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Re: Articles of Incorporation - Friends and Relatives of Gifted Students (F.R.O.G.S.), Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find two Articles of Incorporation for the corporation as referenced above together with a check in the sum of \$78.75 to cover the cost of filing.

Please return a conformed copy to the letterhead address above.

Very truly yours,

Debbie Boyce, Secretary to

James S. Lupino

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Enclosures

## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

**OF** 

# FRIENDS AND RELATIVES OF GIFTED STUDENTS, INC.

#### ARTICLE I

We, the undersigned subscribers and directors, all natural persons competent to contract, hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation under Chapter 617 of the laws of the State of Florida.

#### ARTICLE II

The name of this corporation shall be FRIENDS AND RELATIVES OF GIFTED STUDENTS, INC.

#### **ARTICLE III**

This corporation shall exist perpetually.

#### ARTICLE IV

This corporation is organized for the purpose of providing support to and undertake fund raising activities, the proceeds of which are used to directly support the full benefit of the students of the Key Largo School gifted program qualifying as an exempt organization under Section 501c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

#### ARTICLE V

The qualifications for members and shareholders will be stated and regulated by the bylaws of this corporation.

#### ARTICLE VI

The street address of the initial business office of this corporation is 26 Dolphin Road, Key Largo, Monroe County, Florida 33037 and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation is Michele Lee, located at 26 Dolphin Road, Key Largo, Florida 33037.

#### ARTICLE VII

This corporation shall have four (4) voting directors initially. 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. Directors are elected and vacancies filled pursuant to and in accordance with the by-laws. The names and addresses of the initial directors of this corporation are:

Michele Lee, 26 Dolphin Road, Key Largo, Florida 33037

Linda Lane, 706 Barcelona Road, Key Largo, Florida 33037

Melanie Sands, 473 Barracuda Blvd., Key Largo, Florida 33037

Tanya Cullen, 397 Laguna Avenue, Key Largo, Florida 33037

#### ARTICLE VIII

This corporation is organized under a non-stock basis.

#### ARTICLE IX

In the event of dissolution, the residual assets of the organization will be turned over to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in Sections 501c) (3) and 170 c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding sections of any prior or future law, or to the Federal, State or local government for exclusive public purpose.

Said organization is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational and scientific purposes, 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 corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

No part of the net earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the organization 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 the purpose clause hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501 c) (3)

of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

#### ARTICLE X

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

Michele Lee, 26 Dolphin Road, Key Largo, Florida 33037

### ARTICLE XI

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment to them, and any right conferred in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment to them, and any right conferred upon the Shareholders is subject to this reservation.

DATED this 14 day of Dec. \_\_\_\_\_, 2004.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporators of this corporation have

executed these Articles of Incorporation.

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STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF MONROE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 14 day of Dec. , 2004

Notary Public

Print Name: Deborah L. Boyce.
My Commission Expires:

OFFICIAL NOTARY SEAL DEBORAH L BOYCE NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF FLORIDA COMMISSION NO. DD043855 MY COMMISSION EXP. AUG. 7,2005

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In compliance with Section 617, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

First - that FRIENDS AND RELATIVES OF GIFTED STUDENTS, INC., desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal place of business at 26 Dolphin Road, Key Largo, Monroe County, State of Florida 33037, has named Michele Lee, located at 26 Dolphin Road, City of Key Largo, State of Florida 33037, as its agent to accept service of process within Florida.

SIGNATURE

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DATE 12/04/04

(corporate officer)

Having been named to accept service of process for this above-stated corporation, at the place designated in this Certificate, I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all Statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties.

SIGNATURE

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