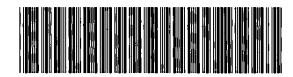
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### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FLORIDIANS AGAINST WORKPLACE VIOLENCE, INC.

#### A FLORIDA NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a not for profit corporation, in compliance with Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, hereby state:

#### ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the corporation is: Floridians Against Workplace Violence, Inc.

#### ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The initial street address of the principal office of the corporation is: 227 South Adams Street, Tallahassee, FL 32301. The corporation may from time to time move its principal office to another location.

#### ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

The purpose of the corporation is to:

- A. Advocate, as a matter of public policy, safety in the workplace from violence;
- B. Inform residents of the State of Florida, through the production of advertisements, direct mailings and through other communications media, of issues facing policy makers impacting safety in the workplace from violence, and to inform policy makers of measures that would not protect Florida's workers from violence in the workplace;
- C. Implement such programs to make the public aware of these issues through the development of coalitions that would support measures that would enhance safety in the workplace and oppose measures that would not protect Florida's workers from violence in the workplace;
- D. Do other acts necessary and appropriate, including accepting contributions and making expenditures, to accomplish these purposes.

#### ARTICLE IV - ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The directors of the corporation shall be elected as provided in the bylaws of the corporation.

#### ARTICLE V - INITIAL DIRECTORS

The names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors of the corporation are:

Rick McAllister 227 South Adams Street Tallahassee, Florida 32301

Randy Miller 227 South Adams Street Tallahassee, Florida 32301

Sally House 227 South Adams Street Tallahassee, Florida 32301

#### ARTICLE VI - REGISTERED AGENT

The initial registered agent of the corporation is: Mark Herron, 2618 Centennial Place, Tallahassee, FL 32308-0572.

#### ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATOR

The name and the address of the incorporator are: Mark Herron, 2618 Centennial Place, Tallahassee, FL 32308-0572.

#### ARTICLE IX - CONFLICT OF INTERESTS

In no way directly of indirectly, incidentally or otherwise, shall any part of the earnings of the corporation inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to any director or officer of the corporation, or any other private person, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation and to make payment for actual expenditures incurred or services rendered to or for the benefit of the corporation and to make payments and distributions for the purposes set forth in Article III hereof.

#### ARTICLE X - DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS

In the event of the dissolution or final liquidation of the corporation, all of the remaining assets and property of the corporation shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all the liabilities and obligations of the corporation and for necessary expenses thereof, be distributed to such entities as determined by the directors for the purposes set forth in Article III hereof. In no event shall any of such assets or property be distributed to any officer or director of the corporation or to any private individual.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have executed t	hese Articles of In-	corporation	n on this 10th
day of April 2007.		$\int_{1}^{\overline{1}}$	
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Mark Herron

2618 Centennial Place

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

Dated this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April 2007 by:

Mark Herron

2618 Centennial Place

Tallahassee, FL 32308-0572

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