



**COVER LETTER**

**TO:** Amendment Section  
Division of Corporations

**NAME OF CORPORATION:** Linking Arms, Inc.

**DOCUMENT NUMBER:** N05000006538

The enclosed *Articles of Amendment* and fee are submitted for filing.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

Kenneth R. Dickerson

(Name of Contact Person)

Linking Arms, Inc.

(Firm/ Company)

P. O. Box 36342

(Address)

Pensacola, FL 32506

(City/ State and Zip Code)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Kenneth R. Dickerson

(Name of Contact Person)

at ( 850 ) 455-7773

(Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

\$35 Filing Fee

\$43.75 Filing Fee &  
Certificate of Status

\$43.75 Filing Fee &  
Certified Copy  
(Additional copy is  
enclosed)

\$52.50 Filing Fee  
Certificate of Status  
Certified Copy  
(Additional Copy  
is enclosed)

**Mailing Address**

Amendment Section  
Division of Corporations  
P.O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

**Street Address**

Amendment Section  
Division of Corporations  
Clifton Building  
2661 Executive Center Circle  
Tallahassee, FL 32301



The date of each amendment(s) adoption: March 31, 2006

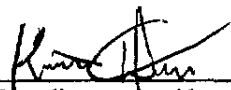
Effective date if applicable: March 31, 2006  
(no more than 90 days after amendment file date)

Adoption of Amendment(s) **(CHECK ONE)**

- The amendment(s) was/were approved by the shareholders. The number of votes cast for the amendment(s) by the shareholders was/were sufficient for approval.
- The amendment(s) was/were approved by the shareholders through voting groups. *The following statement must be separately provided for each voting group entitled to vote separately on the amendment(s):*

"The number of votes cast for the amendment(s) was/were sufficient for approval by  
\_\_\_\_\_."  
(voting group)

- The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the board of directors without shareholder action and shareholder action was not required.
- The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the incorporators without shareholder action and shareholder action was not required.

Signature   
(By a director, president or other officer - if directors or officers have not been selected, by an incorporator - if in the hands of a receiver, trustee, or other court appointed fiduciary by that fiduciary)

Kenneth R. Dickerson  
(Typed or printed name of person signing)

President and CEO  
(Title of person signing)

**FILING FEE: \$35**

**AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

**ARTICLE I  
NAME**

The name of this corporation shall be: Linking Arms, Inc.

**ARTICLE II  
PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

Business Address – 228 Aquamarine Avenue – Pensacola, FL 32505

Mailing Address – P. O. Box 36342 – Pensacola, FL 32506

**ARTICLE III  
PURPOSE**

Linking Arms, Inc. 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.

The purpose of the organization is to train and prepare at-risk youths for adult life through educational resources, sports, mentoring, and tutoring.

**ARTICLE IV  
MANNER OF ELECTIONS**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

**ARTICLE V  
DIRECTORS/OFFICERS**

Kenneth R. Dickerson – 228 Aquamarine Ave – Pensacola, FL 32505 – President and Board of Director Member

Anthony Bell – 8550 Touchton Rd. #138 – Jacksonville, FL 32206 – Vice President and Board of Director Member

Lloyd Towns – 2350 Coniferous Dr. – Belleville, IL 62221 – Treasure and Board of Director Member

Marcus Townsend – 98-410 Koauka Loop #7J – Aiea, HI 96701 – Board of Director Member

Rodney Maddox – 228 Aquamarine Ave – Pensacola, FL 32505 – Board of Director Member

**ARTICLE VI  
REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

Kenneth R. Dickerson – Business Address – 228 Aquamarine Avenue – Pensacola, FL 32505

Kenneth R. Dickerson – Mailing Address – P. O. Box 36342 – Pensacola, FL 32506

**ARTICLE VII  
INCORPORATOR**

Kenneth R. Dickerson 228 Aquamarine Avenue – Pensacola, FL 32505

Kenneth R. Dickerson – Mailing Address – P. O. Box 36342 – Pensacola, FL 32506

**ARTICLE VIII  
EARNINGS**

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 purpose 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 (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 IV  
DISSOLUTION**

Upon the dissolution of the organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the organization 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.