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July 19, 2004

Secretary of State State of Florida Corporation Department P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

Re: Caribbean People's Relief, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am enclosing Articles of Incorporation for the above referenced corporation, fully executed, for filing with the Florida Secretary of State.

I am also enclosing a check made payable to the Florida Secretary of State in the amount of \$78.75 for the cost of filing said Articles. Please forward a certified copy of the Articles to me.

Thank you for your assistance, and please call me if you require anything further regarding this matter.

Very truly yours,

James H. Titus

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cc: Client

# **ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

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SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

# CARIBBEAN PEOPLE'S RELIEF, INC.

These Articles of Incorporation are made and subscribed for the purposes of organizing a corporation not for profit under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, Chapter 617, Florida Statutes.

#### **ARTICLE I - NAME**

The name of this Corporation, hereinafter referred to as "the Corporation," is:

CARIBBEAN PEOPLE'S RELIEF, INC.

#### **ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal office, place of business and mailing address of the Corporation is 36 River Front Drive; Venice, FL 34293.

#### **ARTICLE III - PURPOSE**

The purpose for which this Corporation is to be organized is exclusively for charitable, religious and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

#### ARTICLE IV - LIMITATIONS AND RESTRICTIONS

- A. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private 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 in Article III hereof.
- 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 the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.
- C. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on:
  - by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code;
  - by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
- D. Upon dissolution of the Corporation, assets of the Corporation remaining after payment of all costs and expenses of such dissolution, shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes or to organizations then qualifying as tax exempt within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code; and none of the assets will be distributed to any member, Officer or Director of the Corporation or to any private individual.

**ARTICLE V - TERM AND DURATION** 

The existence of this Corporation shall commence on the date of subscription and

acknowledgment of these Articles, and shall be perpetual.

**ARTICLE VI - BOARD OF DIRECTORS** 

A. The affairs, property and business of the Corporation shall be managed by a Board of

Directors consisting of the number of Directors determined by the Bylaws, but not less than three

Directors, and in the absence of such determination, the Board shall consist of three Directors.

B. Directors of the Corporation shall serve for such terms and, at the annual meeting of

members of the Corporation, be elected and hold office in the manner, as determined by the Bylaws of

the Corporation. Directors may be removed and vacancies on the Board of Directors shall be filled in

the manner provided in the Bylaws.

C. The initial Board of Directors of this Corporation who shall hold office until their

successors are elected and have qualified, or until removed or resign, shall be:

Dave Armstrong

Address: 6533 Old Ranch Road; Sarasota, FL 34241

Marc Good

Address: 36 River Front Drive; Venice, FL 34293

James H. Titus

Address: 1069 Truman Street; Nokomis, FL 34275

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### **ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the person signing these Articles is:

Marc Good Address: 36 River Front Drive; Venice, FL 34293

## **ARTICLE VIII - BYLAWS**

The power to adopt, alter, amend, or repeal Bylaws shall be in the Board of Directors.

#### **ARTICLE IX - AMENDMENT**

This Corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change, or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned subscriber has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 15 day of July, 2004.

Mark Good, Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF SARASOTA

JAMES H. TITUS

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MY COMMISSION # DD 039939

EXPIRES: November 6, 2005

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Notary Public
Print Name:

My Commission expires:

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# CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

Pursuant to Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with said Act:

First--That **CARIBBEAN PEOPLES RELIEF, INC.**, desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at City of Venice, County of Sarasota, State of Florida, has named MARC GOOD, 36 River Front Drive; Venice, FL 34293, as its agent to accept service of process within this state.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT: (MUST BE SIGNED BY DESIGNATED AGENT)

Having been named to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation, at place designated in this Certificate, I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provision of said Act relative to keeping open said office.

Marc Good Resident Agent

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF SARASOTA

by MARC GOOD, who is personally known to me or who produced as identification and who did not take an oath.

JAMES H. TITUS
MY COMMISSION # DD 039939
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