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| The enclosed Articles of Amendment and fee | are submitted for filing. | |
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Articles of Amendment to Articles of Incorporation of

Festival of the Arts Committee, Inc.

(Name of corporation as currently filed with the Florida Dept. of State)

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(Document number of corporation (if known)

Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, this *Florida Not For Profit Corporation* adopts the following amendment(s) to its Articles of Incorporation:

NEW CORPORATE NAME (if changing):

(must contain the word "corporation," "incorporated," or the abbreviation "corp." or "inc." or words of like import in language; "Company" or "Co." may not be used in the name of a not for profit corporation)

<u>AMENDMENTS ADOPTED</u>- (OTHER THAN NAME CHANGE) Indicate Article Number(s) and/or Article Title(s) being amended, added or deleted: (<u>BE SPECIFIC</u>)

Article III Purpose: Delete existing text and substitute the following:

The Festival of the Arts Committee, Inc. is organized exclusively for the charitable and educational purpose of organizing, promoting and conducting art and craft festivals for the City of Inverness, Florida, and for awarding scholarships to Citrus County students for advanced study in the arts, and to assist in developing Art in the City programs, 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 VIII is added to read:

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

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Continuation of Articles of Amendment to Articles of Incorporation of Festival of the Arts Committee, Inc.

Article VIII continued

for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article III hereof. 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. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

Article IX is added to read:

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the City of Inverness, Florida, 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 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.

| The date of adop | ion of the amendment(s) was: March 15th, 2006 | |
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