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Division of Corporations

December 23, 2008

WILLIAM B. DESUE, SR.
6152 9TH AVE CIRCLE NE
BRADENTON, FL 34212

SUBJECT: JOY LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACADEMY, INC.
Ref. Number: W08000056573

We have received your document for JOY LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACADEMY, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

You must list at least one incorporator with a complete business street address.

An effective date may be added to the Articles of Incorporation **if a 2009 date is needed**, otherwise the date of receipt will be the file date. **A separate article must be added to the Articles of Incorporation for the effective date.**

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) 245-6928.

Tim Burch
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William B. DeSue, Sr.
6152 9th Avenue Circle N.E.
Bradenton, Florida 34212

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


Re: Filing fees for not for profit corporation (Joy Learning and Development Academy)

To Whom It May concern:

Please find enclosed check in the amount of seventy eight dollars and seventy five cents (\$78.75) which represents the required fees for Filing of Articles , Designation of Registered Agent and one (1) Certified Copy of Articles filed.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,


William B. DeSue, Sr.

Enclosures

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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These Articles of Incorporation are adopted for the purpose of forming a corporation not for profit under the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act, to be filed with the Florida Department of State, as follows:

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is Joy Learning and Development Academy, Inc. The address of its principal office is the same as the mailing address, which is 6152 9th Avenue Circle N.E., Bradenton, Florida 34212. The principal office address and mailing address may be changed on any one or more occasions by two-thirds vote of the Directors.

ARTICLE II

Effective Date Jan. 15, 2009

The corporation is being formed by William B. DeSue, Sr. as Incorporator, whose address is 6152 9th Avenue Circle N.E., Bradenton, Florida 34212.

ARTICLE III

The corporation shall commence its existence effective the fifteenth day of January two thousand nine with the filing of these Articles of Incorporation with the Florida Department of State and it shall exist perpetually thereafter.

ARTICLE IV

The corporation is organized exclusively for nonprofit purposes, specifically to establish a school for the learning and development of children in Manatee County, Florida.

ARTICLE V

The corporation shall not issue shares of stock and membership in the corporation shall be evidenced by Membership Certificates which shall contain a statement that the corporation is a non profit corporation. The qualifications for membership and the admission of members in the corporation shall be regulated by the by-laws of the corporation.

ARTICLE VI

The corporation shall be governed by a Board of Directors and there shall be an initial board of three Directors. The number of Directors of the corporation may be changed by provisions in or amendments to the by-laws, but the number of Directors shall never be less than three. The initial Directors shall hold office until the election of successor Directors by the members or until their earlier resignation or removal in accordance with the by-laws and Florida law. Directors shall be elected by majority vote of the members in such manner, at such times, and for such terms as are specified in the by-laws. The following

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persons shall be the initial Directors of the corporation, whose names and addresses are:

Barbara R. DeSue
6152 9th Avenue Circle N.E.
Bradenton, Florida 34221

William B. DeSue, Sr.
6152 9th Avenue Circle N.E.
Bradenton, Florida 34212

Marjani DeSue-Jones
1609 9th Avenue East
Bradenton, Florida 34208

ARTICLE VII

The Corporation shall have as its Officers, a President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer, together with such other Officers as may be specified in the by-laws. The duties and responsibility of each respective office shall be as stated in the by-laws. Officers shall be elected by majority vote of the Directors in such manner, at such times, and for such terms as are specified in the by-laws.

ARTICLE VIII

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal by-laws shall be vested in the Board of Directors; however, the corporation may also adopt, alter, amend, or repeal by-laws in which event the members may provide and any by-law made by them that such by-law shall not be altered, amended, or repealed by the directors.

ARTICLE XI

The registered office of the corporation shall be at 6152 9th Avenue Circle N.E., Bradenton, Florida 34212 and the initial registered agent at that address is William B. DeSue, Sr... Such office and agent may be changed by majority vote of the Directors.

ARTICLE X

Amendment of these Articles of Incorporation shall require not less than two-thirds vote of the members, at any regular meeting of the members or at any special meeting of the members called for that purpose.

ARTICLE XI

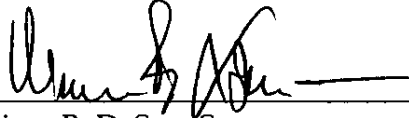
No dividends shall be paid by the corporation and no part of the income of the corporation shall be distributed to its members, Directors, or Officers, or

other persons, except that the corporation may pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and may confer benefits upon its members in conformity with the purposes of the corporation. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda or attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate or intervene (which includes the publishing or distribution of statements) in political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. The corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on (l) by a corporation exempt for Federal Income Tax under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal revenue Law, or (i i) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.

ARTICLE XII

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall provide for the payment of all liabilities of the corporation, and shall thereafter dispose of all remaining assets of the corporation exclusively in conformity with the purposes of the corporation, or to such organization or organizations existing and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal revenue Code of 1954, or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law. Such disposition shall be within the discretion of the Board of Directors and any assets not disposed of in the foregoing manner shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court for Manatee County, Florida, exclusively for the same purposes or to the same qualified organizations.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, these Articles of Incorporation are subscribed this
27 day of December, 2008



William B. DeSue, Sr.

State of Florida
County of Manatee

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 27 day of December, 2008 by William B. DeSue, Sr., who personally appeared before me, did not take an oath, and is known to me to be the person described in and who executed the forgoing instrument.

Sharon L. Thomas

Name:

Notary Public, State of Florida



ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT

I, William B. DeSue, Sr. accept my appointment as registered agent for the corporation and will maintain the registered office of the corporation at 6152 9th Avenue Circle N.E., Bradenton, Manatee County, Florida 34212. I am familiar with and accept the obligations imposed upon me as Registered Agent by Florida Law.

Dated this 27 day of December, 2008

William B. DeSue, Sr.
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