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October 26, 2005

RUTH A. LOFTON 5497 NW 53RD ST. OCALA, FL 34482

SUBJECT: HERITAGE DAYCARE, INC. A/K/A E.W.F.'S HERITAGE DAYCARE,

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We have received your document for HERITAGE DAYCARE, INC. A/K/A E.W.F.'S HERITAGE DAYCARE, INC.. However, the document has not been filed and is being returned for the following:

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An effective date <u>may</u> be added to the Articles of Incorporation <u>if a 2006 date is needed</u>, otherwise the date of receipt will be the file date. <u>A separate article must be added to the Articles of Incorporation for the effective date.</u>

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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

**OF** 

# HERITAGE DAYCARE, INC.

The undersigned, acting as an incorporator hereby adopts and executes the following Articles of Incorporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

## ARTICLE I

Name

The name of this corporation is Heritage Daycare Inc.

## **ARTICLE II**

Duration

The period of duration of this corporation shall be perpetual.

# ARTICLE III

#### **Purposes**

The purposes for which this corporation, a nonprofit charitable organization, is formed are:

- 1. To provide educational enhancement programs to youth and to house instructional or training of individuals for the purpose of improving or developing their capabilities. To conduct seminars and forums that will advocate parental awareness and participation in educational events.
- 2. To engage in any other lawful activity which may hereafter be authorized from time to time by the Board of Directors; provided, however, that the purposes for which the corporation is formed shall at all times be consistent with Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as it now exists or as hereafter

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amended (the "Code"), including within such purposes the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Code.

## ARTICLE IV

#### **Principal Office**

The address of said office in the State of Florida is 3940 N. U.S. Hwy 441, in the City of Ocala. County of Marion, 34475.

## **ARTICLE V**

No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall be devoted to attempting to influence legislation by propaganda or otherwise, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publication or distribution of statements with respect to) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

# **ARTICLE VI**

#### Registered Office

The address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 3940 N. U.S. Hwy 441, Ocala, Florida 34475, and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is Freddie Lofton. The written consent of such person to serve as registered agent is attached hereto.

## ARTICLE VII

#### **Board of Directors**

The management of this corporation shall be vested in a Board of Directors. The number of directors, and the method of selecting directors, shall be fixed by the Bylaws of this corporation.

## ARTICLE VIII

### **Bylaws**

The Board of Directors is authorized to make, alter, amend, or repeal the Bylaws of this corporation. .

# **ARTICLE IX**

#### Limitations

This corporation shall have no capital stock and no part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure in whole or in part to the benefit of, or be distributable to, any officer, director, or other individual having a personal or private interest in the activities of the corporation, or to any person or organization other than an organization which is exempt from federal income taxation under Sections 501(a) and 501(c)(3) of the Code, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered, to make reimbursement for reasonable expenses incurred in its behalf, and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes stated in Article III.

# **ARTICLE X**

#### **Transactions Involving Directors**

- 1. No contracts or other transactions between this corporation and any other corporation, and no act of this corporation shall in any way be affected or invalidated by the fact that any director of this corporation is pecuniary or otherwise interested in, or is a trustee, director, or officer of, such other corporation.
- 2. Any director, individually, or any firm of which any trustee may be a member, may be a party to, or may be pecuniary or otherwise interested in, any contracts or transactions of the corporation; provided, that the fact that such director or such firm is so interested shall be disclosed to or shall have been

known by the Board of Directors or a majority thereof.

## **ARTICLE XI**

#### **Distributions upon Dissolution**

Upon any dissolution of this corporation under provisions of the laws of the State of Florida for nonprofit corporations, all of its assets remaining after payment of creditors shall be distributed to one or more organizations selected by the Board of Directors which are qualified as exempt from taxation under the provisions of Sections 501(a) and 501(c)(3) of the Code, or any successor statutes, and which further the purposes set forth in Article III. In no event shall any of the corporation's assets be distributed to the officers, directors, or members of the corporation.

# **ARTICLE XII**

#### Amendments

This corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change, or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation by the affirmative vote of a majority of the directors present at a meeting of the Board of Directors.

## ARTICLE XIII

No Members

The corporation shall have no members.

# **ARTICLE XIV**

#### Incorporator

The name and address of the incorporator is: Ruth A. Lofton, 5497 NW 53<sup>rd</sup> St, Ocala, FL 34482

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned sole incorporator executed these
Articles of Incorporation, this 14 day of Valober, 2005
Ruth A. Lofton Sole Incorporator
STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF MARION
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 2 day of 2005, by Ruth A. Lofton.
2003, by Ruth A. Lohon.
(NOTARY SEAL)
Gerri Cook  My Commission DD282432  Expires February 17, 2008
Printed Name of Notary
Personally Known OR Produced Identification —
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#### ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named Registered Agent and designated to accept service of process for the within Corporation, at the place designated herein, 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.