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SUBJECT: <u>C.R.I.E.D SIDS FOUNDATION. INC.</u>

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME)

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

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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C.R.I.E.D. SIDS FOUNDATION, INC.

UNDER CHAPTER 617, FLORIDA STATUTES (F.S.) NON-PROFIT CORPORATION LAW

The undersigned incorporator(s), in order to form a non-profit corporation under the laws of the state of Florida, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the corporation is C.R.I.E.D. SIDS FOUNDATION, Inc.

ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business shall be located in 7525 169th PL. N PALM BEACH GARDENS County, Florida.

The mailing address of the corporation shall be:

7525 169th PL. N

Palm Beach Gardens, Fl 33418

ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation is organized exclusively for one or more of the purposes as specified in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, 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 C.R.I.E.D. SIDS FOUNDATION, Inc. is to attempt to avert SIDS (Sudden Infant Death Syndrome). The purpose of this corporation is to act as a support resource provider to babies and their parents or caregivers and to promote the understanding of SIDS.

In furtherance of this charitable purpose the Corporation shall, but is not limited to the following:

- a) To provide a heart monitor upon the following conditions:
 - 1) to babies born with a birth weight of six pounds or less,

2) born in Florida,

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- 3) upon discharged from a Florida hospital,
- 4) for up to two years,
- 5) on a loan basis,
- 6) When the parent or caregiver is unable to purchase a heart monitor, or unable to obtain a heart monitor through health insurance.
- b) In the alternative, to provide the parents or caregivers with a choice of a heart monitor or CPR classes - upon the following conditions:
 - 1) for babies born with a birth weight of seven pounds or more,
 - 2) born in Florida,
 - 3) upon discharge from a Florida hospital,
 - 4) for the heart monitor the following conditions apply: for up to two years, on a loan basis and when the parent or caregiver is unable to purchase a heart monitor, or unable to obtain a heart monitor through health insurance
 - 5) or provide the parent or caregiver with CPR classes.
- c) Provide information relating to SIDS and risk reduction to parents, caregivers and the community.
- d) Plan and implement programs, projects and activities in cooperation with governmental agencies and other community organizations and institutes designed to promote infant health and survival through the first two years of life.

In furtherance of the foregoing purpose, the Corporation shall have the right to conduct any and all lawful activities, both alone and in cooperation with other persons or organizations, which may be necessary or proper or incidental in accomplishing or advancing the foregoing purposes.

Any additional provisions for the operation of the corporation are as follows:

Upon the dissolution of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose.

No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation (except as otherwise provided by Section 501(h) of the

Internal Revenue Code), and this 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.

No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of , or be distributable to, its members, directors, officers, or other private person, except that this corporation 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 theses articles.

ARTICLE IV - MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed shall be fixed by, or determined in accordance with the By-Laws, but in any case shall not be less then three(3).

ARTICLE V - INTIAL DIRECTORS

The number of initial directors of this corporation is three. The name(s) and address (es) of the directors of this corporation is:

> Matilda Nieves 7525 169th st North Palm Beach Garden 33418

Carmelo Jr. Nieves 4120 NW 18th Dr. Gainesville, FL 32605

Laurie Stewart 15184 81th Terr Palm Beach Garden Florida 33418

ARTICLE VI - INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and address of registered agent is:

Matilda Nieves

7525 169th PL. N

Palm Beach Gardens, Fl 33418

ARTICLE VII- INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Matilda Nieves

7525 169th PL. N

Palm Beach Gardens, Fl 33418

The undersigned incorporator(s) hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the statements made in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation are true.

Dated: 11/21/05

Incorporator

ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT

HAVING BEEN NAMED AS REGISTERED AGENT TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR <u>C.R.I.E.D SIDS FOUNDATION</u>, INC. 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.

SIGNATURE/REGISTERED AGENT

SIGNATURE/INCORPORATOR

DATE

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