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#### **COVER LETTER**

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

SUBJECT:	North Horida Daim 1 am INC.	
_	(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – <u>MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX</u> )	

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

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FROM: Lester D. Smith

Name (Printed or typed)

3737 ST Jo Has BluFF Rd. S Apt. 1767

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Jackson ville, FL 32224

City, State & Zip

904 - 755 - 2487

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

Articles of Incorporation of North Florida Swim Team a Florida Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation

## **ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the Corporation shall be:

North Florida Swim Team Inc.

# **ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal street address and mailing address, if different is:

Street Address:

**Mailing Address:** 

North Florida Swim Team Inc.

North Florida Swim Team Inc.

3737 St Johns Bluff Rd. S.

PO Box 19853

Apt. 1707

Jacksonville, FL 32245

Jacksonville, FL 32224

#### ARTICLE III PURPOSE

- A. This corporation is a nonprofit public benefit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law for charitable purposes.
- B. This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes and for the purpose of fostering local, regional, national or international amateur sports competition (but only if no part of its activities involve the provision of athletic facilities or equipment) within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation and the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law of (b) by a corporation, contributions to

which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law.

### **ARTICLE IV BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

- A. The Board of Directors shall consist of President, Vice President, Treasurer, and Secretary. The number of directors, the qualifications for such and the election of same shall be determined by the Board of Directors. Each director shall serve until his/her successor is duly elected and qualified. Directors shall be of full age and citizens of the United States, but need not be residents of the State of Florida. Each director will be required to undergo a criminal and financial background check.
- B. Election and Term of Office. Each director will serve a (2) year term. The Board of Directors will nominate and elect the new board.

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

- 1. Hank Langenfelder, President, 1200 Stonehedge Trail Ln, St. Augustine,FL 32092
- 2. Charlotte Glass, Treasurer, 1494 Greyfield Dr., St. Augustine,FL 32092
- 3. Lester D. Smith, Vice President, 3737 St. Johns Bluff, Rd. S, Apt. 1707, Jacksonville, FL 32224

#### **ARTICLE VI POWERS**

- A. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation and this corporation shall not participate in or intervene in (including publishing or distributing statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.
- B. All corporate property is irrevocably dedicated to the purposes set forth in Article III above. No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of any of its directors, trustees, officers, private shareholders or members, or to individuals.
- C. On the dissolution and winding up of this corporation, after paying or adequately providing for the debts, obligations and liabilities of the corporation, the remaining assets of this corporation shall be distributed to such organization (or organizations) organized and operated exclusively for the purposes of this corporation as set forth in Article III of these Articles of Incorporation which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding

- provision of any future United States internal revenue law) and which has established its tax-exempt status.
- D. The corporation shall distribute its income for each tax year at such time and in such manner as not to become subject to the tax on undistributed income imposed by Section 4942 of the internal revenue code or corresponding provisions of any later federal tax laws.
- E. The corporation shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 4941(d) of the Internal Revenue Code or any corresponding provisions of any later federal tax laws.
- F. The corporation shall not retain any excess business holdings as defined in Section 4943(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or any corresponding provisions of any later federal tax laws.
- G. The corporation shall not make any investments in such manner as to subject it to tax under Section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code or any corresponding provisions of any later federal tax laws.
- H. The corporation shall not make any taxable expenditures as defined in Section 4945(d) of the Internal Revenue Code or any corresponding provisions of any later federal tax laws.

# ARTICLE VII INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

Lester D. Smith, 3737 St. Johns Bluff Rd. S, Apt. 1707, Jacksonville, FL 32224

## ARTICLE VIII INCORPORATOR

Lester D. Smith, 3737 St. Johns Bluff Rd. S, Apt. 1707, Jacksonville, FL 32224

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation ate 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

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Signature/Incorporator

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Date