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**SUBJECT: Bridgeway International, Inc.**  
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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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CEPHAS S TARDZER  
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SUBJECT: BRIDGEWAY INTERNATIONAL, INC.  
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We have received your document for BRIDGEWAY INTERNATIONAL, 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):

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity.

Please select a new name and make the correction in all appropriate places. One or more major words may be added to make the name distinguishable from the one presently on file.

**Adding "of Florida" or "Florida" to the end of a name is not acceptable.**

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.

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
In Compliance With Chapter 617, F. S., (Not for Profit)  
**BRIDGEWAY PRODUCTIONS INTERNATIONAL, INC.**

Articles of Incorporation of the undersigned, a majority of whom are citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Law of the State of Florida, do hereby certify:

**ARTICLE I: NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be Bridgeway Productions International, Inc.

**ARTICLE II: PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The place in this State where the principal office of the Corporation is to be located is the city of Poinciana, Osceola County, and the mailing address of this corporation shall be:

311 Medina Court  
Poinciana, FL 34758

**ARTICLE III: PURPOSES**

(i) The corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including for such purposes the creation and presentation of:

- Music, drama, and wellness workshops
- Performances in church of activities related to music, plays, writing, and drama
- Staged and directed choreography including elements of drama and instrumental music performances to general audiences
- The teaching of basic concepts of stagecraft, costume design, and stage technology through performance
- The enhancement of creative and choreographic development in children and adults
- Simple techniques and methods of fostering writing and learning skills through play and drama
- New dance forms to audiences in America and around the world.
- Collaborative efforts with local, national or international performing artists and dance groups

(ii) The making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

(iii) The organizing of fundraising drives and grant search activities from time to time to secure funding for its programmed activities; and.

(iv) The discharge of any other functions authorized under Section 617.0202 of Florida Statutes.

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**ARTICLE IV: BOARD OF DIRECTORS - MANNER OF SELECTION**

There shall be a Board of Directors made up of subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation. Additional Board members may be nominated and elected by the Board as stipulated in Article III of the Bylaws of this corporation. The number of Directors at any one time may not exceed twelve (12) natural persons.

**ARTICLE V: INITIAL DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS**

The names and addresses of persons who are members of the initial Board of Directors are as follows:

Rebecca Torres  
311 Medina Court  
Poinciana, FL 34758

Courtney Haynes  
2337 Oceancrest Blvd.  
Far Rockaway, NY 11691

**ARTICLE VI: MEMBERSHIP**

The corporation shall have no members.

**ARTICLE VII: POWERS AND VOTING RIGHTS**

The corporation, its directors, and officers shall exercise all corporate powers as provided in the Florida Statutes and shall have the right to vote at the meetings of the Board of Directors.

**ARTICLE VIII: OFFICERS**

The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a President, a Secretary, and Treasurer who will each be elected for a period of seven (7) years. The names of the initial officers who will serve until the first election of officers is held by the corporation are:

Rebecca Torres, President  
Rebecca Torres, Treasurer  
Courtney Haynes, Secretary

**ARTICLE IX: PROHIBITED ACTS**

(a) No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, 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.

(b) No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation (except as otherwise provided by Section 501(h) of the Internal Revenue Code.)

(c) The corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.

(d) Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, 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 or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

(e) The corporation shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 4941 of the Internal Revenue Code nor shall it retain any excess business holdings as defined in Section 4943(c) of the Code.

#### **ARTICLE X: DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS UPON DISSOLUTION**

Upon the dissolution of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

#### **ARTICLE XI: BYLAWS**

Bylaws will be adopted by the initial Board of Directors or the initial bylaws may be adopted or the initial bylaws may be repealed or amended in whole or in part at an annual meeting of the Board, but any such resolution repealing or amending the initial bylaws or adopting new bylaws shall require a vote of not less than two-thirds (2/3) of the Directors present and entitled to vote.

**ARTICLE XII: INCORPORATOR**

The name and mailing address of the incorporator is:

Cephas S. Tardzer  
706 Bittern Way  
Kissimmee, FL 34759-4543

  
Signature/Incorporator, Cephas S. Tardzer

12/22/2008  
Date

**ARTICLE XIII: INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

The name and street address of the Registered Agent at the offices of the corporation is:

Cephas S. Tardzer  
706 Bittern Way  
Kissimmee, FL 34759-4543

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*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, Cephas S. Tardzer

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