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|             | CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP       |
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SUBJECT: CONSULADO DEL ECUADOR (TAMPA), INC.

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We have received your document for CONSULADO DEL ECUADOR (TAMPA), INC. and your check(s) totaling \$. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The purpose contained in your articles of incorporation should be more specific. Please correct your articles to reflect the specific purpose for which the corporation is being organized.

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 list the appropriate titles (CONSUL AD-HONOREM) is not a title, please correct.

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SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

NAME:

VERA, AGUSTIN FABRIZIO

PID NO:

4006-2844

TITLE:

HONORARY CONSUL

DUTY OFFICE:

HONORARY CONSULATE

LOCATION:

TAMPA, FL

The Department appreciates the information provided by the Embassy and is pleased to approve the opening/maintenance of the above-mentioned post.

Appropriate signs should be used to clearly designate within a multiple-use building, such as a residence or business office, which area is being used for the work of the consular post, inaccordance with the Department's circular diplomatic note dated May 1, 1986.

Pursuant to the Embassy's submission, recognition is accorded to the above-mentioned person as an honorary consular officer at the designated post.

In this capacity he/she will be accorded the following immunties:

In accordance with Article 58 of the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations, and as provided in Article 43 of that Convention, honorary consular officers shall not be amenable to the judicial or administrative authorities of the receiving State in respect of acts performed in the exercise of consular functions.

MR. VERA WAS RECOGNIZED AS HONORARY CONSUL ON OCTOBER 14, 2005. THE EMBASSY IS ADVISED THAT MR. VERA IS CONSIDERED TO HAVE ASSUMED OFFICIAL DUTIES EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 14, 2005, WHEN HE WAS RECOGNIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT AS AN HONORARY CONSULAR OFFICER.

Chief of Protocol

## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

NAME

| The name of the corporation shall be:  |  |                             | FILED            |
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| CONSULADO DEL ECUADOR (TAMPA), INC.  |  | 06                          | JUN 21 PM 2: 1   |
|  | this corporation shall<br>1023 N. API<br>SUITE 101<br>TAMPA, FL 33 | be:<br>MENIAAVE [AL         | CRETARY DE STATE |
| The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:  SEE AHACHED  | •  | ,                           |                  |
| ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION  The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed by the Government of the Provided TO THE US                    | nted:<br>Newt of E<br>DEPARTMENT                                   | ECUADORE<br>TOF STATE       |                  |
| ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR List name(s), address(es) and specific title(s):  | OFFICERS   | «\                          | TIT <u>LE</u>    |
| 4025 N. ARMENIA AVE., SOITE 101  |  | SECRETAR                    | 1                |
| ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENTH The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NO Corporation Service Company, 1201 Hays Street, Tallahass           | T acceptable) of the re  |                             |                  |
| ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR  The name and address of the Incorporator is: AGUSTIN F. VERA 4023 N. ARMENIA AVE., SUITE 101 TAMPA, FL 33607                   |  |                             |                  |
| ***************  | *******  | ******                      | ****             |
| Having been named as registered agent to accept service of p in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointm Corporation Service Company |  | and agree to act in this co | apacity.         |
| By: Lama & Der Laure   | R. Dunlap  | 6/21/0                      | 4                |
| Signature/Registered Agent Ass   | t. V. Pres.  | Date                        | <del></del>      |
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| Signature/Incorporator   |  | Date                        |                  |
| AGUSTIN F. VERA  |  |                             |                  |

# CONSULADO DEL EDUADOR (TAMPA), INC.

## \*\*\*\* PURPOSE \*\*\*\*

The Consulate of Ecuador in Tampa (Consulate) was appointed by the Ministry of Foreign Relatis purpose is to assist Ecuadorian citizens residing or visiting the US, specifically Tampa. The Consulate will assist by providing passports to those Ecuadorian citizens needing them and provided they have appropriate documentation. The Consulate provides Ecuadorian citizens other consular services such as declaration of retirement, wills, certification of matrimony, and long term Visas. Additionally, the Consulate provides other persons of other nationalities needing a VISA to enter Ecuador (with appropriate documentation).

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