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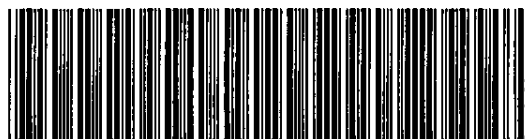
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## COVER LETTER

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

SUBJECT: SISTAH FRIENDS, INC.

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

FROM: YaDonna Russell

Name (Printed or typed)

4630 S. Kirkman Rd. #442

Address

Orlando, FL 32811

City, State & Zip

407-694-0597

Daytime Telephone number

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

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

**OF**

**SISTAH FRIENDS, INC.**

**A Non Profit Corporation**

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SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

The undersigned, being over the age of eighteen (18) years and competent to contract, for the purpose of organizing a Corporation not-for-profit pursuant to the laws of the **State of Florida**, does hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation, and does hereby agree and certify as follows:

**ARTICLE I**

**NAME**

The name of this Corporation shall be Sistah Friends, Inc.

**ARTICLE II**

**PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The physical and mailing address of the principal office of the Corporation shall be 4630 S. Kirkman Rd. Orlando, Florida 32811.

**ARTICLE III**

**PURPOSE AND POWERS**

(1) The purpose for which the Corporation is organized and operated is 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 the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. Such purposes shall include the following:

(a) To equip women with vital truths that lead them to seek God in every aspect of their lives and provide outlets for fellowship and camaraderie, to laugh, uplift and to escape the day to day demands of life, and empower women to "Be" a difference in the lives of those in our communities.

(2) As a means of accomplishing the above purposes and methods, the Corporation shall have the following powers:

(a) To receive and accept gifts of money and property and to hold the same for any of the purposes of the Corporation and its work.

(b) To raise and assist in raising funds for the purposes herein set forth, including the issuance of bonds or other instruments of credits.

(c) To acquire, own, lease, mortgage and dispose of property both real and personal.

(d) To accept property and donations in trust for religious or charitable purposes.

(3) The property of the Corporation is irrevocable dedicated to religious, educational and charitable purposes, and no part of the net earnings of the corporation/organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, directors, officers or other private persons, except that the corporation/organization shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of Section 501 (c)(3) purposes.

(a) No substantial part of the activities of the corporation/organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation/organization 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.

(b) The Corporation shall not:

(1) operate for the purpose of carrying on a trade or business for profit;

(2) accumulate income, invest income, or divert income, in a manner endangering its exempt status; or

(3) except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activity or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of the Corporation.

## **ARTICLE IV**

### **MANNER OF ELECTION**

Directors shall be elected as set forth in the Corporation's Bylaws.

## **ARTICLE V**

### **INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

This Corporation shall have four (4) directors initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time in accordance with the Bylaws, but shall never be less than three (3). The name and street addresses of the initial directors of this Corporation are:

YaDonna Russell –President 4630 S. Kirkman Rd. #442 , Orlando, FL 32811

Taneka Harris –Vice President/Secretary 76 San Blas Ave. Kissimmee, FL 34743

Jennifer Green–Treasurer 3705 Rundo Dr. Orlando, FL 32818

## **ARTICLE VI**

### **INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE**

The name and address of the registered agent shall be as follows: YaDonna Russell 4630 S. Kirkman Rd #442 Orlando, FL 32811

## **ARTICLE VII**

### **INCORPORATOR**

The name and street address of the Incorporator is: YaDonna Russell 4630 S. Kirkman Rd. #442 Orlando, FL 32811

## **ARTICLE VIII**

### **BYLAWS**

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal bylaws shall be vested in the Board of Directors.

## **ARTICLE IX**

### **INDEMNIFICATION**

This Corporation may be empowered to indemnify any officer or director, or any former officer or director in the manner set out and provided for in the bylaws of this Corporation.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation/organization shall not carry on any other activities nor permitted to be carried on:

(1) by a corporation/organization exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the I.R.S. Code (or corresponding section of the any future Federal tax code) or

(2) by a corporation/organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the I.R.S. Code (or corresponding section of any future Federal tax code.)

(b) Upon dissolution of this corporation/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 a public purpose.

## ARTICLE X

### AMENDMENT

This Corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these articles of incorporation, or any amendment hereto.

Ya Donna Russell 8/3/07

Signature Incorporator /Date

Ya Donna Russell President

Print Name Title

Having been named as registered agent to accept services of process for the above stated corporation 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.

Ya Donna Russell

Signature/Registered Agent

Ya Donna Russell 8/3/07

(Print Name ) Date

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