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#### **COVER LETTER**

Department of State Division of Corporations P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: TOPS CO	ORPORATION (PROPOSED CORPORATI	E NAME – <u>MUST INCLU</u>	DE SUFFIX)
Enclosed is an original a  \$70.00  Filing Fee	and one(1) copy of the Article  \$78.75  Filing Fee &  Certificate of  Status	es of Incorporation and a \$\frac{1}{2}\\$78.75  Filing Fee & Certified Copy  ADDITIONAL CO	\$87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate
FROM:	ZERONIE N. GRANT Name (Prin	nted or typed)	_
	8430 EAST DIXIE HIGHW	/AY Idress	_
	MIAMI, FLORIDA 33138 City, St	tate & Zip	
	(786) 202 -8364	enhoue number	_

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



January 18, 2006

ZERONIE N GRANT 8430 EAST DIXIE HIGHWAY MIAMI, FL 33138

SUBJECT: TOPS CORPORATION Ref. Number: W06000002187

We have received your document for TOPS CORPORATION and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity.

Please select a new name and make the correction in all appropriate places. One or more major words may be added to make the name distinguishable from the one presently on file.

#### Adding "of Florida" or "Florida" to the end of a name is not acceptable.

The name of the entity must be identical throughout the document.

The document must state the number of shares of authorized stock.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6931.

Becky McKnight Document Specialist New Filing Section

Letter Number: 706A00003371



February 13, 2006

ZERONIE N GRANT 8430 EAST DIXIE HIGHWAY MIAMI, FL 33138

SUBJECT: TOPS COMMUNITY OUTREACH CORPORATION

Ref. Number: W06000002187

We have received your document for TOPS COMMUNITY OUTREACH CORPORATION and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

This appears to be non profit but you refer to the articles as profit above article 1. Also, please do not refer to shares. Delete article IV.,

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation or a statement that the method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

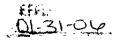
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#### TOPS COMMUNITY OUTREACH CORPORATION

In compliance with Chapter 621, F. S., (Non-Profit)

#### ARTICLE I: NAME:

The name of the corporation shall be:



### TOPS COMMUNITY OUTREACH CORPORATION

#### ARTICLE II: PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

1200 Northwest 102nd Street, Miami, FL 33147

#### ARTICLE III: PURPOSE:

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

For public benefit and not for the private gain of any person. The corporation is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law for charitable, religious, educational, scientific and literary purposes to aid poor and distressed, disadvantaged and underprivileged individuals and families; educating and empowering them towards a life of self-sufficiency. The purpose and aim of the organization is to build and strengthen youths and their families, provide support for families in crisis and provide opportunities for teaching skills for daily living, community enrichment, social and economic reconstruction through dance, drama, the arts, empowerment and education, eliminating prejudice and discrimination, combating community deterioration and juvenile delinquency. Program development will include but not be limited to:

- Developing and promoting a School of Dance as a ministry dedicated to building and
  encouraging youths, young adults and adults to initiate the principles of Kingdom building,
  while providing opportunities for spiritual growth and development, discipleship, corporate
  praise, prayer and worship experiences with a strong emphasis on Kingdom principles for
  successful and victorious living in spirit, soul and body;
- Promote community partnership that targets youth health issues and provide education, awareness and training so as to eliminate risky health behaviors e.g Prevention of Teenage Pregnancy:
- Develop and promote programs that target Youth Delinquency and Prevention with a focus on Positive Youth Development components that provide youths with opportunities to build, practice and acquire skills that assist them in making right choices;

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- Initiate programs and services that seek to build and strengthen family systems, through Parenting Skills Training, Remedial Education, individual and group counseling;
- Developing programs and services to ensure that our female youths become Young Ladies of Substance through Sewing, Fashion Designing and Modeling projects;
- To raise the educational and social levels of the residents of Dade County and other target areas, especially for members of minority communities through after school tutoring, remedial education, GED, Music, and other artistic expressions of the arts, and providing opportunities for vocational training, employability skills training and gainful employment.

#### ARTICLE IV: MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is:

The initial members of the Board shall be appointed by the incorporator and shall be elected to serve full terms of office at the first annual meeting, and thereafter as stated in the By-Laws of the corporation.

#### ARTICLE V: INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS

List name(s) address(es) and specific title(s):

Tondra Everson 1200 NW 102<sup>nd</sup> Street
President Miami, FL 33147

Stephanie Williams 630 NW 46<sup>th</sup> Terrace Treasurer Plantation, FL 33317

Darlean Everson 1200 NW 102<sup>nd</sup> Street

Miami, FL 33147

Althea Palacious 9121 NW 16<sup>th</sup> Avenue

Mlami, FL 33147

Sheila Johnson 311 South Hollybrook Drive, Building 39-102

Pembroke Pines, FL 33025

Robert Whisby 4319 NW 16<sup>th</sup> Avenue

Miami, FL 33147

Vernon Gillum 268 NW 11<sup>th</sup> Street

Miami, FL 33136

#### ARTICLE VI: INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida street address (P.O Box not acceptable) of the registered agent is:

Zeronie N. Grant 8430 East Dixie Highway Miami, FL 33138

#### ARTICLE VI I: INCORPORATOR

The <u>name and address</u> of the incorporator is:

Tondra Everson 1200 NW 102<sup>nd</sup> Street Miami, FL 33147

#### ARTICLE VII: BY-LAWS

The purpose of this organization will always be stressed and governed by the minutes of the meetings of this organization and by the By-Laws and actions of the Board of Directors.

#### ARTICLE VIII: DISSOLUTION OF THE CORPORATION

On the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment of or provision for payment, all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed to a non-profit fund, foundation or corporation, which is organized and operated exclusively for Religious, Charitable, Scientific and Educational 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 so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Common Pleas under the 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 IX: EFFECTIVE DATE

The effective date of said corporation shall be January 31, 2006

### CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 617.0501, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED CORPORATION, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED OFFICE/REGISTERED AGENT, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. The name of the corporation is:

## TOPS COMMUNITY OUTREACH CORPORATION.

(Must include suffix)

2.	The name and address of the registered agent and office is:	JAN 11	
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	Zeronie N. Grant	==	
	(NAME)	$\omega \overset{\sim}{z}$	

8430 East Dixle Highway
(P O Box or Mail Drop Box NOT ACCEPTED

Miami Florida 33138 (CITY/STATE/ZIP)

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate. I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Marine R. Draut	2/0/26
Signature/Registered Agent	Date
Carrie -	2-6-06
Signature /Incorporator	Date