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We have received your document for RODS INTERNATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER, 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):

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#### **ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

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

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a nonprofit Corporation under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, Florida Statutes, Chapter 617, makes and adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

### ARTICLE I

The name of the Corporation is as follows: **RODS INTERNATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER, INC.** 

## ARTICLE II Principal Office

The principal place of business and mailing address of the corporation is:

7525 NE 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Miami, FL 33138

# ARTICLE III Purposes

The primary objective of RODS International Resource Center, Inc., is to but shall not be limited to: To provide public benefit in a community based setting for men, women, children, families and businesses. Citizenship studies; basic computer literacy beginners class; tax workshops; life skills and solutions; workshop on credit assessment; first time home buyers workshops; foreclosure prevention information seminars; assisting the physically disabled, battered (women or men), homeless and veterans; basic auto maintenance workshop; and voter registrations.

The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, and educational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501©(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. The Corporation may receive and administer funds for religious, educational, and charitable purposes, within the meaning of Section 501©(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and to that end, the Corporation is empowered to hold any property, or any undivided interest therein, without limitation as to amount or value; to dispose of any such property and to invest, reinvest, or deal with the principal or the income in such a manner as, in the judgment of

the directors, will best promote the purposes of the Corporation, without limitation, except limitations, if any, as may be contained in the instrument under which such property is received, these Articles of Incorporation, the By-Laws of the Corporation, or any applicable laws, do any other act or thing incidental to or connected with the foregoing purposes or in advancement thereof, but not for the pecuniary profit or financial gain of its directors or officers except as permitted under the Not-for-Profit Corporation Law.

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of any member, trustee, officer of the Corporation, or any private individual, except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the Corporation affecting one or more of its purposes, and no member, trustee, officer of the Corporation, or any private individual shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets on dissolution of the Corporation.

No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting, to influence legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in or intervene in, including the publication or distribution of statements, any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

Notwithstanding any other provisions 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, 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.

## ARTICLE IV Manner of Election

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed: The method of election of directors as stated in the by-laws.

## ARTICLE V Dissolution

On the dissolution of the Corporation, the board of directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the Corporation, distribute all of the assets of the Corporation exclusively for charitable, scientific or educational purposes in such manner and to such qualified organization or organizations as the board of directors shall determine. Any of the assets not so distributed shall be distributed in accordance with the direction of any court having jurisdiction in the county in which the principal office of the Corporation is then located, exclusively for the above purposes of the Corporation or to a qualified organization or organizations as the court shall determine.

#### ARTICLE VI Initial Board of Directors and Officer

Board Member

Address

David Navarro President 2152 Ensenada Terrace Weston, FL 33327

Lydia R. De Alvarez

1815 NE 187<sup>th</sup> Street

Secretary

North Miami Beach, FL 33179

Susana Q. Navarro Treasurer

2152 Ensenada Terrace Weston, FL 33327

#### ARTICLE VII Initial Registered Agent

The Florida street and mailing address of the registered office is Winifred D. Browne, 6445 NE 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue Miami, FL 33138.

## ARTICLE VIII Name and Address of Incorporator

The name and street address of the initial incorporator is as follows:

Winifred D. Browne 6445 NE 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue Miami, FL 33138 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 of Registered Agent

Signature of Incorporator

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