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**NOVEMBER 12, 2007** 

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS P.O. BOX 6327 TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA 32314

SUBJECT: THE ASSOCIATION FOR CHILD CARE PROFESSIONALS INC

**DEAR SIR:** 

ENCLOSED PLEASE FIND THE FOLLOWING

- THE ORIGINAL AND ONE COPY OF THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FOR THE SUBJECT CORPORATION. PLEASE CERTIFY ONE COPY AND RETURN IT TO THE REGISTERED AGENT.
- 2. OUR CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$70.00 TO COVER THE FILING FEE.
- DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT.

KINDLY ACKNOWLEDGE FILING OF THESE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, IN COMPLIANCE WITH FLORIDA LAW AND RETURN THE CERTIFIED COPY OF THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION TO THE UNDERSIGNED.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE IN THIS MATTER.

SINCERELY.

MARK BROMS



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October 17, 2007

THE ASSOCIATION FOR CHILD CARE PROFESSIONALS INC POST OFFICE BOX 60326 PALM BAY, FL 32906-0326

SUBJECT: THE ASSOCIATION FOR CHILD CARE PROFESSIONALS INC.

Ref. Number: W07000051363

We have received your document for THE ASSOCIATION FOR CHILD CARE PROFESSIONALS INC and your check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

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.

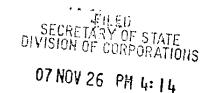
An effective date <u>may</u> be added to the Articles of Incorporation <u>if a 2008 date is needed</u>, otherwise the date of receipt will be the file date. <u>A separate article must be added to the Articles of Incorporation for the effective date.</u>

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 OF**

THE UNDERSIGNED INCORPATOR, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FORMING A CORPORATION UNDER THE FLORIDA BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT, IN COMPLIANCE WITH CHAPTER 617, F.S. (NOT FOR PROFIT) HEREBY ADOPT THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

#### ARTICLE I. NAME

THE NAME OF THE CORPORATION SHALL BE:
THE ASSOCIATION FOR CHILD CARE PROFESSIONALS INC

ARTICLE II. PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS

THE PRINCIPAL OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION IS LOCATED AT 3679
WHISPERWOOD CIRCLE, MELBOURNE FL 32901, AND THE MAILING
ADDRESS OF THE CORPORATION IS P O BOX 60326 PALM BAY, FLORIDA
32906-0326

ARTICLE III. PURPOSE

The ACCP was formed to support the needs and aspirations of Early Childhood professionals in Brevard County.

Members of the Association represent pre-schools and daycares committed to quality, professional childcare and willing to share and collaborate to make it even better.

Primary areas of focus for the Association include:

- 1) Supporting Child Care owners and operators by reducing expenses associated with delivering quality child care
- 2) Developing a professional workforce by increasing quality <u>Professional Development and Training</u> opportunities
- 3) Supporting Child Care professionals by offering affordable and high quality health and retirement benefits
- 4) Providing a <u>forum for networking and collaborating</u> on issues of common interest

### ARTICLE IV. INITIAL OFFICERS/ DIRECTORS

THIS CORPORATION SHALL HAVE TWO INITIAL OFFICERS. THE NUMBER OF DIRECTORS MAY BE EITHER INCREASED OF DIMINISHED FROM TIME TO TIME BY THE BYLAWS BUT NEVER SHALL BE LESS THAN ONE. THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE INITIAL OFFICERS ARE:

MARK BROMS 3679 WHISPERWOOD CIRCLE MELBOURNE. FLORIDA 32901 KAREN HEINLY 410 KOUTNIK ROAD PALM BAY, FLORIDA 32909

#### ARTICLE V. REGISTERED AGENT

THE NAME AND FLORIDA STREET ADDRESS OF THE REGISTERED AGENT IS: LOUIS VENUTI 2440 SAVANNAH BLVD TITUSVILLE, FLORIDA 32780

#### ARTICLES VI. INCORPORATOR

THIS CORPORATION SHALL HAVE TWO INCORPORATORS. THE NAMES AND ADDRESS OF THE INCORPORATORS OF THIS CORPORATION ARE:

MARK BROMS
3679 WHISPERWOOD CIRCLE
MELBOURNE. FLORIDA 32901

KAREN HEINLY 410 KOUTNIK ROAD PALM BAY, FLORIDA 32909

#### ARTICLE VII. AMENDMENTS

THIS CORPORATION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO AMEND OR REPEAL ANY PROVISION CONTAINED IN THESE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, OR ANY AMENDMENT HERETO, BY A MAJORITY VOTE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

#### ARTICLE VIII MANNER IN WHICH DIRECTORS ARE ELECTED

AFTER AN ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING AND KAREN HEINLY AND MARK BROMS VOLUNTEERED AND THEY WERE VOTED IN.

THE UNDERSIGNED INCORPORATORS HAVE EXECUTED THESE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION THIS <u>19</u> TH DAY OF NOVEMBER 2007

MARK BROMS

KÄREN HEINLY

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS 607.0501 OR617.0501, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED CORPORATION, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED OFFICE/REGISTERED AGENT, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

- 1. THE NAME OF THE CORPORATION IS: THE ASSOCIATION FOR CHILD CARE PROFESSIONALS INC
- 2. THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE IS:

LOUIS VENUTI 2440 SAVANNAH BLVD TITUSVILLE, FL 32780

HAVING BEEN NAMED AS REGISTERED AGENT AND TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY ACCEPT THE APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT AND AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY. I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATING TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE

PERFORMANCE OF MY DUTIES, AND I AM FAMILIAR WITH AND ACCEPT THE OBLIGATIONS OF MY POSITION AS REGISTERED AGENT.

**LOUIS VENUTI** 

**NOVEMBER 12, 2007**