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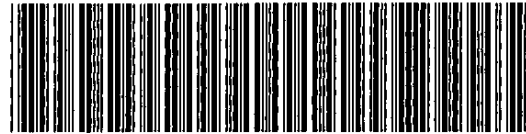
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Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
P. O. Box 6327  
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**SUBJECT:** Global Institute for Sustainable Cities Incorporated  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME ? MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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: Kangming Xu  
Name (Printed or typed)

1564 NW 183rd Avenue  
Address

Pembroke Pines, Florida 33029  
City, State & Zip

954-663-1683  
Daytime Telephone number

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



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Corporations

September 10, 2007

KANGMING XU  
1564 NW 183RD AVENUE  
PEMBROKE PINES, FL 33029

SUBJECT: GLOBAL INSTITUTE FOR SUSTAINABLE CITIES INCORPORATED  
Ref. Number: W07000044568

We have received your document for GLOBAL INSTITUTE FOR SUSTAINABLE CITIES INCORPORATED. However, the document has not been filed and is being returned for the following:

The designation of the registered office and the registered agent, both at the same Florida street address, must be contained within the document pursuant to Florida Statutes. The registered agent must sign accepting the designation as required by Florida Statutes.

Please return the corrected 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**  
In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

**ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be:

Global Institute for Sustainable Cities Incorporated

**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

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

1564 NW 183rd Avenue, Pembroke Pines, Florida 33029

**ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

Conduct research and provide technical assistance for the development and application of improved methods for managing urban systems that are both economically and environmentally sustainable.

**ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

Elected

**ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS**

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

Kangming Xu, 1564 NW 183rd Avenue, Pembroke Pines, FL 33029, President  
Xiaoduan Sun, 800 rosedown lane, Lafayette LA 70503, Vice President  
William Thornhill, 2007 Freedom Lane, Falls Church VA 22043, Vice President

**ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

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

Kangming Xu  
1564 NW 183rd Avenue  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33029

**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Kangming Xu  
1564 NW 183rd Avenue  
Pembroke Pines, Florida 33029

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*Having been named as registered agent to accept service 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.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature/Registered Agent

\_\_\_\_\_  
September 16, 2007

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature/Incorporator

\_\_\_\_\_  
September 16, 2007

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