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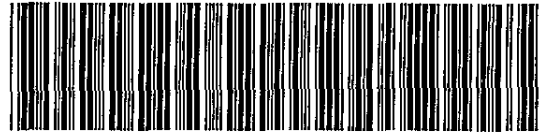
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

FLORIDA GULF COAST Teamsters National Black Caucus INC.

ARTICLES II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

2218 9th Avenue East

Bradenton, FL 34208

Mailing address is P.O. Box 1561, Bradenton, FL 34206

Located in the city of Bradenton, County of Manatee, State of Florida

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

The purpose of this organization is to Provide Educational training to Black Teamsters members, and to uphold the principles which foster opportunities for leadership throughout the International Brotherhood of the Teamsters.

To unite African American Teamsters involvement interests in the Communities, to energetically participate in the businesses of our community and nation.

To promote voter and politics education within the membership and community

To support and foster educational endeavors of students in need of Education, through (a) mentoring (b) tutoring (c) adopted a school (d) and to ease the socioeconomic burden of students, by provide High School Seniors with first year Scholarship or book fund, with an overall average of 3.0 grade point.

Sponsor a yearly award Banquet to recognizes students in the communities

Sponsor organizations having purposes and objectives in common with the Florida Gulf Coast Chapter

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

Manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

The elections of Chapter Officers and executive Board member shall be done by secret ballot of the membership present at the meeting in July of each election year.

- A majority vote of 50% plus (1). Each officer shall serve a term of 3 years.

ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS

List name(s), address(es) and specific title(s)

Ineda Edwards, 2218 9th Avenue East, Bradenton 34208 **President**

David Jonas, 14513 wessex Street, Tampa, FL 33625 **Vice- President**

Barbara Latortue, 1525 19 th Street Court East, Bradenton, FL 34208 **Secretary**

Larry Dupree 8301 River Highland PL, Tampa, FL 33617 **Treasurer**

Johnnie Sloan 1907 Tallevast Rd, Tallevast, FL 34270, **Trustee**

Bradford Sutton, 9715 Fox Chapel Rd, Tampa, Fl 33647 **Trustee**

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida Street address of registered agent is:

Ineda Edwards
2218 th Avenue East
Bradenton, FL 34208

Ineda Edwards

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The Name and address of the Incorporator is:

Ineda Edwards 2218 9th Avenue East, Bradenton, FL 34208
Barbara Latortue, 1525 19th Street Court East, Bradenton, FL 34208
Larry Dupree, 8301 River Highland PL, Tampa, FL 34270

Ineda Edwards
Barbara Latortue
Larry Dupree

New Article added

ARTICLE VIII LIMITATION OF CORPORATE POWERS

The organization shall be empowered to publish papers, pamphlets, newsletters, and bulletins. The organization shall be able to raise revenue and receive funds from governmental agencies resources, public and private resources, and in general to perform all other acts and things from time to time that would be necessary to the effect any, and all of the aforesaid purpose to the extent permitted by law.

1. Upon the dissolution of the Corporation, assets shall be distributed to one or more organizations that are organizes and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious purposes and that shall qualify as exempt organization under the Section 501© (3) of the internal Revenue Code.

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

Ineda Edwards
Signature/ Registered Agent

4/26/04
Date

Signature/ Incorator

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