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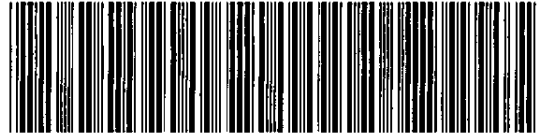
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Department of State
Division of Corporations
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SUBJECT: Mending Ends, Inc.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

☐ \$70.00
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☒ \$78.75
Filing Fee &
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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Deidre Graybill
Name (Printed or typed)

6619 John Alden Way
Address

Orlando, FL 32818
City, State & Zip

407-276-2865
Daytime Telephone number

dlwgraybill@gmail.com
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF

Mending Ends, Inc.
A Non Profit Corporation

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**ARTICLE I
NAME**

The name of this Corporation shall be Mending Ends, Inc.

**ARTICLE II
PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The physical & mailing address of the principal office of 6619 John Alden Way Orlando,
FL 32818

**ARTICLE III
PURPOSE AND POWERS**

(1) The purpose for which the Corporation is organized and operated is exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, 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.

Our mission is to provide empowerment to children and young adults through creative approaches that enhance the inner spirit and outward appearance.

(2) As a means of accomplishing the above purposes and methods, the Corporation shall have the following powers:

- (a) To receive and accept gifts of money and property and to hold the same for any of the purposes of the Corporation and its work.
- (b) To raise and assist in raising funds for the purposes herein set forth, including the issuance of bonds or other instruments of credits.
- (c) To acquire, own, lease, mortgage and dispose of property both real and personal.
- (d) To accept property and donations in trust for religious or charitable purposes.

(3) The property of the Corporation is irrevocable dedicated to religious, educational and charitable purposes, and no part of the net earnings of the corporation/organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, directors, officers or other private persons, except that the corporation/organization shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of Section 501 (c)(3) purposes.

(4) No substantial part of the activities of the corporation/organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation/organization 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.

(5) The Corporation shall not:

- (a) operate for the purpose of carrying on a trade or business for profit;
- (b) accumulate income, invest income, or divert income, in a manner endangering its exempt status; or
- (c) except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activity or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of the Corporation.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

Directors shall be elected as set forth in the Corporation's Bylaws.

ARTICLE V INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This Corporation shall have three (3) directors initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time in accordance with the Bylaws, but shall never be less than three (3). The name and street addresses of the initial directors of this Corporation are:

Tyhesia Spencer - President - 6619 John Alden Way Orlando, FL 32818
Deidre Graybill- Vice President- 6619 John Alden Way Orlando, FL 32818
Kennyetta Madson- Secretary – P.O. Box 580002 Orlando, FL 32858

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE

The name and address of the registered agent shall be as follows:
Deidre Graybill- Vice President- 6619 John Alden Way Orlando, FL 32818

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATORS

The name and street address of the Incorporator is:
Deidre Graybill- Vice President- 6619 John Alden Way Orlando, FL 32818
Tyhesia Spencer - President - 6619 John Alden Way Orlando, FL 32818

**ARTICLE VIII
BYLAWS**

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal bylaws shall be vested in the Board of Directors.

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**ARTICLE IX
INDEMNIFICATION**

This Corporation may be empowered to indemnify any officer or director, or any former officer or director in the manner set out and provided for in the bylaws of this Corporation.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation/organization shall not carry on any other activities nor permitted to be carried on:

(1) by a corporation/organization exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the I.R.S. Code (or corresponding section of the any future Federal tax code) or

(2) by a corporation/organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the I.R.S. Code (or corresponding section of any future Federal tax code.)

(a) Upon dissolution of this corporation/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 Federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the Federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose.

**ARTICLE X
AMENDMENT**

This Corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these articles of incorporation, or any amendment hereto.

Deidre Graybill 7-14-2009
Signature Incorporator Date

Deidre Graybill Vice President 7/14/09

Tyhesia Spencer 7/14/09
Signature Incorporator Date

Tyhesia Spencer (President) 7/14/09
Print Name/Title/ Date

Having been named as registered agent to accept services 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.

Deidre Graybill
Signature Registered Agent

7-14-09
Date

Deidre Graybill
Print Name/Title

7-14-2009
Date