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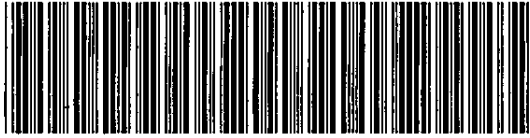
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## COVER LETTER

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

**SUBJECT:** Hope for Our Children, 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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**FROM:** Edlyne Thelusma  
Name (Printed or typed)

451 SW 113 Way Unit 12-451  
Address

Pembroke Pines, Florida 33025  
City, State & Zip

305-742-4866  
Daytime Telephone number

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

**Articles of Incorporation  
of**

**Hope for Our Children, Inc.**

**A Nonprofit Corporation**

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Pursuant to Chapter 617,FS., (Not For Profit), the undersigned incorporator hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

**Article 1**

The name of this corporation is: Hope for Our Children, Inc.

**Article 2**

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

7763 Ramona Street  
Miramar, Florida 33023

**Article 3**

The purposes for which this corporation is organized are: To help and encourage children and their families to grow and succeed in every area of life; through the use of, but not limited to advocacy, nurturance, education, counseling, wellness, and shelter. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for the purposes within the meaning of 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and shall only engage in acts or activities that are permitted in ordinance to 501(c)(3) tax exempt purposes.

**Article 4**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed: At the regular meeting of directors, directors shall be elected by the board of directors. Voting for the election of directors shall be by written ballot. Each director shall cast one vote per candidate, and may vote for as many candidates as the number of candidates to be elected to the board. The candidates receiving the highest number of votes up to the number of

directors to be elected shall be elected to serve on the board.

## **Article 5**

The number of initial directors of this corporation shall be three and the names, address and specific title(s) of the initial directors are as follows:

Jermith A. Fothergill    President  
7763 Ramona Street  
Miramar, Florida 33023

Edlyne Thelusma        Vice President  
451 SW 113 Way Unit 12-451  
Pembroke Pines, Florida 33025

Ayisha Fothergill       Secretary  
7763 Ramona Street  
Miramar, Florida 33023

## **Article 6**

The name and Florida address of the registered agent is:

Edlyne Thelusma  
451 SW 113 Way Unit 12-451  
Pembroke Pines, Florida 33025

## **Article 7**

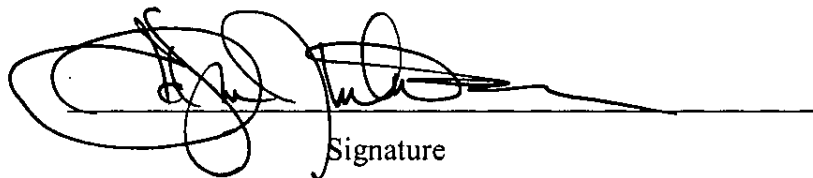
The name and address of incorporator is:

Edlyne Thelusma  
451 SW 113 Way Unit 12-451  
Pembroke Pines, Florida 33025

## **Article 8**

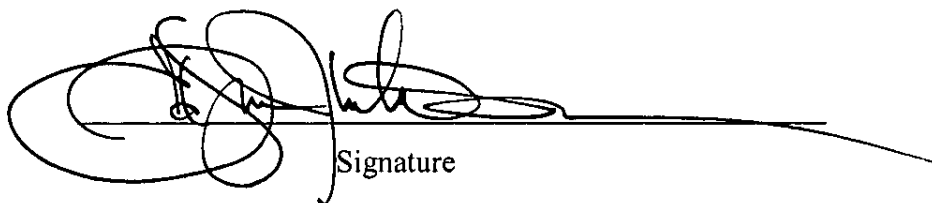
Upon the dissolution of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, or all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes with the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to the a state or local government, for a public purpose.

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.

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Edlyne Thelusma Registered Agent

The undersigned incorporator executed these articles of incorporation on November 30, 2007

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Edlyne Thelusma Incorporator

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