board of Directors. These temporary appointments will exist until the next Annual or Special Meeting, duly called by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE V: INITIAL DIRECTORS: The number of directors that constitute the initial board of directors is **twenty-two** (22). The names, address and titles of personnel selected as the initial directors of this corporation are:

1700 West Leonard Street Ron McNesby, Sheriff Pensacola, Florida 32501 Chief Operating Officer 579 South 72nd Avenue Aprt # 1 **Bob DiMonte** Pensacola, Florida 32506 President 6065 South Gulf Manor Abel (Ray) Ramos Executive Vice President Pensacola, Florida 32526-1568 P. O. Box 18132 Deborah Parker-Smiley Corporate Secretary Pensacola, Florida 32523 314 South Baylen Street Michael L. Guttmann Attorney - Treasurer and Pensacola, Florida 32501 Chief Financial Officer Kenneth L. Davis 524 West Ramona Street Pensacola, Florida 32501 Vice President - Boxing Coach Larry Downs Jr. 2552 Gulf Breeze Avenue Vice President-Boxing Coach Pensacola, Florida 32507 Patty Woodson 2814 Reese Lane Vice President - Youth Liaison Cantonment, Florida 32533 1700 West Leonard Street Tom Sullivan Chief Grant Writer Pensacola, Florida 32501 Mark E. Crutcher 511 Woodland Drive Senior Pastor, Ph.D Pensacola, Florida 32505 P. O. Box 12910 Jody Skelton Director of Parks and Recreation Pensacola, Florida 32521 Dr. Leo Gonzalez 1500 Governors Drive Apt # 322 **Director Medical Services** Pensacola, Florida 32503 6065 South Gulf Manor Shirley Ramos **Director of Concessions Services** Pensacola, Florida 32526-1568

Marcia Keyes Register Nurse

Thomas Moore

Construction Consultant

2280 North 9th Avenue

Pensacola, FL 32503

5902 Walton Street

Pensacola, Florida 32503

Melvin (Mel) Stinson Director of Computer Technology

3535 Flintwood Circle Pensacola, Florida 32504

Randy M. Ramos Director of Business Development 2676 Tinosa Circle Pensacola, Florida 32526

Randy Blake Director of Youth Relations 1700 West Leonard Street Pensacola, Florida 32501

Bobby Jackson Director of Security 601 Chadwick Street Pensacola, Florida 32503

Karen Dany Dept of Health Volunteer Coordinator 10434 Waterford Drive Pensacola, Florida 32514

Juan Fejeram Director of Security 2013 Tujagues Place Pensacola, Florida 32505

John F. Walker Sports Consultant

2015 Grundy Street Pensacola, Florida 32507

ARTICLE VI: INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS; Bob DiMonte, 579 72nd Avenue, Apartment # 1, Pensacola, Florida 32506.

ARTICLE VII: INCORPORATOR.

Abel (Ray) Ramos, 6065 South Gulf Manor, Pensacola, Florida 32526-1568

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.

Bob DiMonte, Registered Agent

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Date

Abel (Ray) Ramos, Incorporator

APR 1 5 2004

Date