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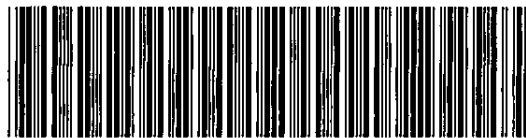
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SUBJECT: ADVOCACY BUILDING INITIATIVE INC.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
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☐ \$87.50
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: DR. VEDA BAILEY
Name (Printed or typed)

P.O. BOX 297303
Address

PEMBROKE PINES, FLORIDA. 33029
City, State & Zip

305-333-7645
Daytime Telephone number

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
ADVOCACY BUILDING INITIATIVE INC.
In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

ARTICLE I

The name of the Corporation shall be: Advocacy Building Initiative Inc.

ARTICLE II

The principal place of business of this Corporation shall be: 19426 NW 13 St, Pembroke Pines, Florida, 33029 and the mailing address of this Corporation shall be: P.O. Box 297303, Pembroke Pines, Florida, 33029

ARTICLE III

The purpose for which the Corporation is organized is: to engage underserved populations in advocating for an enhanced quality of life through education, skill building and mobilization of resources.

ARTICLE IV

The fiscal year of the Corporation shall begin on the 1st day of January and end on the 31st day of December of each year.

Section 1 Annual Meeting. The annual meeting of the Board of Directors shall be held on the 15th day in the month of December each year, at the hour of 7:00 pm, for the purpose of electing Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. If the day fixed for the annual meeting shall be a legal holiday, such meeting shall be held on the next succeeding business day.

Section 2 Special Meetings. Special meetings of the Board, for any purpose or purposes, unless otherwise prescribed by statute, may be called by the President or by the Board of Directors.

Section 3 Place of Meeting. The Board of Directors may designate any place, either within or without the state of Florida, unless otherwise prescribed by statute, as the place of meeting for any annual meeting or for any special meeting.

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Section 4 Manner of Election. The directors of the Corporation shall be elected or appointed in the manner and for the terms provided in the bylaws. The Corporation shall have officers which may be divided into such classes as shall be provided in the bylaws. All officers shall be accepted, appointed, elected or designated in the manner provided in the bylaws.

ARTICLE V

The names, addresses, and titles of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors and officers are:

Director	Dr. Victor Wallen	9000 NW 32 St., Coral Springs, Florida, 33065
Director	Frank Sellier	2017 Glenwood Road, Brooklyn, New York, 11210
Director	Ingrid Williams	7351 Fairway Blvd., Miramar, Florida, 33023
President and Chief Executive Officer	Dr. Veda Bailey	P.O. Box 297303, Pembroke Pines, Florida, 33029

ARTICLE VI

The name and address of the initial registered agent is as follows:

Dr. Veda Bailey, 19426 NW 13 St. Pembroke Pines, FL. 33029

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the incorporator is as follows:

Dr. Veda Bailey, P.O. Box 297303, Pembroke Pines, FL. 33029

ARTICLE VIII


No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees or other private persons except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article III hereof. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from Federal Income Tax

under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.


No part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, or participating in, or intervening in (including the publication or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

Upon the dissolution of the Corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for payment of all the liabilities of the Corporation, dispose of the residual assets of the Corporation exclusively for the stated purposes of the Corporation in such manner, or to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in Sections 501(c)(3) and 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding Sections of any future Internal Revenue Code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to the state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Superior Court of the county in which the principal office of the Corporation is then located, for such purposes or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

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 Dr. Veda Bailey



Signature/Incorporator Dr. Veda Bailey

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