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## COVER LETTER

Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
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**SUBJECT:** Orange Ridge Florida Chapter, SPEBSQSA 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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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM:** Richard M. Shaw  
Name (Printed or typed)

35 Vagabond Lane  
Address

Winter Haven, Florida 33881  
City, State & Zip

(863) 324-6044  
Daytime Telephone number

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

# **ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S. (Not for Profit)

## **ARTICLE I NAME**

The Name of the corporation shall be: **Orange Ridge Florida Chapter, SPEBSQSA, Inc.**

## **ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal street address and mailing address, if different is:  
**35 Vagabond Lane, Winter Haven, Florida 33881**

## **ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

**The purposes of this chapter shall be to perpetuate the old American institution, the barbershop quartet, and to promote and encourage vocal harmony and good fellowship among its members; to encourage and promote the education of its members and the public in music appreciation; to initiate, promote and participate in charitable projects; and to promote public appreciation of barbershop harmony.**

**The chapter activities shall be conducted without personal gain for its individual members and any profits or other inurements to the chapter shall be used in promoting the purposes of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quarter Singing in America, Inc., its districts or chapters.**

## **ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

**The officers and directors shall be elected as provided in the Bylaws of the corporation.**

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

List names and addresses and specific titles:

**Richard M. Shaw, President  
35 Vagabond Lane  
Winter Haven, Florida 33881**

**George D. Norton, Secretary  
109 Arrowhead Lane  
Haines City, Florida 33844**

**Arthur H. Maynard, Treasurer  
708 Volterra Boulevard  
Poinciana, Florida 34759**

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**ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGEND AND STREET ADDRESS**

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is:

**George D. Norton**  
**109 Arrowhead Lane**  
**Haines City, Florida 33844**

**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

**Richard M. Shaw**  
**35 Vagabond Lane**  
**Winter Haven, Florida 33881**

*Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation and the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.*

*George D. Norton*  
Signature/Registered Agent

11-20-08  
Date

*Richard M. Shaw*  
Signature/ Incorporator

11/20/08  
Date

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