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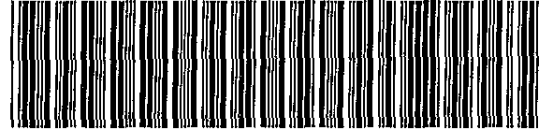
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SUBJECT: Santa Fe Babe Ruth Cal Ripken Inc.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

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\$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

\$87.50
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Michael Griffis
Name (Printed or typed)

20491 NW 257th Terrace
Address

High Springs FL 32643
City, State & Zip

386-454-4045
Daytime Telephone number

NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
In Compliance with Chapter 617.0202, F.S., (Not for Profit)

Articles of Incorporation of the undersigned, a majority of whom are citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Law of the State of Florida, do hereby certify:

Article I: The name of the Corporation shall be **Santa Fe Babe Ruth Cal Ripken Inc.**

Article II: The place in this state where the principal office of the Corporation is to be located is **14300 NW 146th Terrace, Alachua, FL 32615**. The mailing address for the Corporation shall be **PO Box 1720, Alachua, FL 32616-1720**.

Article III: Said Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational 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 the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. The objective is to educate the local area youth about the skills needed to play baseball or softball, essential mental and physical development, a respect for the rules of the game of baseball or softball, and the basic ideals of teamwork, sportsmanship, and fair play. In all aspects, the Corporation is committed to providing participants the very best educational, sports experience possible. It is the goal of the Corporation that every child with a desire to play baseball or softball be afforded that opportunity.

Article IV: At each Annual Meeting, the Members of the Corporation shall determine the number of Directors to be elected for the ensuing year and shall elect such number of Directors. All elections of Directors shall be by majority vote of all members present or represented by a properly executed and signed absentee ballot filed with the Secretary prior to the election meeting. The Annual Meeting should be held on the first Thursday of December and in any case, its exact time and place shall be pre-announced to the Members.

The Board of Directors may appoint a Nominating Committee consisting of not less than one Director and other appointed Members. The committee shall investigate and consider eligible candidates and submit at the Annual Meeting a slate of candidates for the Board of Directors.

All officers, Directors, and members of any committee must be active Members in good standing.

Article V: The names and addresses of the persons who are the initial trustees of the Corporation are as follows:

Michael Griffis (PD), 20491 NW 257th Terrace, High Springs, FL 32643,
Michael Gentry (VPD), 19836 NW 215th Terrace, High Springs, FL 32643,
Monica Helms (SD), 18091 NW 251st Terrace, High Springs, FL 32643,
June Byrd (TD), 13219 NW 140th Street, Alachua, FL 32615.

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Article VI: 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 Third 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, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) 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, or (b) 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. 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 VII: 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 federal government, or to a state or local government, 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.

Article VIII: The initial registered agent is **Michael Griffis** located at **20491 NW 257th Terrace, High Springs, FL 32643**, whose mailing address is **PO Box 1708 High Springs FL 32655**.

Article IX: The Incorporator is **Michael Griffis**
PO Box 1708
High Springs, FL 32655

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Michael Griffis
Signature of Registered Agent

19 Dec 2005
Date

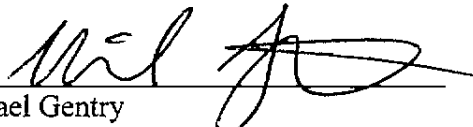
Michael Griffis
Signature of Incorporator

19 Dec 2005
Date

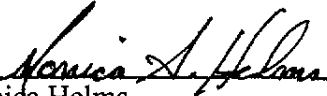
In witness whereof, we have hereunto subscribed our names this 19th day of December 2005.



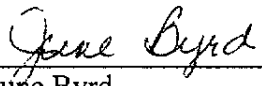
Michael Griffis



Michael Gentry



Monica Helms



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