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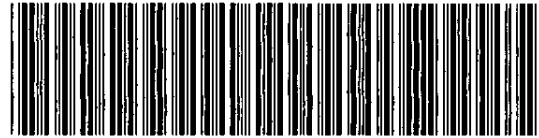
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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: American Legion Bruckenthal-Cann Memorial Post 385
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

☐ \$70.00
Filing Fee

☒ \$78.75
Filing Fee &
Certificate of
Status

☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Roy Schofield
Name (Printed or typed)

2900 SW 155 Lane
Address

2900 SW 155 Lane
City, State & Zip

954-914-5647
Daytime Telephone number

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



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Division of Corporations

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March 11, 2008

ROY SCHOFIELD
2900 SW 155 LANE
DAVIE, FL 33331-1516

SUBJECT: AMERICAN LEGION BRUCKENTHAL-CANN MEMORIAL POST
385

Ref. Number: W08000012800

We have received your document for AMERICAN LEGION BRUCKENTHAL-CANN MEMORIAL POST 385 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 corporation must contain a corporate suffix. This suffix may be: CORPORATION, CORP., INCORPORATED, or INC. Sections 617.0401(1)(a) and 617.1506(1), Florida Statutes, prohibits the use of the word COMPANY or CO. in the name of a non-profit corporation.

You must list the corporation's principal street address and/or a mailing address in the document. A post office box is not acceptable for the principal address.

The title(s) in the officer/director field(s) is/are not acceptable. Please refer to the following link for acceptable officer/director title information.
<http://www.sunbiz.org/titledef.html>.

The document must contain a registered agent with a Florida street address and a signed statement of acceptance. (i.e. I hereby am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities of Registered Agent.)

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.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6933.

Dale White
Regulatory Specialist II
New Filing Section

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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:

American Legion Bruckenthal-Cann Memorial Post 385, Inc.

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ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

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

Business Address: 2900 SW 155th Lane
Davie, Florida 33331

Mailing Address: Post Office Box 266708
Weston, Florida 33326-6708

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

Please see attached

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

Please see attached

ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS

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

Roy Schofield,	2900 SW 155th Lane, Davie, FL 33331	Commander
Joseph Mora,	19239 NW 22nd Street, Pembroke Pine, FL 33029	Vice Commander
David McDonald,	620 Laurel Lane West, Pembroke Pines, FL 33027	Vice Commander
Joseph Motes,	2133 NW 208th Terrace, Pembroke Pines, FL 33029	Treasurer

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

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

Roy Schofield
2900 SW 155th Lane
Davie, Florida 33331

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Roy Schofield
2900 SW 155th Lane
Davie, Florida 33331

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

March 18, 2008

Date



Signature/Incorporator

March 18, 2008

Date

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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ARTICLE III PURPOSE

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The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

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The American Legion is the world's oldest & largest Veterans Organization. The American Legion is made up of veterans of the United States Armed Forces, Coast Guard & Merchant Marines. People from all walks of life are involved in the American Legion and Legion programs in every community across the nation. The American Legion was created to help the men and women serving in our armed forces, and those who served before them.

What Does the American Legion Do? Over the last 80+ years, the American Legion has provided significant influence on the course of American history. The GI Bill, which provides education, economic, small business and home ownership assistance to qualified veterans, was created and named by Legionnaires.

We also work closely with elected officials at all levels of government to ensure the best benefits possible are available for our veterans and their families. Just as they were promised.

The American Legion takes great pride in caring for our countries future, our children. We have programs that focus on education, drug awareness, child literacy, flag education, scouting and baseball. There truly is something for everyone.

We also support our troops who are deployed, as well as their families back home through our Family Support Network, The American Legacy Scholarship, and the Temporary Financial assistance Program.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

ELECTIONS

Majority vote is necessary to elect if there is no by-law to the contrary. Plurality vote never elects except by special by-laws. **A person ineligible to hold office at the time of election cannot be elected even by unanimous vote.** The usual methods of election are by voice, or by ballot (a secret vote). The by-laws may provide that election shall be by ballot except when there is but one candidate for office, the election may be by voice. The ballot vote is the fairest vote when there is more than one choice for an office. When the by-laws require the vote to be taken by ballot, it is out of order to move that the adjutant or any other person shall cast the ballot of the assembly, as ballot vote is a secret vote and each voter must cast their own ballot.

Attachment – Page 2 of 2 Continuation of Elections

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ELECTION BY VOICE

The election to office may be by voice, and vote taken on each candidate separately, or the assembly may, by a majority vote, order the vote taken on the ticket as a whole when there is but one candidate for each office.

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ELECTION BY BALLOT

Ballots should be given to identified voting members only. The names of candidates for each office may be printed or written on the ballot, or the voter may write the name of choice on the ballot. The identity of the voter must not be indicated in any way, as a ballot is a secret vote. If printed ballots are used, the names from the floor and those proposed by the Nominating Committee must be printed on the official ballot. Printed ballots cannot be used if nominations and elections take place at the same meeting. Instructions may be given to the assembly concerning the method of marking the ballot. An unmarked (blank) ballot is just a scrap of paper and is not counted in elections. The Election Committee has no authority to make any changes in the election ballot or mark it in any way. The vote cast for each office must be preserved in such manner that if the election is questioned, the voter may be verified by a recount. If printed ballots are used, the Election Committee places the voted ballots in a sealed packet together with its report (signed by at least a majority of the Election Committee), and delivers the packet, sealed, to the adjutant. This sealed packet shall not be opened except by order of the assembly or the board for the purpose of verifying the vote, or destroying the packet. If slips of paper are used for voting for each separate office, the votes cast for each office must be sealed in a separate packet and delivered to the adjutant in like manner.

The form of the report of the Elections Committee for each office to be filled is as follows (Example): "For commander—Number of votes cast—30; necessary for election—16; Brown received—19; Jones received—10; Green received—1." After the vote for all the offices has been read (the largest vote for each office stated first), the names of the committee members signing the report are read, the report is handed to the commander, and the reporting member sits. The commander announces who is elected. In counting the ballots, every name for which a vote has been cast must be reported. Newly-elected officers take their seats at the time prescribed in the by-laws. If there is no such rule, they are seated following election, or at the time established by usage as a precedent. When there is more than one vice-commander, they always should be numbered to establish their precedence when acting as commander pro tem.