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## TRANS BURKE 18665 N.W. 37<sup>th</sup> AVENUE, #140 MIAMI, FLORIDA 33056 786-277-8099

January 5, 2009

DEPARTMENT OF STATE DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS P.O. BOX 6327 TALLAHASSEE, FL 32314

RE:

Transitioning Lives Center, Inc.

(A Not-for-Profit Corporation)

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation for the above corporation and a check in the amount of \$87.50 for filing fee, certified copy and certificate of status.

FROM:

Trans Burke

18665 N.W. 37th Avenue, #140

Miami, Florida 33056

786-277-8099

I have enclosed a self-addressed stamped envelope, your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Trans Burke

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

#### FOR

## TRANSITIONING LIVES CENTER, INC. (A Not-For Profit Corporation)

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Business Corporations Act, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation.

## ARTICLE I: CORPORATE NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

Transitioning Lives Center, Inc.

## ARTICLE II: PRINCIPLE PLACE OF BUSINESS

The principle place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be!

18665 NW 37th Avenue, #140 Miami, Florida 33056

#### **ARTICLE III: PURPOSE**

The purpose for which this corporation is organized, is to reach out to low income families in the community by providing excellent services while putting family first. These services include but are not limited to programs such as aftercare, tutoring, volunteering, dance, art, music, performing arts, community outreach, parenting classes, finance classes, housing classes and how to live daily.

Transitioning Lives Center, Inc., ultimate goal is to prevent our children from joining gangs, drop out intervention, pre-jail and prison alternatives, education on drug abuse, teenpregnancy and how to become productive in today's society. To impart a glimpse of hope for our children's tomorrow.

Transitioning Lives Center, Inc., shall be a non-profit corporation and is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational and scientific purposes under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

No part of the net earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the organization 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 the purpose clause hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Upon the dissolution of the organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose.

#### **ARTICLE IV: APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTORS**

Board of Directors shall be appointed by the President of Transitioning Lives Center, Inc. The management and affairs of the corporation shall be at all times under the direction of the President, whose operations in governing the corporation shall be defined by statute and by the corporation's by-laws.

## **ARTICLE V: DIRECTORS/OFFICERS**

The officers of the corporation are, as follows:

Director/President:

Trans Burke

18665 NW 37th Avenue, #140

Miami, Florida 33056

Vice President:

Rodney Bruce

4227 NW 24<sup>th</sup> Avenue Miami, Florida 33142

Secretary/Administrator:

Jadda Crosby

920 North 66th Terrace Hollywood, Florida 33024

Treasurer:

Lance Burke

18665 N.W. 37th Avenue #140

Miami, Florida 33056

#### **ARTICLE VI: REGISTERED AGENT AND ADDRESS**

The name and address of the initial registered agent is:

Trans Burke

18665 NW 37th Avenue, #140

Miami, Florida 33056

# **ARTICLE VII: INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Trans Burke 18665 NW 37<sup>th</sup> Avenue, #140 Miami, Florida 33056

The undersigned has executed these Articles January, 2009.	s of Incorporation this day of
Trans Burke	1/7/09
Signature of Incorporator	Date
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