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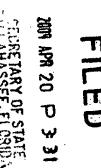
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# **COVER LETTER**

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

SUBJECT: Wizards of	Home Plate, Inc. (PROPOSED CORPORA	ATE NAME – <u>MUST INCLU</u>	JDE SUFFIX)
Enclosed is an original a	and one(1) copy of the Art	icles of Incorporation and	a check for :
\$70.00 Filing Fee	\$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status	\$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy  ADDITIONAL CO	\$87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate
FROM:	Edwin Russo Name (	Printed or typed)	
	6350 NW 77th CT	Address	-
	Parkland, FL 33067 City	, State & Zip	_
	954-345-6585		

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

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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

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#### ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be: Wizards of Home Plate, Inc.

SECRETARY OF STATE MILLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

#### ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal street address and mailing address, if different is: 6350 NW 77th CT Parkland, FL 33067

#### ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

- (a) to encourage the establishment of recreation and competitive softball and baseball programs, teams and leagues.
- (b) to aid in the development of the physical and mental well being of the participants/members of the program.
- (c) to enhance the self esteem and to provide leadership roles for the players.
- (d) to instill firmly in the players of the program the ideals of (i) good sportsmanship (ii) loyalty. honesty, courage (iii) respect for the game (iv) respect for ones parents & authority (v) and honesty so they may be well adjusted, more skilled and happier people and will grow and continue to develop into good, decent, trustworthy adults.
- (e) to create supervised softball & baseball activities for players, such as softball and baseball teams, leagues, and programs, softball & baseball related schools, clinics, camps, private instruction, for the purposes of teaching softball & baseball related skills, conditioning, & knowledge to the players and encouraging participation in such activities.
- (f) to raise money through registration fees, activity fees, sponsors fees, coaching fees, or any other activities which are necessary to support the program, to organize said softball/baseball activities, to purchase softball/baseball equipment and other related softball baseball items, whenever it is deemed necessary by the program, and in general to achieve the purposes of the softball/baseball program.
- (g) to acquire by gift, lease, purchase, or otherwise, personal, mixed, or real property for uses and purposed of the program, and to sell, lease, and dispose of the same at the discretion of the programs directors; and
- (h) to make and perform contracts, and to perform any other acts, and to engage in any other activity or business which is now or may hereafter be permitted under the law of United States and of the State of Florida, and to do and perform any and all things necessary or incident to the performing and carrying out the objectives of the softball/baseball program and the powers articulated hereinabove specifically delegated or implied.

#### ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed: a general membership meeting of the voting members of program, hence it's directors, and shall be held annually in the month of December each and every year for the purposes, of among other things, to elect the board of directors.

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

List name(s), address(es) and specific title(s):

Shannon Russo - President

Eddie Russo - Vice President/Secretary

Shastine Russo - Treasurer

6550 NW 77th CT. PARKLAND, FL 33067

### ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is: **Edwin Russo** 6350 NW 77th CT Parkland, FL 33067

#### ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The <u>name and address</u> of the Incorporator is: Edwin Russo 6350 NW 77th CT Parkland, FL 33067

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

Signature/Incorporator

 $\frac{4/12/2009}{Date}$