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July 17, 2007

TAMMY WATKINS 475 KATHRYN STREET LABELLE, FL 33935

SUBJECT: UNIVERSE ALL-STAR CHEER AND DANCE, INC.

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We have received your document for UNIVERSE ALL-STAR CHEER AND DANCE, INC. 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 of the entity must be identical throughout the document.

The document must contain written acceptance by the registered agent, (i.e. "I hereby am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as Registered Agent.)

The registered agent must sign accepting the designation.

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### **Articles of Incorporation**

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## Universe All-Star Cheer and Dance, Inc. SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE. FLORIDA

A Non-Profit Corporation

The undersigned incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation, a natural person competent to contract, hereby forms a Not for Profit Corporation under the laws of the State of Florida in compliance with Chapter 617.020, F.S., (Not for Profit)

Pursuant to the provision of the Nonprofit Corporation Act of this state, the undersigned incorporators hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

#### Article I

The name of this corporation shall be:

www.nolo.com

Universe All-Star Cheer and Dance, Inc.

#### Article II

The principal place of business and mailing address of this Florida Corporation shall be: 475 Kathryn Street LaBelle, FL 33935

#### Article III

The purposes for which the corporation is organized is:

#### Pursuant to the provisions of section 317.1006, Florida Statutes

- Said organization is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific 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 corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
- b. No part of the net earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the organization shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation to services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purpose set forth in the purpose clause hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization shall not

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participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or Corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or Corresponding section of any future federal tax coe.

c. Upon the dissolution of the organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt 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 public purpose. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common pleas of the county in which the principal office of the organization 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.

The general nature of the business to be transacted by this corporation is:

Tumbling Classes, hip hop dance classes, and cheer and dance squads for ages 3 to 18 by May 31<sup>st</sup>. Fund-raising for the purpose of advancing the gymnastic and dance knowledge of our youth through skill building and participating in various cheerleading and dance competitions through out the United States.

This corporation shall engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United State of America and the State of Florida.

#### Article IV

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

The Directors will be elected for a 5-year term by closed ballot at the first monthly meeting following team tryouts.

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#### Article V

The name(s) and address (es) of the incorporator(s) of this corporation is/are:

Tammy Watkins - President/Director

475 Kathryn Street

LaBelle, FL 33935

Judy Martin - Vice President/Director

P. O Box 113

LaBelle, FL 33975

Paige Fortune - Director

P.O. Box 1674

LaBelle, FL 33975



#### **Article VI**

I hereby am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as Registered Agent.

Tammy Watkins

Initial registered agent and street address.

475 Kathryn Street

LaBelle, FL 33935

#### **Article VII**

Incorporator.

Tammy Watkins

475 Kathryn Street

LaBelle, FL 33935

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Tammy Watkins Incorporator

#### Universe All-Star Cheer and Dance, Inc.

State of Florida

COUNTY of HENDRY

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day, before me, an office duly authorized in the State and County aforesaid to take acknowledgements personally appeared before me

Tammy Watkins

to me know to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing Article of Incorporation, and acknowledged before me that he executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State last aforesaid this 25 m day of Tuly, 2007



Carol W. Sutton notary Public