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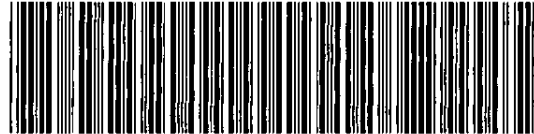
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
South Florida Educational Development Center, Inc.
620 North West 2ND Avenue
Hallandale Beach, Florida 3300

August 8, 2009

Department of State
Division of Corporations
P.O. Box 6397
Tallahassee, Florida
32314

SUBJECT: ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION APPLICATION

Dear Sir/Madame:

Attached are one original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation for South Florida Educational Development Center, Inc.

Included is a money order in the amount of \$78.75 for filing fee and Certified Copy fee.

Hoping that this application is in compliance with the filing requirements.

Sincerely,


Sandra Atkins

Registered Agent

Cc: Ms. Lee – Vice President
Mr. Browne – Secretary
Mr. Wiggins – 2nd Vice President
Mr. Mike Keels- Treasure

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(Florida not-for-profit corporation)

The undersigned, acting as the incorporator of South Florida Educational Development Center, Inc. a not-for-profit corporation under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, as set forth in Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, as amended, (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation") and as President of the Corporation, by virtue of the authority granted in Resolution 2009 approved by a majority of the Corporation's Board of Directors at it's July 21, 2009, meeting, hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for the Corporation:

ARTICLE I: NAME

The name of the Corporation shall be: South Florida Educational Development Center, Inc. hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation."

ARTICLE II: OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS

The address of the principal office and the mailing address of the Corporation is: 620 Northwest 2nd Avenue , Hallandale Beach, Florida 33009.

Mailing Address: 2860 Somerset Drive #103, Lauderdale Lakes, Florida 33311

ARTICLE III: PURPOSES

The Corporation is organized and operated exclusively for religious, charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (i) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or any future corresponding provision of any

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future United States Internal Revenue Law; or (ii) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or any future corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.

The primary purpose of this organization is to provide educational training and activities to youth and adults in underserved communities in the South Florida Area. Our training programs will be geared to address public safety, life skills, counseling and employment readiness training, health care services and to provide academic support and guidance for this target population. The Corporation's target goal will be to reach the general population.

ARTICLE IV: RESTRICTIONS ON ACTIVITIES

No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, nor shall this corporation participate in, or intervene in, any political campaign or candidacy for public office.

ARTICLE V: MEMBERSHIP

The Corporation shall be non-membership.

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ARTICLE VI: REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT
INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida street address of the initial registered agent is:

Sandra Atkins
2860 Somerset Drive Unit 103 Drive
Lauderdale Lakes
(754) 204-5947

Having been named as the registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

The Corporation's registered office shall be:
620 Northwest 2nd Avenue, Hallandale Beach, Florida 33009

Sandra Atkins shall be the registered agent of the Corporation at that address.



SANDRA ATKINS – REGISTERED AGENT

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ARTICLE VII: BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors shall consist of five (5) persons. The number may be increased or decreased from time to time by an amendment to the Corporation By-Laws. However, there shall never be less than three (3) persons on the Board of Directors. All members of the Board of Directors shall be selected as provided for in the Corporation By-Laws. No member of the Board of Directors will be entitled to or shall receive any compensation for participation on the board. Board members will be required to agree to all Conflict of Interest guidelines established by the corporation and noted in the By-laws.

The Board of Directors consists of:

Ms. Sandra Atkins – President
2860 Somerset Drive Unit 103
Lauderdale Lakes, Florida 33311

Mike Keels – Treasurer
1632 South 25TH Avenue
Hollywood, Florida 33020

Mr. Brian Browne - Secretary
1740 NW 187th Street
Miami Gardens, FL 33056

Ms. Jennifer Lee – Vice President
8651 Northwest 86th Avenue
Lauderhill, Florida 33351

Mr. Ricky Wiggins – Vice President
20850 San Simeon Way Unit 506
Miami, Florida 33179

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ARTICLE VIII: OFFICERS

The officers of the Corporation shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Public Relations Officer and such other officers as may be provided by the By-Laws. No member of the Board of Directors will be entitled to or shall receive any compensation for participation on the board. Board members will be required to agree to all Conflict of Interest guidelines established by the corporation and noted in the By-Laws.

ARTICLE IX: AMENDMENTS

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended at any regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors by a majority vote of those present, provided that notice of the intent to submit amendments shall have been given as provided by the By-Laws.

ARTICLE X: DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS UPON DISSOLUTION

The property of the Corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable and educational purposes and no part of the net income or assets of the Corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person. Upon dissolution or winding up of the Corporation its assets remaining after payment or provision for payment of all debts and liabilities of the Corporation shall be distributed to a not-for-profit fund, foundation or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

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ARTICLE XI: CONFLICT OF INTEREST

1. No member of the Board of Directors shall derive any personal profit or gain for themselves, their relatives or friends, directly or indirectly by reason of his or her participation within the corporation, except by agreed to by three quarters of the board vote.
2. Each member must disclose any personal any personal interest that he or she may have in any matter pending before the board and shall refrain from any discussion on that matter. A conflicting board member will not be counted in quorum in matters where there is a conflict of interest.
3. Each board member must submit an annual statement must agree to these general principles and disclose any potential conflict.

The incorporator of the Corporation is: Sandra Atkins. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Sandy Atkins, Registered Agent of South Florida Educational Development Center, Inc, have affixed our signature thereto on July 27, 2009, to the Article of Incorporation.



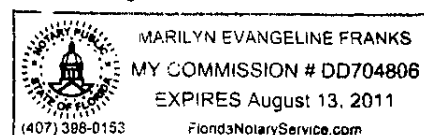
Sandra Atkins

STATE OF FLORIDA
(COUNTY OF BROWARD)

The foregoing instrument was sworn to me this 12th day of August, 2009, at Tallahassee, Florida, by Sandra Atkins, who personally appeared before me at the time of notarization, and who is personally known to me or have produced Florida Driver's License as identification.

NOTARY PUBLIC:

Sign Marilyn Franks
Print Marilyn Franks



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